

Dear Parents and carers,

PTA disco

It was so lovely to have a school disco again, thank you to our wonderful PTA for arranging it all & a big thank you to the staff team who volunteered to stay and help. The children had a wonderful time!

Late arrivals

We are very concerned by the large number of children arriving at the office, late for school. **School starts promptly at 8:45 for y1-6**, when the first lesson begins. Children arriving late are often embarrassed and upset by this, but they also miss valuable learning time which I'm sure you don't want. We do have some children who need to come via the main office but all the extra adults in this small space is causing them distress. Please ensure all children are in their classrooms by 8:45. Doors open at 8:40. Thank you for support with this.

Trainers and Wellies

As a reminder, **children MUST wear their school shoes to school every day**. On PE days they will change into their trainers for their lesson. In addition to this a pair of wellies (or a suitable alternative pair of shoes) should be in school so they can use the field if it is wet.

Christmas cards

We are asking all classes to contribute their thoughts to our School Council about how we should send Christmas cards to each other at school this year. They are taking the cost-of-living crisis and environmental impact into consideration. So please watch this space for how they decide to proceed!



Y6 children had fun working together to solve a very difficult fractions problem this week!

PTA uniform exchange

From next week, our weekly Uniform Exchange will include **Christmas jumpers, dresses and t-shirts**. Please bring along your children's outgrown Christmas clothes and exchange them for the next size up. 🎅

We will continue to have all the usual good quality non-branded uniform, coats, shoes and wellies, so do feel free to have a look through what's available.

We'll run the additional Christmas clothing exchange until the school's Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas lunch on the 16th December.

The Exchange runs every Tuesday in the DT Room from 3:15. Everything is free and all are welcome!

Online safety

Miss Wilson, who is also the Primary IT Director for our Trust, has developed an acceptable use policy for children to use. This document is shared along with this newsletter, so please read it & go over it with your child. Online safety is vitally important.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs McMurray, Mr Emery & The Jeavons Wood Team



Jeavons Wood Values



Awards



Ladybirds – Isla for challenging herself when completing activities.

Butterflies- Bowen for resilience and determination with his spellings.

Hedgehogs-Ben for showing determination and perseverance leaning his number bonds to 10!

Robins - Jack for being a responsible, hardworking member of the class. A great role model of our school values!

Rabbits – Ewan for showing a refreshed love of learning particularly in Maths.

Squirrels- Zaron for showing aspiration in his learning, particularly while working independently.

Owls – Charlotte M for showing true determination and perseverance with her writing, well done!

Woodpeckers – Idrees for settling in so well and being a wonderful addition to Woodpeckers class!

Badgers-Charlotte for showing determination and perseverance in our fractions maths unit.

Foxes- Eveline for following all the JW values with kindness and consideration to all. Well Done!

Bears- Verity for always bringing peace and unity to Bears Class - thank you Verity for always keeping us organised and for being a star!

Wolves- Layan for showing such kindness to a new member of our school community