

Temple Meadow Newsletter

Friday 7th January 2022



Dear parents and carers,

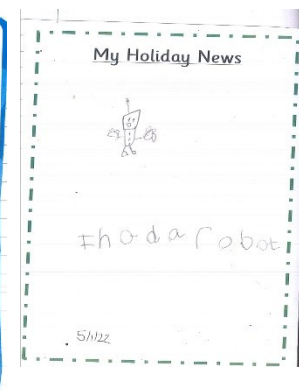
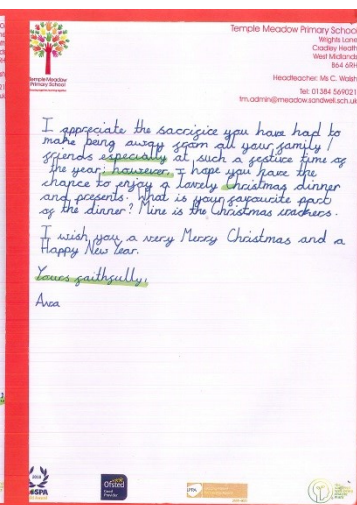
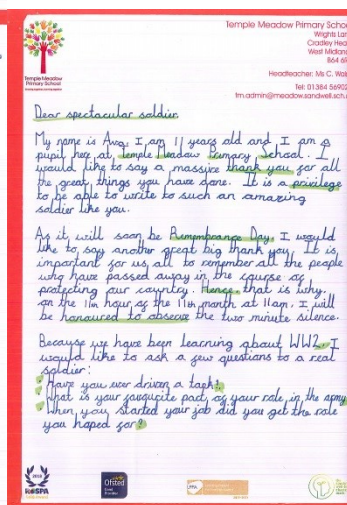
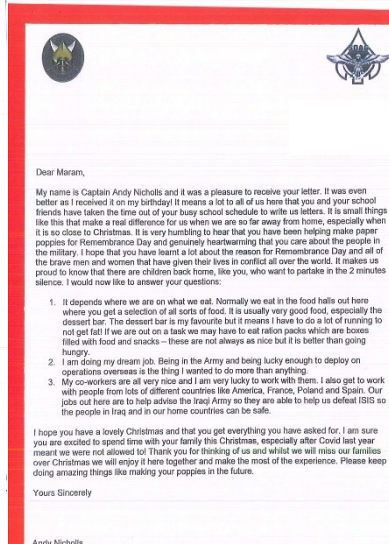
Welcome back to the Spring Term, I'm hoping you all had a really restful break and that COVID didn't spoil your plans. Unfortunately, many staff holidays were affected by COVID which is so frustrating given how hard everyone had worked in term time to keep school open.

As I mentioned in my start of term letter regarding COVID, we can expect a very disrupted term at best, especially the next couple of weeks. I am reminding you once again that only one parent/carer should be on site collecting / dropping pupils (only two families are exempt from this). We will challenge you as this is all part of our safety plan.

I have been around to all classrooms and children have settled in so well to learning. The new Class Dojo praise points that replace house points are proving to be very popular with pupils. On Wednesday, we had a virtual assembly to launch this with all children from Years 1-6.

Our new Nursery pupils have settled in really well—all credit to the Nursery Team.

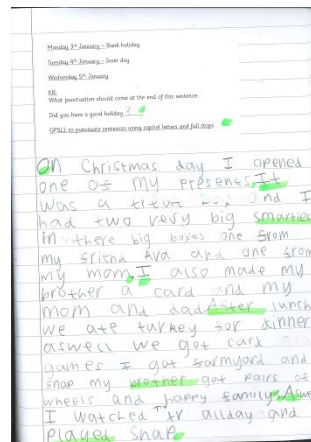
We continue to get lovely responses from British Forces overseas as part of the Year 6 writing initiative. We're showcasing some letters that were sent and received below; the children loved reading the replies.



Some lovely work

Reception have been talking about holiday news and Harrison has drawn a picture of his favourite present. Reception have also been busy learning about SuperTato. Evelyn enjoyed trapping the superhero vegetables in the classroom!

On the right you will see some lovely written work from Jessica in Year 1 about her Christmas.



Best regards and stay safe, Ms Walsh - Headteacher



Other News



Parent lite

We use the SIMS Parent Lite app to update data that we hold in school for your child.

Available on iOS, Android and via web browser, the SIMS Parent Lite app provides a convenient and accessible solution for parents to electronically review and request changes to the data held on them and their children. These changes will then be communicated directly through to the school office and our management information system will then be updated.

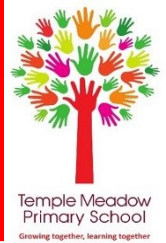
Please ensure that you check your child's information is up-to-date. It is essential that your contact information is kept up to date and it is your responsibility to inform the school office of any changes to your details.

Class DoJo

We have this week launched our new pupil reward system Class DoJo. Letters have been issued to parents via pupils this week for you to view your child's account. Class DoJo is free to use for all parents, however a premium version of the application, Class DoJo Plus, is available for parents to purchase. The premium version includes alternative reporting systems on your and allows you to view historic data as well as much more. You can see more of what Class DoJo Plus does by heading to the app.

Class DoJo also includes a messaging function. This is not monitored and should not be used by parents. All queries should be raised via our email (tm.admin@meadow.sandwell.sch.uk) or by calling the school office.

Academic Year Term Dates



Spring Term 2022

Half term holiday: Monday 21st February to Friday 25th February 2022

Term ends: Friday 8th April 2022

Easter holiday: Monday 11th April to Friday 22nd April 2022

Summer Term 2022

Term starts: Monday 25th April 2022

Polling Day: Thursday 5th May 2022

Inset Day: Friday 27th May 2022

Half term holiday: Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June 2022

Term ends: Thursday 21st July 2022

Summer holiday: From Friday 22nd July 2022

Autumn Term 2022

Term starts: Monday 5th September 2022

Half-term holiday: Monday 24th October to Friday 28th October 2022

Term ends: Friday 16th December 2022

Christmas holiday: Monday 19th December 2022 to Monday 2nd January 2023

Spring Term 2023

Term starts: Tuesday 3rd January 2023

Half-term holiday: Monday 20th February 2023 to Friday 24th February 2023

Term ends: Friday 31st March 2023

Easter Holiday: Monday 3rd April to Friday 14th April 2023

Summer Term 2023

Term starts: Monday 17th April 2023

Half-term holiday: Monday 29th May 2023 to Friday 2nd June 2023

Term ends: Tuesday 25th July 2023

Summer holiday starts: Wednesday 26th July 2023

Dates for your diary



Tuesday 11th January 2022
Reception Vision Screening Check

Thursday 13th January 2022
Year 5 Pullman Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Tuesday 18th January 2022
Flu Immunisation Mop-up

Thursday 20th January 2022
Year 5 Pullman Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 27th January 2022
School Photograph Day

Thursday 27th January 2022
Year 5 Pullman Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 3rd February 2022
Year 5 Pullman Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 10th February 2022
Year 5 Pullman Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Wednesday 16th February 2022
Parents Evening 3.30-5pm

Thursday 17th February 2022
Year 5 Pullman Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 17th February 2022
Parents Evening 4.30-6pm

Thursday 3rd March 2022
Year 5 Rosen Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 3rd March 2022 4-5pm
KS2 SATs Parent Workshop

Thursday 10th March 2022
Year 5 Rosen Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 10th March 2022 4-5pm
KS1 SATs Parent Workshop

Friday 11th March 2022-Sunday 20th March 2022
British Science Week

Thursday 17th March 2022
Year 5 Rosen Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 24th March 2022
Year 5 Rosen Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Friday 25th March 2022
Mothers Day and significant adults Stay and Play
AM Nursery and Reception—9-10am
PM Nursery—1-2pm

Thursday 31st March 2022
Year 5 Rosen Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Thursday 7th April 2022
Year 5 Rosen Swimming 1.45-2.15pm

Friday 8th April 2022
Rhyme Parent Celebration
AM Nursery and Reception – 9-10am
PM Nursery—12.45-1.45pm

Tuesday 26th April 2022
Welcomm/ Talk Boost Stay and Play
AM Nursery and Reception—9-10am
PM Nursery—1-2pm

Tuesday 14th June 2022
Decca in school
Year 2 Medicine session—1.20-1.50pm
Year 6 Alcohol and Drugs session 2-3pm

Friday 17th June 2022
Father's Day and significant adults Stay and Play
AM Nursery and Reception – 9-10am
PM Nursery—1-2pm

Friday 8th July 2022
Nursery Sports Day
AM Nursery – 9-10am
PM Nursery—1-2pm

Wednesday 13th July 2022
Year 6 Safeguarding Day

Thursday 14th July 2022
Rhyme Parent Celebration
AM Nursery and Reception – 9-10am
PM Nursery—12.45-1.45pm

Friday 15th July 2022—Nursery Graduation Day
AM Nursery—11-11.45am
PM Nursery—2.30-3.20pm

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WILD WEST LUNCH

on: Thursday 20th January

Buckaroo Bangers with BBQ Sauce

Buffalo Bill's Pizza Slice

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans

Campfire Chips, Cowboy Beans

Cavalry Coleslaw, Mixed Salad

Chocolate Wagon Wheels

Howdy Partner Ice Cream

Sheriffs Fruit Salad



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