

# Headlines

12<sup>th</sup> March 2021



## Dear Parents

What a fantastic first week back! It has been so lovely having all the children back in school. We have been amazed at how quickly everyone has settled back into our routines. Thank you to all parents for being positive and enthusiastic about the children's return to school.

I know it was a bit shocking for some to see a larger group of people together, dropping off and picking up. However, by the end of the week we all seem to have got back into the flow of things and everyone was moving through the site nice and quickly.

In class, children have been completing some assessments so we can sort out reading books and learning. They have also been doing some great activities based on fairy stories. Well done everyone!

Have a good weekend, Mrs T L Good

## PE days Until Easter – wear kit.

Y1 Tuesday and Friday

Y2 Monday and Thursday

Y3 Monday and Friday

Y4 Tuesday and Wednesday

Y5 Tuesday and Thursday

Y6 Monday and Friday

Year R should bring their kit into school in a bag as usual.



I have been told about a local foodbank that you may want to look up and use: <https://south.unnymedecs.co.uk/>. Don't forget to ask us if you do need support.

## Cedar Tree

You will all have seen the absence of our Cedar Tree this week! The trunk will be sawn up over the Easter holidays and most of it removed from the school. We will all be very sad to see it go but are hoping we may be able to retrieve some and create something lovely.

During the felling process I asked the tree surgeons to save as many pine cones as they could for me. I am really pleased that we have one for every family! The cones are dry but have not been treated at all.

They will be given to the oldest child in each family today to bring home – I hope they are a small reminder of our beautiful tree.

## Active Sports Competition Results

Thank you to all those children and families who took part in the active challenge over the last few weeks. Some classes managed to be more active than others and this is represented in the results and prizes awarded.

The lower school prize for the most active class goes to Year One and they have won a target game for their classroom.

The upper school prize went to Year Six who win an interactive soft-tip dartboard set for use in their classroom.

The individual winners also came from these classes (perhaps because there were more entries to choose from these classes). Callie, Lennon and Oscar from Year One all won a prize. Callie and Lennon both prepared montages of video clips with the Rocky music in the background. Oscar showed what a fabulous time he had with his Dad while fishing. The final winner was Maisie in Year Six who showed us a fantastic garden obstacle course. Well done to everyone who took part.

During school we will be making sure that the children are kept as active as possible.

This week we will be holding an inter-house sports hall athletics competition.

Please make every effort to be as active as possible at home too - it is good for our well-being!

