

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a lovely first week back together! We started our new Read Write Inc. groups and the children have settled in very well. In Maths we have been learning about the passing of time. We ordered days of the week and we timed what we can do in one minute. We made Bonfire Night safety posters and we enjoyed learning about Diwali, making a diva lamp and rangoli patterns using our symmetry skills from last term.

We have a busy term ahead! Here are some dates for your diary!

Friday 15th November – Children In Need day. Please wear sporty spotty clothes with trainers. We are holding a sponsored run at 9.00am where you are welcome to join us running around the playground!

Friday 22nd November – Christmas Fayre. We will be selling crafts that the children have made from our classroom after school on this day. More information to follow.

Thursday 5th December – Christmas Trip to Gower Heritage Centre. More information to follow.

Friday 6th December – Nativity costumes to be brought into school in a labelled carrier bag.

Friday 6th December – Big Merit. If your child receives a merit certificate this half term you are invited to join us at 9.00am for our celebration in the hall.

Friday 13th December at 10.00am– Performance of our Christmas nativity 'Baarmy Bethlehem'. More information to follow. Your child should have brought their costume letter home in his/her reading folder yesterday.

Friday 20th December – 'The Greediest Elf' Show in school.

Here are some blending videos if you would like to reinforce this at home:

Learning to blend at home – session 9

<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/JTBEifGL/yFO4mxDQ>

Session 10

<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/O4sPHVzi/YcdvyaRL>

Thank you for your support and have a lovely weekend!

Best Wishes,

Mrs Chapman and Miss Hopkins