

## **January 2024 Newsletter**

Happy New Year to all our children and their families. We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and thank you for posting photographs on Tapestry so that we have additional prompts to speak to the children about their break. We welcome our new children and their families – Archie, Blake, Casper, Frankie and Kash into preschool and hope they settle in quickly. We also hope the children transferring to Rainbows from Teddies settle quickly, make new friends and enjoy the different activities and resources



Thank you to everyone who sent Christmas cards, gifts and good wishes they were very much appreciated

## Update

After the Christmas break, new mobile phones may have been bought, children may have had illnesses, medication may have been issued, arrangements for different people to pick up the children may have been organised so we would appreciate you updating us with any relevant information.

## RSPB's Big School Bird Watch 8<sup>th</sup> January – 19<sup>th</sup> February

We will be taking part in bird themed activities. The purpose is to collect data about how many birds there are as they are in decline.

The Big Garden Bird Watch is running from **26**<sup>th</sup> – **28**<sup>th</sup> **January** where families are encouraged to join in at home spending an hour counting the birds they see at home or at the park

## **Second Hand Uniform**

If you have any uniform that your child has grown out of, please consider donating it to the preschool to assist our fundraising. Thank you



Thank you to everyone for wearing your Christmas jumpers it was so lovely to see everyone take part and raising £19 for Save the Children



Primary School applications close on 15 January **2024** for children due to start primary and junior school in September **2024** 



Please could you ensure clothing is marked **clearly** with either a fabric or Sharpie pen as uniform easily gets lost



As there are lots of children with the same lunch box, could you please make it distinguishable – large writing



Term 3 Wed 3rd Jan – Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> Feb

(Inset day Fri 9th Feb 2024)

Term 4 Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Feb – Wed 27<sup>th</sup> Mar

(Inset day Thurs 28th March 2024)

Term 5 Mon 15<sup>th</sup> April – Fri 24th May

Term 6 Mon 3rd June – Fri 19th July

Bank Holiday - Monday 6th May



w/c 1st Jan is N followed by O - P - Q