

January 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope that you managed to enjoy the Christmas break and wish you a Happy New Year!

During this term, we will be basing our descriptive writing on 'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe'. As part of our unit, to inspire the children, we plan to watch clips of both the film and the BBC TV series from the 1980s. As the film is rated a PG, please do let your class teacher know if you have any concerns regarding this. Following this writing unit, we will be visiting the theatre to watch a performance, details of this have already been shared with you via Parent Pay- thank you again to the PTFA for have subsidising the trip.

Home learning will continue as in the Autumn Term. Please can we ask that children bring their books and reading records in every day and continue to read regularly to work towards their bronze, silver, gold and platinum reading certificates.

Children will continue to wear their PE kit into school. Your child needs to have black shorts, a green school PE shirt and a pair of trainers. Students may wear tracksuits, gloves, hats, etc., for outdoor use in cold weather.

We quite often use the field and so it is likely that PE kits will get muddy and damp! Please also ensure that all clothing is labelled as we have had a lot of lost items throughout the autumn term.

If your child is in Beech class, remember your child will be swimming every Tuesday, swimming lessons start Tuesday 14th January.

PE kit days are as follows:

Sycamore and **Willow**: Thursdays and Fridays

Beech: Tuesdays and Fridays.

Additionally, we're thrilled to invite you to "The Bee Musical" on **Thursday, 20th March**! Over the term, the children will be working hard to prepare for this fantastic performance. Full details, including time and ticket information, will be shared soon.

Thank you for your continued support.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us. On the class email address:

Beech – beech@wrpschool.org

Willow – willow@wrpschool.org

Sycamore – sycamore@wrpschool.org

Yours sincerely,
The Year 3 Team