

## **NEWSLETTER**

Term 2 – 8<sup>th</sup> November 2019



## Attendance

The classes with the highest attendance this week are...

Years 3 & 5!

Help at home tip:

Make time to give
your undivided
attention to listen
without interruptions.



As part of our commitment to make maths exciting and high profile in our school, we are taking part in competition next week that is part of Maths Week England. It's called Rock Out 2019 and it's all done online via play.ttrockstars.com.

For every correct answer to a multiplication or division question, your child will earn their class a point. The Times Tables Rock Stars platform will calculate the class average (the number of correct answers per pupil in the class who play during the competition hours). Winning classes in the school and in the country as a whole will be the ones with the highest average.

All game modes (Gig, Garage, Studio, etc.) will count but only from games played between 7.30am and 7.30pm on Monday 11<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>, Friday 15<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>.

In the spirit of the competition, please don't play on their behalf but by all means encourage and support them to the extent that it doesn't cause high stress levels or impact on family plans. We suggest a limit of half an hour a day outside school hours if they are able to access a device on which to play – some will play more, some will play less. If your child does not have their login please speak to the class teacher.





As Monday is Remembrance Day, we would like to invite children to wear the uniform of any association they are involved with (Scouts, Cubs, Brownies etc), along with displaying their poppies proudly.

The whole school will also observe two

minutes silence after break.



To support Children in Need we would like to invite children to wear something spotty or their PJs (spotty PJs are even better!) for a donation of £1.

Year 6 will also be organising some games for the younger children so please send them in with some extra pennies to be able to join in.



We are pleased to announce that our participation in the Macmillan Coffee Morning raised a fantastic £147.38!

Thank you for your support!

Year 1 are looking for some volunteers to come in and hear children read on a regular basis.

If you can help please speak to the school office.

Thank you.

THURSDAY 5TH DECEMBER 15:15-18:00

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS

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