

Lady Joanna Thornhill (Endowed) Primary School Foundation Stage Newsletter



Welcome back and a very Happy New Year to you all.

This term we will be following on from our Autumn detective work and exploring Winter. We will be observing changes and exploring ice and snow with any luck!



We will be continuing with our walks, observing changes and using the colours of Winter to influence our paintings and collages.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Fri, 10th February 6pm Friends' Cinema Night

Mon, 13th – Fri, 17th Feb HALF TERM

Mon, 20th February STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY

Tues, 21st February TERM 4 BEGINS

Tues, 28th February

YR, 1, 2 Mobile Farm (letter to follow)

Wed 5th March BOOK FAIR (info to follow)

YR Wed, 22nd March 3.30-5.30pm Parents' evening Just YR Please note -YR are available on the Wednesday and Thursday for parent appointments—not the Tuesday which is for years 1-6

Thurs 30th 3.30-8pm Parents' Evening years R—6

Fri, 31st March LAST DAY OF TERM 4

Tues, 18th April FIRST DAY of TERM 5



We will also be celebrating Chinese New Year, making some lanterns and decorations and learning some songs and dances -maybe even tasting some delicious food too!



Please ensure your child has appropriate **named** Winter wear—we do enjoy being outside but it can be very chilly!



After the half term break we will be learning about Castles, knights, Princes and Princesses in our Fairy tale themed topic.

We will be doing lots of dressing up and making our own fairy tale stories to act out and write! We will send out more information after the half term break.



A big thank you for all your contributions in the All about me books. They really are wonderful. We love hearing about the amazing things your child has been up to so please keep jotting down quick notes, or stick in a ticket or a picture!



Please could you send in any clear empty yoghurt pots for our Winter bird feeders and Winter crafts and any cardboard recycling, thank you!

