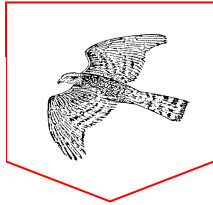


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Dear Parents,

I cannot believe this is the last newsletter of term 1! The term has just flown by. It has been wonderful to see so many parents at the Landing Pad Assemblies this week – they have been a real celebration of the things the children have been learning about this term. The children do love to show you their work and perform for you. I know it is a tight squeeze in some of the classrooms – but wonderful to see so many parents (and Grandparents) attending. Thank you also for all your Food Bank contributions this week. They will be collected on Friday; the Food Bank will be emptied ready to be filled again in Term 2.

Our ‘Number Day’ on Tuesday was a great success. Thank you to so many of you who had spent lots of time creating costumes for the day - we had Number Wizards, dice, dominoes and calculators! The children really did enjoy the day. My favourite teacher outfit was Mrs Groombridge who dressed as a ‘Timetables Rock Star’! She looked fabulous!

On the reverse of the newsletter this week is the curriculum overview for your child for term 2. It is always exciting for the children to find out about their new themes. Children in Years 5 and 6 will be finding out the answer to the question ‘How has the theatre evolved over time?’ Year 3 & 4 will be finding out ‘What life was like in Ancient Benin’. Year 1 and 2 pupils will be answering the question ‘Why did London burn down?’ and pupils in Paris & London classes will be asking the question ‘How do we celebrate?’ We will let you know more about their launch pads next half term.

Can I give you a final reminder that the flu vaccine online consent form must be completed by 23/10/2019? I have sent all parents a text message with the flu vaccine link. If it is not completed by 23rd (Wednesday of half term) the nurses will not administer the vaccine.

In addition to that – a reminder for parents of year 6 pupils – the online Secondary Common Application Form (Kent SCAF) must be completed by 31st October 2019. The website for the form is:

www.kent.gov.uk/ola

Happy Half Term – see you on Monday 28th October!

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Guided Reading Workshop – For parents of children in Paris and London classes.

I will be running a Guided Reading session for Reception parents on Monday 4th November at 9am – 10:30am. We will be looking at what Guided Reading is and how we teach it. Please let me know if you will be coming by completing and returning the slip below ASAP. I look forward to seeing you! Miss Milborrow

I will be attending the phonics session for Reception parents on 4th November at 9am.

Name..... Name of my child.....