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#### **WEEK TWO MENU**

Dear Parents,

It was so great to have Copeland and Quickbury classes back in school this week and to see the children and staff returning each day. I would really like to thank you in your efforts to test the children regularly and for your patience with the everchanging situation in school. I know how hard the children are finding it being back in their bubbles but I am also amazed at their resilience when things have to change. While I know that some of our children and parents are still poorly (there are also lots of colds and viruses going around too) we have not had any new cases of COVID this week. I am hoping, if this continues, that we will be able to resume Collective Worship, lunches, Team assembly and after school clubs next week.

We have started rehearsing for our Nativity performances, although doing it over Zoom was a bit tricky. Rev'd Dawn talked to us about the period of Advent which begins on Sunday and reminded us of why it is such an important event in the Christian calendar.

### **Happy Book**

Fitzwalter Class would like to thank Mrs Dorrian and Mrs Horsfall for volunteering on Wednesday to enable us to go swimming. Poppy was very thankful to have Miss Johnson back in school. Patrick would like to say thank you to Catherine for always being so kind and helpful.

#### **Achievement from Home and School**

Home: Harry was very proud to achieve level 4 in swimming.

School: The following children have all achieved their Bronze Mathletics award; Pablo, Fay, Lucy, Danielle, Oliver, Laura, Harry, Charlie, Alfie, Noah, Mya, Elsie Mae, Max, Freya, Lenny, Amalie, Kenny, Sophia, Ruby, Catherine, Darcy, Aviana, Patrick, Ruby, Sonny and Max. Noah, Elsie Mae, Amalie and Ruby have achieved their Silver Mathletics award and congratulations go to Elsie Mae and Ruby for achieving the Gold Mathletics award. Our Class Spelling Shed Superstar is Fitzwalter class with 115,818,504 points and our Top 10 Super-Spellers are Catherine, Sonny, Finley, Ruby, Charlie, Mya, Isabelle, Patrick, Alfie and Pablo. Bronze Building Learning Power certificates were awarded to George, Aviana, Scarlett, Logan, Max, Elsie Mae, Otis, Noah, Minnie, Lyra, Lenny, Harry, Gabriel, Frank, Edith, Alfie, Charlie and Isabella and Proud Cloud Phonics awards go to Mae, Ellen, Darcy, Mya, Esmeé, George and Logan for learning all of their Phase 2 Letters and Sounds.

#### **Roll of Honour**

Our Learning Heroes this week: Children who have tried hard to present their work well.

Copeland: Max has been trying so hard this week to write his name neatly. His letter formation is getting better and better.

Durrington: All the children in Durrington class have tried really hard with their presentation this week.

**Fitzwalter:** Laura always presents her work neatly and to the best of her ability. We have been very proud of her. Well done. **Quickbury:** Summer has presented her work beautifully this week. I am pleased to see her taking such pride in her work as

now we can clearly see her fabulous ideas. Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

## Mrs Brittaine's Star of the Week

My Star of the Week is Mae for trying so hard with her handwriting and for being so proud of her achievements.

#### <u>Birthdays</u>

This week we sang the birthday song to Lola who is 9 years old today.

## **Letters/Parentmail Home**

Christmas dinner

# **Dates**

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November: 'Flu immunisations Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas jumper day Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Fair 3-5pm Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas dinner **Essex County Council** 

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**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December**: Nativity concert in school 2:00pm **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December**: Nativity concert in the church 9:30 tbc

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December:** PTFA Christmas gift shop

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December: End of term 3:10pm

Keep safe, keep the Faith.

Mrs Lorna Brittaine

