



SAUNCEY WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another fun filled week of learning here at Sauncey Wood! I have seen some amazing work in Maths and some wonderful Handwriting from across the school, our children are really working hard in their learning and it makes me so proud when I pop into lessons and see their efforts.

Many children have been learning about and celebrating the Lunar New Year! In Reception, the children learnt about Chinese dragons and then got to make one of their own. They wore it to our Celebration Assembly this morning and it really brought their learning to life! In Willow class, children enjoyed exploring different money envelopes and decorations which Ms Lee kindly brought in to share. As well as learning lots of facts about Lunar New Year, pupils also made their own firecracker decorations, even learning how to write 'good luck' in Chinese! They were also lucky to have been taught how to make glutinous rice balls (a New Years Eve sweet treat) by Ms Lee during the previous week. Happy Lunar New Year to those who are celebrating!



Children's Mental Health Week

Next week pupils will be taking part in 'Children's Mental Health Week.' This week was started 11 years ago by children's charity 'Place2be.' The charity aims to promote positive wellbeing as well as empowering children to speak about their mental health. We will start the week with a special assembly. During the week pupils will have the opportunity to learn about their emotions and share thoughts and feelings during class discussions and PSHE sessions.

TT Rockstar Dress Up

We also celebrate the NSPCC's Number Day with a Rockstar Twist, taking place next Friday, 7th February. The day promises to be full of fun and learning as the school focuses on fluency and multiplication in support of this fantastic cause. To celebrate the event, children are encouraged to come dressed as rockstars, tying into the school's love of

TT Rockstars and making the day both educational and memorable. Whether it's leather jackets, funky wigs, or glittery costumes, everyone is invited to embrace their inner star!

Throughout the day, pupils will engage in exciting number-themed activities and challenges designed to build confidence and fluency in Maths whilst raising awareness and funds for the NSPCC. A small contribution towards this event will be greatly received.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone.

Yours sincerely

Mr Brewis
Headteacher

Dates for the diary	
Tuesday 3 rd February	Year 3 Meet the Teacher (after school)
Thursday 6 th February	Tag Rugby Tournament (Years 5 & 6)
Friday 7 th February	NSPCC Number Day (whole school)

PLEASE REMEMBER TO LET THE SCHOOL OFFICE KNOW IF THERE ARE ANY CHANGES TO YOUR PERSONAL DETAILS SO THAT WE HAVE THE CORRECT TELEPHONE NUMBERS FOR AN EMERGENCY. (INCLUDING YOUR SECOND CONTACTS)

