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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to school after the half term break. We are looking forward to another busy but lovely few weeks in the run up to Easter.

## Hummersea Vision & Values

During our PD day before the holidays, staff and governors worked together to create a whole school vision and set of values. This is to identify what makes Hummersea Primary so special and to give us a shared goal to aim towards through our curriculum and everything we do for our children. The children have contributed their ideas to this also and thought of some creative ways which we can develop these values throughout school. Here is what we have come up with:

Hummersea is a family. Together we achieve, we believe, we inspire.

Here at Hummersea, be the best you can be!

Be respectful Be enthusiastic Be resilient Be determined Be proud

We aim to instil these values throughout our school community and hope you can see these shine through in our children and the curriculum on offer at Hummersea.

# School in a snapshot

- Y5 & Y6 children had an internet safety assembly with PCSO Collins and PCSO Lynas.
- Father Adam visited school to talk to the children about the season of Lent and what that means for Christians.
- We had a visit from a paramedic this week to speak to the children about their role and why/how they became a paramedic.

## Safeguarding Updates

Just a reminder for parents coming into school on a morning to support their child with mental maths to please leave at the end via the door they came in and to not walk through the school. If you need to speak to anyone in the office, we kindly ask you to walk round. Thank you for your support.

Hometime collection - our new arrangements for children walking home at the end of the school day seem to be working well - thank you for your support in keeping our children safe. Please continue to ensure that any children in EYFS/KS1 are collected by someone over the age of 16 years.

#### Roadworks Reminder

Next week, there will be some resurfacing work being carried out on the A174 between the Job Centre Building and Stone Masons Bank starting on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February for 5 days between 9am and 3:30pm. Diversions will be in place as Station Road/Westfield Terrace will be closed during this time so please factor in some extra time for school drop off and collection that week. School can be accessed via Coronation Road.

#### Attendance

Well done to Y3, Mrs Hudspith's class who had 100% attendance in the week before half term! They will have an extra play with our new sports equipment as a reward. Any class who gets over 97% attendance by the end of the week will win the same treat and this is shared in our 'Achievement Assembly' each Friday afternoon.

Every school day matters, so please ensure your child is in school, ready to be with their friends and learning so they can meet their full potential! More information on developments with our attendance and rewards will be shared next week.

Yours sincerely,

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