

# Weekly Newsletter

# 12th January 2024

Welcome back to the Spring Term. I would like to wish you all a Happy New Year. It has been lovely seeing all of the children rejuvenated and ready for learning this term. The children have come back happy and are already back into the swing of learning. Please see below the updates from this week. I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

## <u>PE KITS</u>

Many parents have enquired as to why we have changed back to changing for PE. The reason was we found many children were finding it tricky to get coats on and were unable to change themselves and as this is a key skill which is in the Reception framework under selfcare, we thought it important to give the children the opportunity in school to practise. As well as this, it is proven that for a hygiene perspective the children should change for PE as they should not be in sweaty clothes following the sessions. We understand this is a change for the children but it will soon become the norm. In Year Two the children will be split by gender to change. This is only reverting back to how all schools have changed into their PE kits as this has always been the recommendation for PE. If you would like to discuss your child's individual needs in regards to this matter, please speak to their class teacher.

### Website and Facebook

Please remember to keep looking at your child's website and Facebook pages for any updates on their learning. You can also access the curriculum for the term and see who is working in their class.

#### **Weather**

As the weather has become so much colder and with the threat of snow, please ensure your child comes prepared with a warm coat and hat. If there is really heavy snow, please keep checking the school website for communication about whether the school is closed.



### February and Easter Holiday Camps at Spring Meadow

The February 2024 Half Term Holiday Camp and our Easter 2024 Holiday Camp at Spring Meadow Infant School, is now available to book via our website. These Holiday Camps are applicable to children in Reception Class through to Year 6 of Primary School. Children who attend any local Primary School are welcome to attend these Holiday Camps. Please visit Active play's website for more information and booking.

## DATES FOR NEXT WEEK

16<sup>th</sup> January – Year 2 Trip to Ely Cathedral

17<sup>th</sup> January – Clover Parent Lunch

19th January – Poppy Coffee morning

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