



Friday 14th December 2018

Facebook Messenger

We have received some messages via our school Facebook messenger, please be aware that this is not monitored and is not used as a form of contact so things will be missed. If you wish to speak with anyone at school please email or call the school office. We have also become aware of parents/carers contacting members of staff via Facebook messenger—due to the staff code of conduct staff cannot liaise with parents over Facebook messenger.

Outstanding Fees

Please ensure that all outstanding accounts are paid up to date by the end of term This includes pre-school fees and all school meals.

Carol Singing at Delph House

Well done to Years 5 & 6 for their beautiful carol singing at Delph House in Welney. The residents clearly enjoyed listening to their voices and one resident even got up to dance. Thank you to all the parents who were able to help us with transport.



Governor Corner

Earlier this year Mrs Higgins sent a questionnaire out to parents/carers to give you the opportunity to have your say about our school. 25 families replied and Governors have looked at the responses you gave. With the focus nowadays on bullying, it was great to see that every single parent said that their child felt safe at school and only one said that the school does not deal with bullying effectively. Like last year, all parents agreed, or strongly agreed that their child is well looked after and is taught well and [also the same as last year], all except one parent felt that the school responds well to your concerns. Thank you for giving our school such honest, well deserved feedback. Last week's parent consultations seemed to go well. Everyone that I saw came out smiling and it is clear that you all appreciate the hard work our staff put into making your child feel happy, cared for and safe so that they can get on with their learning. I loved watching the Christmas plays this week and I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at the Christingle service in church on Tuesday evening.

Sue Rudge—Chair to the governing Body

Early Years Funding

If your child turns 3 before 31st December they are eligible for Early Years funding. Please come to see Miss Rooney or log on to childcarechoices.gov.uk for more information.

Cameras/Phones in school

We would like to politely remind you that mobile phones and cameras are not permitted to be used within the school at any time. This includes class assemblies, story cafes and in the playground.

Head lice

With the Christmas holidays fast approaching, we would like to remind you to check your child's hair for head lice in the hope all children will be clear for the new year.

Thank You

We would like to thank those who have been to see our school plays this week. We are immensely proud of all the children in school and think they have done a fantastic job. Thank you to all staff for the hard work they have put in to make the plays happen again this year.



Suitable footwear

As the weather turns colder and more wintry, please ensure your children have sensible shoes with a good grip to wear outside.

Diary Dates

18th December - 1.30pm Pantomime at Ely school)	25th April - 1pm-3pm Family Worker
18th December - 5.30pm Christingle	9th May - 1:30pm Hawker Story Café
19th December - Last Day of term	16th May- 1:30pm Emerald Story Café
7th January - Spring Term begins (Back to school)	21st May - 2:30pm EYFS Assembly
18th January - 9:15am Emperor Story Café	23rd May - 1.30pm Emperor Story Café
24th January - 1pm - 3pm Family Worker	23rd May - 1pm-3pm Family Worker
29th January - 4pm-6pm Bedtime Read	27th May - Half Term
30th January - 9am Hawker Story Café	3rd June- Back to School
6th February - 2.30pm Emperor Assembly	19th June- Sports Day
13th February - 1:30pm Emerald Story Café	27th June - 1pm-3pm Family Worker
14th February - 2:30pm EYFS assembly	18th July - 1pm-3pm Family Worker
18th February - Half Term	19th July—1:30pm EYFS Story Café
25th February - Back to school	
28th February - 1pm-3pm Family Worker	
28th March - 2:30pm Hawker Class Assembly	
28th March - 1pm- 3pm Family Worker	
2nd April - 1:30pm EYFS Story Café	
4th April - 2:30pm Emerald Class Assembly	
5th April - End of Spring Term (Last day)	
23rd April- Summer Term begins (Back to	