

ELEMENTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter -7th January 2022

Dear All,

Happy New Year! I hope you had a restful break and a special time with family and friends. It feels great to be back this week. Our children have had a fantastic first week back; we have been very busy getting back to learning, both in school and online.

Thank you for your patience with us during this time as our provision changes due to the COVID pandemic. This week we have had a number of staff and children who are unwell with coronavirus. We are hoping that over the next few weeks things start to settle and we resume some form of 'normality' in school.

We are very quickly approaching our second 'WOW Week' this year. Can I remind you that the donation of £30 can still be made payable on the Arbor app. Thank you to those of you who have already paid something towards our WOW Week provision; it enables us to plan and create some amazing experiences for our children. Please be aware that we will not be going on external trips and visits this time in order to avoid disappointment around cancellations. We will, however, be inviting some exciting visitors into school for every year group. Please read the newsletter carefully to find out more.

After WOW Week we will be starting our new topic, 'Lost in a Book'. During this learning block children will be immersed in a class story. To find out more about what the children are learning in school, as well as ways in which you can help at home, you can explore our 'Elements Learning Hub'. The teachers update this site every block so that you can see what learning is taking place in school. We will send the link to this next week, once the site is fully updated.

I hope you have a great weekend. Hopefully it will start to get warmer soon!

Best wishes,

Mrs L Martin



WOW Week

Here are some highlights of what will happen in the next WOW week. Please see red text to tell you what your child will need.

We can't wait to share our 'newspaper special' with you on Monday; this will give you the full programme for each year group.

Reception

- Den Building – **Please bring Wellies on Monday 17th**
- Immersive Workshop

Year 1

- Drama Workshop
- Builder Day – **Monday – Dress in jeans & white t-shirt**
- Drawing with children's illustrator

Year 2

- Becoming authors and commissioning illustrator
- Roald Dahl museum workshop

Year 3

- Stone Age Escape Room
- Embroidery workshop
- Woodwork workshop



Stars of the Week

Due to year 2 being off this week we are not holding our assembly. We can't wait to share this week stars with you next Friday.

Dates for the Diary

WOW week: 17th January

Trust wide training day : 11th February

Half term: 18th February

Attendance

Stars	97.8%
Diamonds	86.6%
Shine	95.8%
Dazzle	97%
Inspire	94%
Discover	92.9%
Motivate	100%
Excel	95.7%
Whole school	95%