

**Head of Primary:** Mrs K James

4<sup>th</sup> November 2025 Dear Parents.

Welcome to the Autumn Term, and as we build up to the festive season, the next seven weeks in school will be busy and very exciting! This half term and alongside our topic 'Once Upon A Time', we will be preparing for our family Christmas Wiggle nativity in church. We will also be planning lots of lovely enhancements in our early years' provision.

We want to make the children's learning as practical, memorable and engaging as possible. As we mentioned at our EYFS curriculum parent meeting, we have an Early Years Fund, which we ask parents to contribute to, if they are able, and this is now set up for parents to select on School Money. Last year the EY Fund enabled us to buy ingredients to bake with; make fresh playdough each week including sensory and textured playdough; gardening equipment, bubble bath for water play, buy special craft resources and much more.

If you would like to support our EY fund this term, then donations from £1 to £5 would be greatly appreciated. We will ask for this at the beginning of each term.

Our school budget is meagre, so any small support really does make a difference, enabling us to continue to provide lovely enhancements to our EYFS curriculum and provision.

Many thanks. Mrs M Nicholson & The EY Team

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