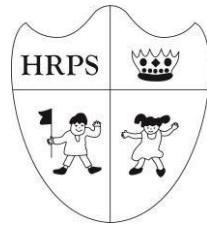


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PRIMARY SCHOOL

## January 2018

# WELCOME BACK EVERYONE!!

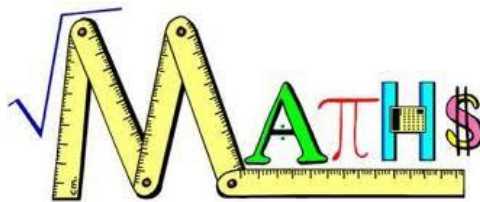
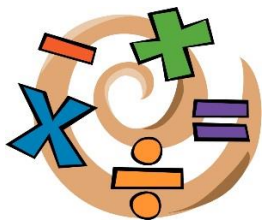
We hope that you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year and are now fully refreshed and ready for the challenges that the new term will bring.

This month's value is PATIENCE: - "The ability to wait, or to continue doing something despite difficulties, or to suffer without complaining or becoming annoyed"

We've had some new children start into our Silver Class Nursery and we would like to welcome them all to the school. We hope they are settling in to the new routines and are making new friends.

Our children are already back into the swing of things and some of the activities that have already taken place include:

A group of Year 6 children attended Chantry Primary Academy to take part in an Able Maths Workshop. The children enjoyed it and represented the school proudly. Well done to you!



Some of our Year 4 children took part in Bikeability, which is a cycle training programme run by Central Bedfordshire Council. This teaches the children practical skills and understanding on how to cycle on roads safely.



I am thrilled to report that all 9 children passed Level 1, so very well done!

SILVER and GOLD are excited that 'The Fabulous Robbie Rocket' will be coming to the school to entertain them on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018. This treat was originally arranged for Silver and Gold by the PTA but had to be cancelled at the end of last term due to an unforeseen snow day.

**Reminder to Silver Parents** - there will not be a morning session on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 and children should arrive at school for 12.15pm for the afternoon session.

Yellow Class are having a Class assembly at 2.30pm on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January and I am sure it will be wonderful. Please come along and watch your child.

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2018 we shall be holding a Mufti Day in Aid of While working towards our Gold Eco Warrior award. Blue, Green or Turquoise coloured clothes to be worn please and a donation of £1.



We have noticed that a lot of children are coming into school with UNHEALTHY snacks such as chocolate bars, cakes, crisps for tuck.

We would like to remind you that we follow the Governments' guidelines to try and promote healthy eating and are encouraging the children to bring only HEALTHY snacks into school such as fruit for Tuck. We currently hold a Healthy Eating Award for the school, let's see if we can keep it.



**THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE: -**

KS1	Percentage
Gold 1	98.42%
Gold 2	91.46%
Orange	96.00%
Green	96.65%
Purple	97.00%
<b>KS2</b>	
Blue	95.42%
Yellow	93.93%
Red	95.52%
Amber	94.74%
Emerald	87.42%
Sapphire	93.45%

**LETS GET ALL CLASSES TO THE ATTENDANCE TARGET OF 97%.**