

# NEWSLETTER WEEK ENDING 9<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2026

## HAPPY NEW YEAR

A very happy new year to all our families and we were happy to see you all back on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January following a very challenging start to the term with the cold weather conditions causing side roads to be somewhat unsafe. Please take extra time and care when travelling to and from school until the weather improves. We always keep a close eye on the weather conditions and we will send texts out to ensure you are fully updated on any issues or closures if needed.

## Y1 Trip to Bolling Hall



On Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February Year 1 will be visiting Bolling Hall Museum as part of their History topic.

The cost of the visit is £10 which includes workshops and guided tour. Payments made on parent Pay as soon as possible. Thankyou.

## Y6 SATS WORKSHOPS

On the 20<sup>th</sup> January 3.15pm – 4.15pm we will be commencing our Y6 SATS workshops. This year we will be splitting into smaller groups to ensure pupils have more adult support. If you wish for your child to attend you must complete the reply slip on the letter sent home this week. Thankyou

## Year 6 SATS Parents Meeting

On Friday the 16<sup>th</sup> January at 9.00am we will be holding a meeting for our Year 6 parents to provide them with the information regarding this years SATS testing arrangements.

## Y3 Cartwright Hall Visit

On Thursday the 16<sup>th</sup> January Year 3 will be visiting Cartwright Hall to take part in the 'Art & Science of Noticing' workshop. It is a fantastic day enabling children to work with specialist staff at a wonderful venue on our doorstep. Payments for the day can be made on parent pay £5 includes the workshop and resources provided. Thankyou

## MAGICAL WINTER WONDER DAY



On Thursday the 15<sup>th</sup> January we will be having a Magical winter fun day for the children. In the morning we have arranged a magic show for all children across school with Dazzling Darren the Magician. At lunchtime there will be special party pizza lunch. In the afternoon the children are taking part in winter activities including arts, crafts, writing, poetry and music and these will be presented to the rest of the school the following week.

We are also opening up the opportunity for children to complete some winter projects at home and there will be prizes for each class. Please see the links below to help you to engage your child and give them some ideas to start with.

<https://childrens.poetryarchive.org/poem/winter/>

For art work you can be as creative as you feel, drawing, painting, collage with different materials collected. You can decide!

<https://www.artycraftykids.com/seasonal/14-wonderful-winter-art-projects-for-kids/>

We look forward to seeing the work coming into school next week. All work submitted by Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January.

**MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD IS IN SCHOOL THURSDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY FOR A MAGICAL FUN DAY!!!**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026 – Mgical fun Day**

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January 9.00am – Y6 SATS Parents meeting**

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January – Y3 Trip to Cartwright Hall**

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> and every Tuesday after – Y6 SATS Workshops**

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> February 9.00am – 4CM Class Assembly**

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February – Y1 Trip to Bolling Hall**

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 9.00am – 5S Class Assembly**