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Dear Parents,

Whole School Assembly

Wednesday 28th January, is the first of our whole school assemblies and the theme is grammar, punctuation and spelling, which is now very high on the government agenda. There will be a talk to parents at 8.30a.m. in Class 2, showing how the new curriculum begins at Reception and develops to year 6 and the external tests. The assembly is at 9.00am and we hope that you will be able to spare some time to attend.

Class 4 Isle of Wight

For your information, the third instalment of £60 is due on 26th January and where possible, we would be grateful if payments could be kept up to date.

Dance

Currently we sponsor two children through Action Aid; one in Brazil and one in India. This term Class 2 are doing a project on India to find out more about the child they sponsor. We have invited two visitors into school, so that all the children can learn more about India. Our thanks to those of you that have already contributed towards this. I have attached a slip at the bottom of this letter for anyone who has not yet replied.

Running Club

We have decided that it would be sensible to postpone running club and review this after half term, as the weather is particularly cold and muddy at the moment.

Lost Scarf

One of our parents has kindly washed and handed a scarf into the school office, that was found outside the front of the school last week. If you think this belongs to you, please phone or email the office

School Photographs

We have heard from our school photographer, that 73% of you purchased school photos this year. We hope you were pleased with the new format and found the new ordering system more convenient. If anyone has not purchased a photograph of their child and would like to do so, it is not too late. Please speak to Lynne in the school office who will be able to give you your personal ID number if you have mislaid it.

Message from Hollie & Belle on behalf of "The School Council"

As you may know, Friday 13th March is Red Nose day. As a school council, we want to raise some money for this good cause. We are going to charge £1 for your child to wear something red. (Red Noses will be on sale beforehand for £1.00 each.). We are also having a "bake" sale so if you could possibly make some cupcakes, a cake or even biscuits, we would be grateful, (please make sure they are all nut-free). The "bake" sale will start at 3.15pm. so please come armed with some pennies to spend!

Yours sincerely

Charis Geoghegan
Headteacher

Dance Workshop/Hindu Speaker

I would like my child to be included in the Indian Dance Workshop on 4th February, and the Hindu Speaker on 17th March. Please find enclosed my £3.00 contribution.

Name of child

Signed (parent/guardian)