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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week has been filled with lots of conversations about doing the right thing, even when it is difficult, for our Anti Bullying Week and talking about how to keep ourselves safe in the NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe assemblies. Both things have been extremely powerful and have triggered lots of conversations about how to keep ourselves safer and who we can speak to if we feel unsafe.

Today, we helped to raise money for Children in Need, and this once again sparked lots of conversations about how the money can help lots of families. Thank you to everyone who has donated, whether that was through MCAS, or through buying a Children in Need item.

This week, our EYFS and KS1 children have begun rehearsing for their Christmas performances - I hope you are all looking forward to hearing lots of songs being sung at home during the next few weeks! The children are extremely excited about performing and showing their amazing singing, dancing and drama skills!

We also had the opportunity to look at every single year groups writing work this week, as we have been completing a whole school traditional tales unit. It has been amazing to see the progress, the improvements to writing skills in such a short period of time, and I have been particularly impressed with how many children have wanted to show me their work and talk about what they have been doing.

Next week, our children in Year Five and EYFS will be going into the 'Wonderdome'. It is set to be an amazing experience, and it will help the children learn about space and the world around us.

We also have our nasal flu immunisations next Tuesday, which will be taking place in the hall. Please ensure you have your consent form in as soon as possible.

Don't forget that Monday is our World Cup celebration day, and we will be having our special themed lunch (which can be booked via MCAS), as well as our sporting wear non-uniform/football kit. Don't forget to check which countries your child's class is attached to on our weekly diary sheet.

Please can I share a gentle reminder about nail varnish, stick on and acrylic style nails that seem to be creeping into school on a more frequent basis, we ask that children do not wear nail varnish and for health and safety they don't wear any stick on or acrylic style nails.

I hope you all have a wonderful weekend, and we will see you all on Monday!

Many thanks,

Mrs Cooper
Head of School



