



# Two Village and Mistley Church of England Primary Schools Newsletter – 20/10/23

## School Dinners

30/10/23 - Week 1

## Diary Dates

Half term: 23/10/23-27/10/23

Meet the teacher sessions:

Wk/c 6/11/23

Disco: postponed

Parents evenings: 28/11/23 &  
30/11/23

Nativity performances: 6/12/23 &  
7/12/23

Christmas Jumper Day: 7/12/23

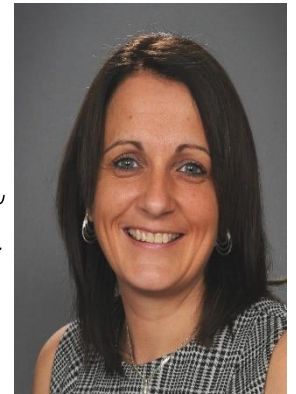
KS2 Carol concerts: 13/12/23 &  
14/12/23

Dear parents and carers,

It has been a very busy first half term. It's been lovely to see new friendships forming between the children and the children settle into their new classes. We hope you all have a wonderful half term break.

## A Warm Welcome

After the half term holiday, we look forward to welcoming Mrs Bryson, who will be our interim Headteacher, while Mr Holton is not able to be at school. Mrs Bryson is an experienced Headteacher with a successful track-record. Mrs Bryson met with the Senior Leadership Team this week and is looking forward to meeting with our children and families very soon.



## Reading Challenge

Pine - 40%

Sycamore - 50%

Chestnut - 56%

Willow - 25%

Hazel - 53%

Ash - 79%

Birch - 55%

Oak - 17%

Congratulations to Ash Class!



## Harvest Worship

This week, we gathered in worship to celebrate harvest. 'Cauliflowers Fluffy' was a firm favourite and the children sang this, as well as our other songs, beautifully. Well done to all of the Year 5 and 6 children, who supported Miss Thompson in worship with prayers and readings. A huge thank you for all of the food donations, that will be taken to the food bank.



## Science Fun

This half term, Hazel Class have been learning all about the digestive system in Science. They particularly enjoyed investigating the effect of saliva and stomach acid on the food we eat.



## Year 5/6 Squash

Year 5 and 6 have enjoyed learning new skills in squash with 'Off the Wall.' They've even put their new skills into practice by playing mini games. Some children have also been chosen to represent the school in a tournament.



## The Runaway Chapati

Following on from learning the story 'The Runaway Chapati,' Pine Class have been busy making their own chapatis. The children measured out the flour, mixed the ingredients and then kneaded the dough. They all had so much fun. Well done Pine Class!

