



TOOT TOOT BANG!

Welcome back – we hope that you and your children had a week of fun together. The children have already settled back into routines quickly. Our topic this term is 'Toot Toot Bang' and we will explore the book '**Here comes Frankie**' by Tim Hopgood. Frankie and his parents live a quiet life but when Frankie decides to learn the trumpet, everything begins to change. Throughout this term we will be getting very creative with our activities exploring music, colour and dance.

We hope to see you all at one of the parents evenings next week. These meetings give us a chance to talk about your child's progress so far, and to discuss any questions that you may have as well as what you can do to support your child from home.

As always, our door is always open and if you have any worries/concerns or just want to ask us a question, please come and find us at the end of the school day.

Thank you,

Key dates for the Term

Parents Evenings-	Monday 6 th & Wednesday 8 th November.
Newspaper class photo-	Tuesday 7 th November.
Maths Day/ Week-	from 13 th November.
Maths Workshop-	Wednesday 15 th November 5-6 p.m. in the main hall.

Christmas Dates

EYFS tableau (in the Hall) -	Tuesday 5 th December 4pm
PTA Christmas Fayre-	Friday 8 th December.
School Christmas Lunch-	Wednesday 13 th December
Class Christmas Party-	Thursday 14 th Dec
	Friday 15 th December End of Term

We welcome parent help in class. If you would like to come and help at all – regularly or occasionally, please let us know! If you have a specific skill or interest that you could share with us please come and see one of us!

Thank you for your support with the handwriting homework – the children are really getting the hang of it now! Please check your child is holding the pencil correctly when they write at home 😊

Routines

Physical Development
Focused teaching of PE will be on a Tuesday. Please make sure ALL PE kit is named and kept in school.

Grab a Grown Up will be on Alternate Friday's starting from the 17th November. Please pop along to see your child's Learning Journals between 8.40am and 8.50am.

Den (Library)
Cherry Class will visit the Den on a Friday mornings.

Read Write Inc Phonics

We have completed our Set 1 phonics sounds. This term we will focus on recapping these sounds and blending to read.

We continue to go on Welly Walks every Thursday afternoon at 2.30pm. You are very welcome to join us 😊

Your child will need a named water bottle (not squash or juice) and suitable coat in school every day thank you.