

## **Early Years Foundation Stage Newsletter**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018**

### **Happy New Year!**

We hope you have had a wonderful break, sending you many wishes for a happy and healthy new year. We would also like to say a very special welcome to our new families who are joining our EYFS.

If your child would like to complete a full show and tell about their holidays, please do bring in any photos or drawings/writing.

### **Essential Items**

Here is a reminder of the items we ask every child to have in school:

- Wellies
- Spare pair of clothes
- Water bottle
- Book bag
- In the Autumn/Winter months - A warm coat and suitable footwear

### **Reading Books and Key Words**

Please bring your child's book bag in every day. We would like to read with your child at least once a week.

Additionally, we will also update your child's key words book at least once a week, in line with your child's current reading book. We thank you for your co-operation.

### **Guinea Pigs - Scruffy Snowy and Darth Vader**

Please sign up if you would like to take the guinea pigs home for the weekend. They really are lovely house guests.

### **Forest School**

We are continuing with Forest School this term and are in real need of some helpers! Please let us know if you are available to join us. Please make sure your child is wearing appropriate clothing (Trousers, long sleeved top, jumper, socks and boots) as it is important they are wrapped up warm. It would be great if your child could come with a change of shoes so we can keep the classroom clean. It is also necessary for your child to have a full change of clothes on their peg.

### **Reminder**

Please ensure that your child is in school at 8.55am or before. We will be beginning hand writing practice during morning work and it is essential that the children don't miss out. You are welcome to stay with your child until 8.55, we would then appreciate you leaving at this time. If you would like to discuss anything in detail with the class teacher please make an appointment at the school office.

With kind regards, *Ms Woods, Mrs Stowe, Mrs Wilkes, Miss Bishop, Miss Conde*