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NEXT WEEK'S DINNER MENU - WEEK 1

Attendance figures for week ending Friday 18th October are as follows:

Year R 98%	Year 1 92%	Year 2 96.7%	Year 3 95%
Year 4 98.3%	Year 5 97.1%	Year 6 90%	95.7%

Whole school attendance this academic year: 96.3%

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

You should have received your Operation Christmas Child leaflet now. Please help to fill a shoebox for this worthy cause. This is a wonderful opportunity for our children to demonstrate the heart of the Christian message that is core to the ethos of our school. All shoeboxes should be returned to school by Friday 8th November.

PARENTS EVENING WED 6^{TH} AND THURS 7^{TH} NOVEMBER

Parent's evening will be held next Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th November between 3.30pm and 5.30pm so there will be no after school clubs on these evenings. Please ensure you have returned your slip with your preferred appointment time.

FOREST SCHOOL

Thank you to Joshua's Dad for the logs that he has kindly donated for our forest school seating. A few of our parents have kindly offered to put up our covered areas. Once these have been put up the sessions will be able to start.

KS1 STRETCH AND TONE AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Monday's KS1 Stretch and Tone club is postponed and will also change to a Wednesday after school starting on Wednesday 20th November due to parent's evening and staff training.

CLASS 3 RESIDENTIAL 6th – 8TH JULY 2020

Next year's residential will be at Dewerstone Cottage in the Plym valley. If your child is interested in taking part then please complete the form. The residential will not go ahead unless there is enough interest.

ALLERGIES

Please be aware that we have some children who have severe allergic reactions to certain foods. Can we remind you that we are a nut-free zone and would prefer children not to bring in products like nutella. Please could you also remind your child that some plants and bright berries can be poisonous and should not be put into the mouth.

THE GIVING MACHINE

Please don't forget to use the 'giving machine' website when shopping, simply go to the site at www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk and choose our school before you shop. Thousands of shops take part from Amazon, Argos and Asda etc to Zooplus, Zavvi and Zest. Every time you shop the retailer makes a donation to your chosen cause.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Fri 8th Nov Shoebox collection

Fri 15th Nov Children in Need mufti day

Fri 22nd Nov Flu vaccination day