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The Golden Rules

₩e are kind and gentle

★ We are prepared for the school day

★ We work hard

We look after property

We listen to people

We are honest

Nursery News

The Nursery children enjoyed the soup that we made from all the vegetables brought in from home (Thank you it was delicious!) and have recently joined in with lots of 'Bear' activities -We have acted out the 'Goldilocks' story and used hand puppets to retell the story. We have collected hidden numbered bears and paired them with a matching numeral. We have also been on a bear hunt and danced with the class teddy bears. As December starts next Monday, we are now beginning to look forward to Christmas. The children have begun practising songs and making decorations. Don't forget to visit Corrie's Christmas Fair this Friday, you may have the opportunity to meet Santa!

Dates for your diary

Non-Uniform for Chocolates/sweets/cakes

Christmas Fair Christmas Disco

Christmas Assembly Year 1 upwards

Christmas Assembly Foundation Stage

KS1 Dress Rehearsal KS1 Afternoon Production KS1 Evening Production

KS2 Dress Rehearsal KS2 Christmas Production

KS2 Christmas Production Reception Dress Rehearsal

Reception Christmas Production

Nursery Christmas songs Christmas School Lunch Nursery Christmas Party KS1 Christmas Party KS2 Christmas Party

Reception Christmas Party

Pantomime (for those who have tickets)

School closes for Christmas

We would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs Williamson who donated lots of beautiful books to our school library. We will treasure them all and enjoy reading them.

Reception Uniform Appeal

Our large stock of spare uniform, underwear and socks in Reception is now completely gone. If you have any items of unwanted uniform, underwear or socks suitable for ages 3 -6 we would greatly appreciate if you would donate them to the Reception class for spares. Many Reception parents provide a pump bag with their children's own spares which is always in school. If possible please ensure your child has one. If your child does use spares from school's stock please ensure they are washed and returned as soon as possible so we can ensure we always have a comfortable change for children in case of accidents.

Friday 29th November

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Monday 9th December

Tuesday 10th December

Tuesday 10th December

Wednesday 11th December

Thursday 12th December

Monday 16th December

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Wednesday 18th December

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Thursday 19th December

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Friday 20th December

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Friday 20th December

Thursday 5th December

KS1 Parents fun with Phonics—1R, 1S, 2C, 2M

On Tuesday 14th January 2014 we will be starting a course that will show you how to help your child with phonics. The course will be 2 hours per week 9.15-11.15am and will run for 6 weeks. If you would like more information please speak to your child's class teacher or Mrs Turner Learning Mentor.

Denton Calendars

We will be selling Denton Town Twinning Association's 2014 Calendar featuring pictures of Denton, Kierspe in Germany & Montigny in France. Each calendar is £3.00 each with £1.00 from each sale going to school funds.

Message from the head

Thank you to all the parents who attended Parents evening, it was great to see so many of you around school. Lots of our children have been out representing Corrie this 1/2 term at events and as always their behaviour was fantastic. The Reception and Year 1 parents had a fun time at the 'Dough Disco' demonstration, I enjoyed reading your tweets and I am sure the children are enjoying doing 'Dough Disco' at home with you. Everyone is starting to get that Christmas feeling, singing and practicing for our Christmas shows has begun. I'm looking forward to seeing you all at the performances it's always a fantastic show. Our Christmas fair is on Friday so come along after school and have some fun. Mrs Cartledge

On Tuesday 19th November we were chosen to go to DCC to do sports and athletics. We met two students from DCC one was called Jack. They took us to the hall and we had to get in pairs, we were paired with St Stephens. Our first activity was on the trampoline a girl call Jo taught us how to do the Pike, tuck and splits in the air. We had 5minutes to show Jo what we could do! After that we went in the fitness suite, we had 10 minutes to do a fitness circuit. We ran on a treadmill, went on the bike, weights and boxing.

Later we played football, I pretended to shoot (a dummy shot) then I shot and scored and the man said "Please can you come to our football team?" and I said "yes, ok I'm coming to your school".

Finally we got a certificate and Mrs Muir said how well we all did.

Shakiel and Darhyus 5T

Year 3 Trip to the Library

On Thursday 7th November we went to Denton Library. We learnt about all the different kind of books that a library has available for the public to borrow. We were read a story by a Librarian called Vicky. She read us Pirate House Swap. After the story we were given the opportunity to choose a book for ourselves and read quietly. It was important to stay quiet so that other members of the public where able to concentrate & benefit form all that the library has to offer.

Maths Challenge at Explore Learning, Ashton

We were chosen to go to Sainsbury's in Ashton to the Explore Learning Centre for the Maths Challenge. We made different trains out of 4 or more dice. You had to co-operate with all your other team mates to do it and there was a prize for the team who made the most trains that worked. Eventually, there were 17 trains found altogether !!!! It was good fun!

Charlie & Ella 6B

Maths & Science Day at Denton Community College

One of the challenges was, we had to make rock salt into normal salt by putting it into a bowl and mashing it up. Then we went into the Maths gym, in partners where we had to see how many calories we needed to burn off if we were to eat a bag of McCoys ready salted crisps!

Ben 5T

Sports Ambassador News

We went to New Charter Academy and met an Olympian called Craig Heap. He gave a speech that was really funny and inspirational. He even showed us his leotard and did a handstand for 39 seconds! He also showed us his medals and we had our pictures taken with him. Then silver ambassadors from New Charter Academy told us how they became young ambassadors. On the way in we got a t-shirt, a hat, a certificate, a wristband and a badge. It was fantastic and we had a great time. We can't wait to share some of our ideas in school.

By Paige and Hayden. 6B

Mrs Rafferty and Tori (year 6) are delighted and very excited to say that Corrie Primary is an official drop off point for the Key 103 Mission Christmas appeal.

Tori approached Mrs Cartledge to request that we become involved in Mission Christmas because she wants every child to get at least one Christmas present this year.

At Corrie we are very fortunate that we have a small but very hard working PTA. They work hard to raise funds to ensure all the children recieve a Christmas present from Father Christmas and enjoy a School Christmas party.

On behalf of the staff and Children at Corrie we would ask you to donate a Christmas present for a very worthy cause. Please bring your donations into School and they will be distributed to the needy children of Manchester.



Please bring your present donations to KS1 or KS2.

Tori and Mrs Rafferty.



A selection of
Parents joining in
with the 'Dough
Disco'
Mrs Ethel & Mrs
Rafferty would like
to say a big
Thanks to all who
came.