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Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy New Year! Our children have already gone straight back into work mode and produced some fantastic pieces of learning. Year 3 have been researching, using their I.T. skills. Year 4 have been writing Haikus on Winter. Year 5 have been tackling algebra and Year 6 have proven they haven't forgotten a thing over the holidays and are already giving themselves aspirational targets for their challenging year ahead.

Winter Fayre

The Winter Fayre will take place on **Monday 28th January at 3.30-4.30 p.m** This is just over two weeks away, so now is the time to start collecting any unwanted items/presents. Please donate as little or as much as you can for our Fayre-it will all make a difference. Below is a list of things that we will desperately need to make our Fayre a success and raise as much as possible for school funds:

- Unwanted chocolate
- Gifts or prizes for our tombola store
- Items to go into a hamper that each class will be preparing.
- Unwanted books for our book stall

If you are unsure about whether to donate a particular item, please come and ask us.

Finally, if you would prefer to offer some time to help us organise the Winter Fayre, that would be greatly appreciated. I am going to hold a **PTA meeting on Wednesday 16th January at 3.30 p.m.** for anyone who is prepared to come and help. If this hasn't previously been something you were interested in, please come along anyway. The stronger our PTA team is, the better our fayres will become. It may be that you would be happy to support us during the day by labelling items and helping set out the stalls, or it may be that you would wish to help run a stall, anything is welcomed.

Bring a Bottle Non-Uniform Day

As in previous years, we will be holding a non-uniform day on **Friday 18th January**. Instead of bringing money, please donate a bottle for our Bottle Tombola stall. If you would prefer not to bring a bottle, then please donate something towards our Fayre. Thank you in advance.

Our Welcome Meeting

Thank you to those parents who came to my Welcome Meeting on Wednesday. It was lovely to see some familiar faces and some new faces. If you were not able to make this meeting, but still have some questions, please don't hesitate to ring me or arrange a meeting. I will attempt to be on the playground at the end of every day and every morning, so please come and introduce yourself.

Attendance

This week, our attendance was 95.21%. This is a fantastic start to the new school year and a sign that our children enjoy coming to school and are keen to learn.

Thank you for your continued support.

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