



Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023

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### Themes for next week's assemblies

Each week we have a special theme for our assemblies and one of our key skills/values will be a focus for the week, with children being rewarded for displaying these. Our skill and theme for the next school week will be: Aiming High/Remembrance Day

Hi Everyone,

Well we have finally come to the end of a very long and busy half term. Touring the school over the last few weeks I have seen some lovely work being completed in Classes and very happy, settled children. The school has moved on so far since April and I hope that you saw this during parents evening and that your children are telling you about all that they are doing.

Next half term will be busy with after school clubs, visits and visitors and preparing for Christmas and Christmas performances. There will be a maths workshop on 8<sup>th</sup> November 9am and Children in Need to look forward to on 17<sup>th</sup> November.

Thank you to the parents and staff who are helping with our Halloween Disco tonight. I am sure the children will have great fun. I have left the details for the disco on this newsletter so that you know where to drop them off and to pick them up.

A reminder that we are having two open day events for prospective parents. If you know of someone who will be looking for a nursery or reception place in September 2024 please let them know.

Poppies will be on sale after half term in class and after school from the school office.

Have a wonderful half term break everyone. Stay safe and enjoy spending time together.

Kind regards

Paula Rudd

Interim Headteacher

### Register to view school photographs

All Parents are requested to register to enable access to your child's photographs.

Registration only takes a minute. Please visit [www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk](http://www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk)

and enter the following code: **JRZ2V5A**

You will then be asked to register with your child's full school register name.

Once registered, as soon as the photos are available you will receive an automatic email notification to inform you that your child's photos are now ready to be viewed and can be purchased.

### Attendance

Those children with 100% attendance or with improved attendance were rewarded today with a raffle ticket for the £50 draw and a movie and popcorn in the school hall.

Remember if your child wants to take part next half term or you want to be in with a chance of winning the £50 Sainsburys voucher then you must make sure that your child attends school every day and should only be off if they are genuinely ill. Known medical condition absences will be recognised.

### Reading

**Please remember to return your child's reading book each Monday. If you do not return them they may not get another book until it is returned. We may have to charge for lost or damaged books.**

### Halloween Disco

Our Halloween Disco will take place on 27<sup>th</sup> October. There will be two sessions 4.30 – 5.30 for Nursery and Reception and 5.30- 6.30 for Years 1 & 2. Parents do not have to stay with the children but are welcome to stay and help.

So that we can make sure that children go home with the correct adults can Nursery children please be dropped off and picked up from Class 1GT and Reception Children from 1D. Year 1 children to be dropped off and collected from 2A and Year 2 children to and from 2L. Thank you

Celebration Assemblies will be every week, each Friday at 9am. If your child has been chosen to receive a certificate you will be informed via text or email and you are welcome to attend.

### Dates for your diary

#### Academic Year 2023-24

- Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Oct – Halloween Disco 4.30pm (EYFS) 5.30 (KS1)
- Wk bg 30<sup>th</sup> Oct – Half term break School Closed for week**
- Wed 8<sup>th</sup> Nov – Maths Workshops for parents 9am
- Fr 1 17<sup>th</sup> Nov – BBC Children In Need Charity Day
- Tue 21<sup>st</sup> Nov – Open morning for prospective parents
- Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov – Open evening for prospective parents
- Mon 27<sup>th</sup> Nov – Pantomime in school
- Mon 18<sup>th</sup> Dec - EYFS Nativity performance am  
KS1 performance pm
- Tues 19<sup>th</sup> Dec – KS1 performance am  
EYFS nativity performance pm
- Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> Dec – Christmas parties
- Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec – End of term
- Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Jan – Training Day school closed
- Tues 9<sup>th</sup> Jan – Back to school