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We are Outstanding!!

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Dear Parent/Carer,

On Tuesday, we had an exciting visit from members of the **Fire Service**, complete with a fire engine! The children saw the important equipment stored in the fire engine, tried on helmets and the fire fighters even turned on the sirens! The children also learnt about the work of the fire fighters and fire safety.

Reminders for all parents:

- If you have booked a school lunch on SchoolGrid but your child is then absent from school, please remember to cancel the lunch before 8.55am. This avoids parents of nursery and KS2 children being charged for a lunch their child has not had, and reduces food waste.
- If your child has sickness or diarrhea, then your child must not attend school for 48 hours after the last episode. This is a rule set by the UK Health Security Agency that we must follow.
- If your child wears earrings to school, a reminder that on PE days (Monday and Thursday) they should either not be worn (the safest option) or covered with micro pore tape or plasters for PE. Parents should please send in their own tape / plasters.

As previously notified, online **Parents' Evenings** for all children in years Nursery to year 6 are taking place on Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th February, 2.30-6pm. The links, to enable you to book an appointment, were sent out via text and email on Monday afternoon. The booking system will close at 9am on Wednesday 8th February.

As listed in 'Dates for your Diary,' we will once again be having a **Sports for Champions** event. On Friday 17th March, we will be welcoming Danny Evans, who is a British basket ball star! He will talk to the children in an assembly about his sporting career and leading a healthy lifestyle, and then he will lead the children in a sponsored fitness circuit. All children from nursery to year 6 will be involved. The sponsorship forms are being sent home today and the children will watch a DVD about the event next week. After the costs of the event have been covered, 60% of the money raised from sponsorship will go to school and the remaining 40% will go to Sports for Champions to help unsponsored athletes. Please can all forms and sponsorship money be returned to school by Monday 13th March latest. Thankyou for supporting this event.

A reminder that school closes for half term on Friday 10th February at the usual times (N, R, Y1 & Y2 at 3.15 -3.30pm and Y3, 4, 5 & 6 at 3.30-3.45pm). School reopens on Monday 20th February.

Yours faithfully, Mrs E Nayler, Headteacher

CROSS COUNTRY NEWS—Good luck to those taking part on Saturday!!

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