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Dear Parents / Carers,

Meditation Monday

This Monday 1st December parents of children in **Years 2 – 6** are invited into school to take part in our Advent Meditation event. This will take place at 8.30am – 8.45am in classrooms. This will be an opportunity for you to mark the start of Advent with your children in a special way. Please come to the Key Stage 2 hall to sign in by 8.30 am.

Please note due to the nature of this even, you will only be able to visit one classroom. I hope to see you there.

Updating Your Contact Details

Thank you to those of you who have returned their contact details with up-to-date information.

We still have a significant number of parents though, that have not returned their forms. (Currently we cannot confirm we have the correct details for over 50% of the children in our school.) I cannot overstate the importance of the information we hold being accurate. This information is one of many ways we can ensure we keep your children safe. Please return your forms **As Soon As Possible.**

It is really important that we have 2 adults we can contact regarding your child so please ensure you list a second person when completing your form.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

St Andrew's Feast Day (November 30th)

It was lovely to see members of our St Andrew Family today dressed in blue to mark his feast day.

Our school families are very important to us and it has been lovely to mark this day.

Our wonderful 3W class also shared a fantastic assembly this week focusing on his life. The children acted, sang and read beautifully. Well done to everyone involved!

Friday Celebration Assemblies

Each **Friday**, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 take part in **Celebration Assemblies**. During these assemblies classes share work, we celebrate birthdays, award certificates and reflect on the week that has passed.

We would like to invite you to these assemblies and join us in celebrating our amazing children! As with class assemblies you will be let in via the main entrance of the Key stage 1 and 2 halls.

The assemblies start at 8.30am and will be finished by 9.00am.













Parents of children who will be awarded a certificate for following the St Margaret's Way will receive a Parentmail on Thursday from school inviting them to the assembly to allow you to see your child receive their certificate. It would be great to have you join us. **Please do not share this information with your child as we want it to be a surprise for them on the day!**

Each week a class in each key stage will share some work. Please note if your child's class is sharing work this does not guarantee your child will be involved in the sharing of the work. Teachers tend to choose small groups of children.

Date	Key Stage 1 Assembly (Class Sharing Work)	Key Stage 2 Assembly (Class Sharing Work)
5.12.25	2C	5K
12.12.25	1Z	4U
19.12.25		

Attendance

It is so important that children attend school when they are well enough. Good attendance will be rewarded so please do make sure your children are in school each day. Thank you for your support.

Please find below attendance data for every class for this week.

Class Attendance	Last Week	This Week
Reception ND	85	93↑
Reception AD	91	99↑
Year 1G	96	92↓
Year 1Z	90	96↑
Year 2M	95	94
Year 2C	96	98↑
Year 3A	94	93↓
Year 3W	94	98↑
Year 4G	96	97↑
Year 4U	93	94↑
Year 5K	97	93↓
Year 5T	96	92↓
Year 6A	95	98↑
Year 6D	96	93↓

Well done to RAD who had the top attendance this week with 99%!

Diary Dates

Please find below a table with key dates for this term and beyond, please do take note of events that effect you and your child. **Updated events are in BOLD**. More information will follow regarding school trips etc.

God bless, Mr Chiswell

Date	Event	Time
Mon 1st Dec	Meditation Monday (Y2 – Y6)	8.30
Fri 5 th Dec	1st Friday Mass for Year 4 at SMOS Church	8.30
Thurs 11th Dec	Reception Nativity to Parents	9.30
Fri 12 th Dec	Y3 Pantomime Trip – Dunstable Theatre	
Mon 15 th Dec	Christmas Crafts Reception & Y3	8.30
	Christmas Service at Church	5.00
Tues 16 th Dec	Christmas Crafts Nursery & Y5	8.30
	Christmas Crafts for Afternoon Nursery	12.30
Weds 17 th Dec	Christmas Crafts Y2 & Y4	8.30
	Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day	
	Christmas Movie Night (Y1 – Y6)	5.00 - 6.30
Fri 19 th Dec	Christmas Crafts Y1 & Y6	8.30
	Y2 Pantomime Trip – Dunstable Theatre	am
	Carols on the Playground	2.30
	End of Advent Term	3.00
Mon 5 th Jan	All Children Return to School for Lent Term	8.15
Fri 27 th Feb	Children in St David Family to wear yellow to	
	school for the day to mark his feast day – 1st March	
Fri 13 th March	Children in St Patrick Family to wear green to	
	school for the day to mark his feast day – 17 th	
	March	
Fri 24 th April	Children in St George Family to wear red to school	
	for the day to mark his feast day – 23 rd April	