



**Dear Parents and Carers,**

**Welcome Back – Spring Term**

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Happy New Year and welcome back to the Spring Term. We hope you all had a restful and enjoyable Christmas holiday and were able to spend some special time together.

It has been lovely to welcome the children back to school over the past two weeks. Despite the cold winter weather, they have returned with positive attitudes and have settled quickly back into their routines. Staff have been very impressed with how well the children have engaged with their learning and supported one another—particularly during these chilly mornings. Last week, we even managed to build snowmen at playtime, and we know many of you enjoyed the snow day last Friday! We are making the most of outdoor play whenever possible, so please continue to encourage your child to bring their wellies to school every day.

This half term, our focus will be on our school value of **Courage**. Children can demonstrate courage by trying new things, speaking up when something doesn't feel right, and persevering even when they find something challenging.

We would also like to take this opportunity to remind families about car park safety at the start and end of the school day. With the colder weather and darker mornings, we kindly ask everyone to remain patient and considerate when parking and when leaving the school site. Taking a few extra moments helps to keep all children, families and staff safe and supports a calm start and end to the day.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support and cooperation. We look forward to an exciting and successful term ahead, full of learning, growth and opportunities for our children.

Warm regards,

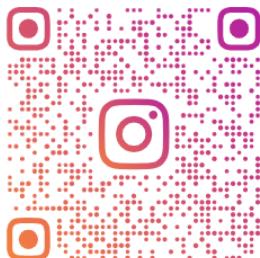
Mrs Sugars



### Job Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for Road Safety Tutor. If you are interested in applying, please click on the link below.

<https://www.wmjobs.co.uk/job/251056/road-safety-tutor-ref-ee10725/>



**FIBBERSLEYPARK**





**Dates for your Diary**



**Friday 23rd January**                   **Uniform Shop 3.15—3.30pm**

**Tuesday 27th January**                   **Young Voices—BP Pulse Birmingham (est time 10pm)**

**Thurs 26th –Fri 27th February**           **Book Fair**

**Tuesday 3rd March**                   **Year 3 Trip to Dudley Canal**

**Thursday 7th May**                   **Year 1 Trip to Dudley Zoo**

**Thursday 21st May**                   **Year 5 Trip to Tamworth Castle**



*Being the best you can be.*



## Our Fibbersley Stars for this week.

**Well done to...**

R 1	Rocco & Kairp	2 2	Dara & Henry	4 3	Karam & Ethan
R 2	Bradie & Yiyi	2 3	Jasleen & Archie	5 1	Jack & Dora
R 3	Musa & Avitej	3 1		5 2	
1 1	Constance & Anayat	3 2	Lili-anne & Avalon	5 3	
1 2		3 3	Adam & Skye	6 1	Nectarie & Scarlett
1 3	George & Ella	4 1	Beauden & Manraj	6 2	Mice & Inaya
2 1	Alicia & Clara	4 2	Hashim & Manroop	6 3	Jude & Miarose
Cove 1	Prince	Cove 2 & 3	Cameron & Sophia	Nurs ery	Aryan & Zoha

**Congratulations to the classes with the highest attendance in each Year Group**

**R 3                    1 3                    2 1                    3 3**

**4 1                    5 1                    6 1**

**Our school target is 93%. Attendance matters!**

**Communication:** If you have an issue or question, please ensure that you follow the school's communication policy and make contact with your child's class teacher via Class-charts, telephone or email in the first instance. If you then require additional support, please ask to speak to the **Year Leader**, then a member of SLT.



## School Meals—IMPORTANT—Please Read

We encourage you to book your child's school meal via **Parent Pay** in advance or up to the same morning **before 8 AM**. This way you will know what your child is eating at school, and also stay on track with your payments, stay in credit and also save time if your child has come through the office and missed registration. **Please be aware, If you pay for your child's meals and pre-book —if they are absent from school you will have to cancel the meal for days absent via Parent Pay or meals will still be charged to your account.**

### Not sure how to do this?

If you are in any doubt how to book, (It's easy and more convenient once you know how!) please call the school office and talk to a member of staff who will happily show you how.

If you have to pay for your Child's school meals please can you ensure your account is kept in credit.

Should there be any problems with payments please contact our Finance Assistant Wendy Lewis via main reception.

## Absences and Appointments

If your child will not be in school, please call the school office *each* morning of their absence to record it. State their name, class number and the reason for absence. If your child has a medical appointment, please inform the office in advance, as we may require medical evidence to avoid unauthorised absence marks, and/or picking your child up early if it's a regular occurrence.

**Please do not send absence messages via class charts.**

**School Time:** Start of the day—main gates open at 8.40am and classroom doors will open at 8.45am. School starts at 8.55am. End of the day—main gates will open at 3.10am. The school day ends at 3.15pm. No-one, including siblings under the age of 16 are allowed to drop off or collect children from school. Thankyou.

**To adhere to our school policy , if your child has sickness or tummy upset, please keep them home for 2 days After the last bout of illness.**

## Medications/Inhalers

Please bring any medications through to the school office. All medications/inhalers need to be in their original box, in date and labelled with the child's name. Medicines purchased from pharmacy require a label printed at pharmacy with the child's name on. A pupil medication form will need to be completed at each new term.



**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> January**  
**4-5.30pm**

St Stephen's Church,  
Wolverhampton Street, Willenhall WV13 2PS

**FUN, FAITH & FOOD for  
FAMILIES!!!**

**All Welcome! (No need to book)**