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Dear Parents and Governors

Happy New Year! I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas. Thank you for all the Christmas cards and generous presents.

Mindfulness colouring



After-school clubs start on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2019. This term we are again running clubs for both Key Stages at the same time (KS1 YRS 1 & 2 and KS2 YRS 3-6) to make it easier to pick children up at the same time.

Some clubs are new, for example mindful colouring which combines positive wellbeing and colouring.

Due to the high demand for clubs, children may not get all of their choices but we are making sure everyone attends at least one of the clubs they have requested. Parents will be informed if their child is placed on a waiting list.

All clubs cost £2 for the full term - January to end of March.



## **New Staff**

We welcome two new teaching assistants to our team Mrs Shaw and Miss Griffin who will be supporting English and mathematics lessons. Miss Griffin will also be involved with our afterschool clubs.

Following interviews at the end of term for the HLTA post, Miss Furno has been appointed as a permanent member of our staff.

## **New Year request! PLEASE - PLEASE - PLEASE**

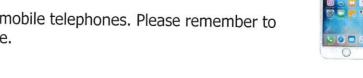
Please can children be collected on time. Last term, clubs were disturbed many times with parents arriving at different pick up times. Activities and games were disrupted which was very frustrating for children and teachers.

Nursery and Reception finish at 3.00 and YRS 1-6 at 3.15pm.

Afterschool clubs finish at 4.15pm; multi-skills (5 o'clock club) finishes at 5.00pm.

## Mobile numbers

At this time of year many people buy new mobile telephones. Please remember to give new numbers to Mrs Ward in the office.



Enjoy the weekend.

S Furno Head teacher



LEADING PARENT RTNERSHIP AWARD















****** Certificates ******	
Early Years	Jovanny and Joachim
KS1	Meryam, Mohammed and Rui
KS2	Izzy, Arnav, Dominik, Damereo, Alfie, Ali, Nurul and Davida
Gardener of the week	/
School Matters!  Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow	Best class attendance - YR6  Book prizes - Philip and Jordan
Sport Certificates	Alfie and Xin Yu
Homework (	/
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