



## Caston Church of England Primary Academy

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Dear Parents/Carers

We love showing people around our school and have been really pleased in the last couple of days to welcome several visitors including a local lady who is hoping to volunteer with us. If you have a little bit of time and would be interested in listening to children read, we'd love to hear from you. Reading with different people helps to improve confidence, and any opportunity to do that is great! We'd need to undertake a DBS check and 2 short references. To talk further, please contact the office.

### **Year 5 and 6 – Residential**

A reminder that the first payment is due via School Money by the end of January.

### **Dates for your Diary**

6 <sup>th</sup> February	-	Yr 5 & 6 Bikeability
13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	-	Half Term
21 <sup>st</sup> & 23 <sup>rd</sup> Feb	-	Parents Evenings
2 <sup>nd</sup> March	-	World Book Day
9 <sup>th</sup> March	-	Year 6 Crucial Crew
17 <sup>th</sup> March	-	Red Nose Day Comic Relief
3 <sup>rd</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> April	-	Easter Holidays
18 <sup>th</sup> April	-	Back to School

### **Weekly Attendance Figures 20<sup>th</sup>– 26<sup>th</sup> January**

Fry Class	-	91.95%
Nelson Class	-	93.18%
Carter Class	-	91.15%
Cavell Class	-	92.93%

Congratulations to Nelson Class for having the best attendance figures this week.

### **Parking**

Please may I remind everyone to park on the roadside with consideration for others – the space is limited but by not leaving large gaps, more cars can fit along the stretch outside school. Vehicular access to the front of the school remains for those with prior agreement, for the safety of everyone moving about at busy times.



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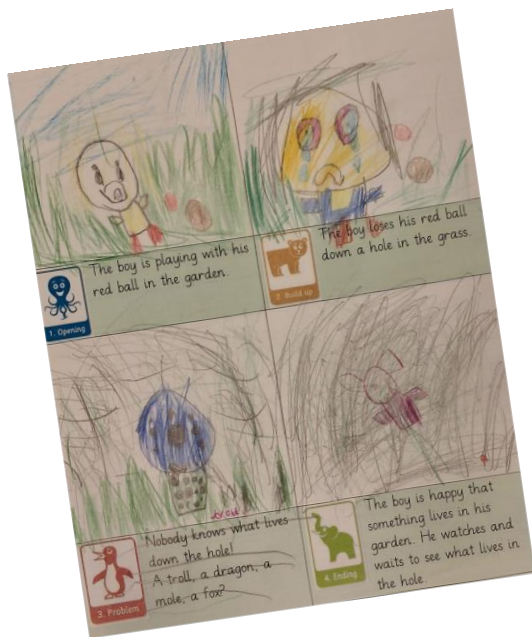
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Well done from Mrs Neale to all of her Reception Class: you've all settled back so well and made her feel really welcome. Hopefully Reception parents have all had guidance from the children on the new Phonics packs which we've made for you, to support the phonics work that we do every day in class. If you need further explanation or ideas on how to incorporate phonics into everyday situations, please do get in touch. In the meantime, please keep reading to your child and hearing them read – it helps them so much with their learning.

We've worked really hard throughout this week in English, to draw events in a story in their correct sequence. Pictured is Imogen's and Rosie's work. We love your drawings!



Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Disney  
Executive Headteacher