



NEWSLETTER
10th November 2017
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Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

The second half of the Autumn term is now in full swing and what an exciting half term it is going to be!

- KLFM have already been into school to record the Nelson Singers ready for their 'Sleeps till Santa' campaign...we are 6 sleeps till Santa so please listen out for the children on the day ☺
- You should all have received a letter this week about our whole school trip to the Pantomime 'Cinderella' on the 18th December. **Please can I ask you to return your child's completed permission slip by Monday 13th November** as we have to confirm numbers and complete the interval snack order by Wednesday.
- We have a 'dress up' day for Children In Need (see over) and a 'dress down' day in aid of the Christmas Fair (see below) – both of which are voluntary so if your child would prefer to come to school in uniform then that's fine too!

Parent/Carer Questionnaire Outcomes – *I am kept informed about how my child is getting on*

Thank you to everyone who came along to meet with teachers this week. I hope that you found these meetings informative. You should now have a clearer picture of how your child is getting on in school and also of the next steps they need to achieve in order for them to be even more successful. If you were unable to attend this week and would like to know more about your child's progress please speak to your child's class teacher to arrange a meeting.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes

Mrs Sarah Wilson – Principal

PROMOTING PE



As part of our big plans to inspire and promote PE in school, we would love for the children to share their sporting experiences from home with us. If your child does anything sporty out of school including swimming, riding their bike, going for a family walk etc. please email in a photo that we can celebrate on our PE display in school.

Please send photos to

Lisa.Williams-Ward@nla.eastern-mat.co.uk

Also if your child takes part in any sporting competitions we would love to hear about them and to celebrate these in school too.

Friday 24th November - Dress Down Day

We would like to invite the children to come to school in non uniform for the day to help support our Christmas Fair (which will be on the 1st December from 2pm).

Instead of charging a fee, we are asking that they bring in a prize for the tombola.

This day is voluntary and if children would prefer to stay in uniform that is absolutely fine.





Friday 17th November is Children in Need Day!

All pupils are invited to dress up as a teacher and all staff are going to be pupils! Should be fun!
 In addition to this we will be following up on the huge success of 'pick a spot for Pudsy' last year. This year it will be a lucky dip, with several chances to win Pudsy prizes and other goodies. It will cost 20p per 'dip'. Each spot in the lucky dip will have a number on and the lucky numbers win a prize!

Please also remember you can donate old £1 coins .
 Every little helps!

School Dinners

To encourage children to try the new hot dinner menu, the pudding on the day will only be served with the main course. Those who have a jacket potato will receive the option of fruit or a biscuit, so be adventurous and let`s encourage the children to try our new mains!!



Friends of Nelson Academy

Dates for your Diary

There will be a 'Friends of Nelson' meeting on the 3rd Wednesday of every month:

Wednesday 15th November 2017

Wednesday 6th December 2017

Friday 24th November

Dress Down Day

(Please could children bring in a prize for the Christmas Fair tombola)

Friday 1st December from 2pm

School Christmas Fair

Whole School Attendance Percentage

Week Ending: 19th October 2017

London	92.92%	Carmarthen	93.52%
Edinburgh	92.86%	Lancaster	88.89%
Cambridge	90.42%	Keele	93.75%
Leeds	100%	Exeter	97.5%
Norwich	98.08%	Oxford	98.66%
Bristol	100%	Durham	96.53%
Warwick	93.3%	York	91.07%
Glasgow	97.5%		

Well Done To Leeds & Bristol Class



Week Endng: 3rd November 2017

London	90%	Carmarthen	97.31%
Edinburgh	99.26%	Lancaster	96.96%
Cambridge	92%	Keele	98.15%
Leeds	100%	Exeter	99%
Norwich	99.62%	Oxford	98.59%
Bristol	99.13%	Durham	95%
Warwick	98.57%	York	97%
Glasgow	99%		

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Story Café Dates – Autumn Term

Nursery – 7th December 11:15-12:00

(Morning children) & 2:15-3:00

(Afternoon Children)

Stay and Play 15th November 9:00-10:00

& 2:00-3:00

London Class – 29th November 2:00-3:00

Edinburgh Class – 29th November 2:00-

3:00

Cambridge Class – 30th November 1:45-

2:45

Leeds Class – 30th November 1:45-2:45

Bristol Class – 30th November 1:45-2:45

Norwich Class – 30th November 1:45-2:45

Carmarthen Class – 12th December 2:00-

Warwick Class– 12th December 2:00-3:00

Keele Class – 6th December 2:00 -3:00

Lancaster Class – 6th December 2:00-3:00

Exeter Class – 27th November 2.00-3.00

Oxford – 27th November 2.00-3.00

Durham Class – 22nd November 1:30-2:30

York Class – 22nd November 1:30-2:30

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible ☺

The next class assembly will be for Exeter class on the 22nd November-2:30pm