

## This week

We would like to welcome you all back to school and we hope that you had a restful Christmas holidays. The children seem to have loved their time off.

A special mention to our Proud Cloud this week who is Alfie for persevering and improving his handwriting so much that he has received his pen licence this week!

Our Fine Diner award this week goes to Tait for being brave and starting school dinners this term!

## Pre learning

This week's pre learning/ pre viewing is:

- KS2 will be partaking in an author workshop on 19<sup>th</sup> January in the afternoon. Please look out for the mission envelope going home in books bags this week. This will be a competition with a great prize.
- If you have not already bought your copy of Goodnight Mister Tom, please can you do so this weekend as we will either be starting to read it by the end of this week or the start of the next. (see link book sticker with ISBN number)



# Dahl Class Newsletter

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January

## We hope you all have a exciting weekend!



Mrs Gilham, Mrs Foster and Mrs Bird

## Maths and English

This week in maths the children have been learning how to divide numbers using the short and long division method. Some children have gone on to some mastery maths problems related to division. See if your child can answer some short division sums at home!

This week we have in English we have started a new unit called 'Fiction From our Literary Heritage'. We have been working on 'The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe', the children have really enjoyed the story and have written descriptions and from different viewpoints of the characters.

## The Two Steves

On Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January, we have 2 authors coming to lead a workshop with the children during the afternoon and in the evening with families from 6:30pm – 8pm. The more the merrier, so come along and get ready to be entertained.

## Dahl Class Scientists

On Tuesday this week, we started our new topic on Electricity. We took part in a BBC live lesson, where we found out about circuits, insulators and conductors. We even made a human circuit! Well done to Monty our Scientist of the week this week; his observational skills were great!



## Last Chance Lost Property

Please ensure that you check the lost property box which is located in the library for any items that may belong to your children. From now on lost property will be regularly cleared out.

## World Book Day

World book day is on 2<sup>nd</sup> March, we will be dressing up so here is your advanced notice to get thinking of a fantastic, creative costume!

## Spellings and Home Learning

Just a quick reminder that spellings and home learning go out on a Friday (Spellings are tucked into the front of home learning books). Home learning is due on a Wednesday and the spelling test is on a Thursday.