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| **Baby and Toddler Group**We will be running a stay and play, baby and toddler group next half term. Sessions will be available on a Monday and Friday (10.30 – 11.30am). The sessions will be held in our newly refurbished nursery room. Please get in touch with the school office if you are interested. We have sent a letter home this week to families in school that have pre-school children.  | **Children in Need 19th November**We will be joining the UK in raising money for Children in Need on Friday 19th November. The children can come to school on this day in non-uniform or in their favourite fancy dress outfit. We will be having a whole school bingo event in the morning and would appreciate it if the children could bring £1 on this day to buy their bingo sheet. There will also be the opportunity to take part in special classroom competitions. |
| **Harvest Festival** The children will be having a special Harvest Festival assembly on Tuesday 9th November. We would be very grateful if every child could please bring a tin of food to school on this day and we will donate the food collected to our local Food Bank. I know that the Food Bank organisers greatly appreciate our support, as do the people who access the Food Bank. This is a very challenging time for many people in our community and together we will hopefully make a positive difference.  |  |
|  **School Parliament**In assembly time, the children have been learning about what it means to live in a democratic society. We have also held elections in class 2, 3 and 4 and the following children have been elected onto our school parliament: Esmae, Anna, Thomas F, Connor, Harrison, Eva, Logan and Thomas W. Congratulations to them all! |  **Halloween Trail**Thank you to all the families who are decorating a window in their home for our PTA Halloween trail.  |  **Eco Council** As a school, we are working hard to try and look after the environment. Every child in class 2, 3 and 4 was awarded a green Blue Peter badge in September, in recognition of the work that they have done so far. We also have a newly elected Eco Council. They are: Flora, Daizie, Olivia R, Olly, Willow, Emelia and Finley. |
| **Co-op Colouring Fun!**Congratulations to Charlie, Seb and Olivia G who were the winners of the Co-op Halloween colouring competition. The Co-op very kindly donated a treat for every child in school too!  |
| **Baby news!**We are delighted to let you know that Mrs Bradbury has had a lovely little boy called Harry. The family are doing very well.  | **Half Term**We hope that you all have a safe and happy half term holiday and look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 1st November. |
| **Nuts in School**Please could you ensure that your child/children do not bring any food items into school that contain nuts. We have children in school with nut allergies. Thank you very much. |
| **Dates for the Diary:**October Half Term: Saturday 23rd October – Sunday 31st October.Back to school: Monday 1st November.Monday 15th November: Class 2 Football Festival (morning)Monday 15th- Wednesday 17th November: Class 4 Robinwood Residential.Wednesday 17th: Online author event for class 1, 2 and 3.Friday 19th November: Children in Need Day.Wednesday 24th November: Flu Immunisation Day.Tuesday 30th November: Class 2 trip to Newcastle.Thursday 9th December: Class 1 visit to Paxton House.Wednesday 15th December: Whole school pantomime visit.Christmas Holiday: Saturday 18th December – Tuesday 4th January. Back to school Wednesday 5th January. |
| **Parent Consultation Meetings**A letter has gone home this week inviting parents to meet with their child’s class teacher after half term to have a catch up about how each child has settled and how they are progressing with their learning. Sessions are in an afternoon from 1-5pm on the following days:**Class 1: Thursday 4th November****Class 2: Monday 8th November****Class 3: Tuesday 9th November****Class 4: Thursday 11th November** |