



Headteacher: Mrs Jenny Posner

Friday 6th October 2017

Dear Parents,

Attendance and Punctuality

The Leadership team monitors attendance and punctuality on a daily basis in school and we have support from Ali Moffat from the Education Welfare Service. Mrs Moffat visited this week and was delighted with our overall attendance and punctuality for last year which was above the Jersey average, and how we have started the term very well this year. Well done to everyone! Attending school and being on time matters and makes a difference to feeling settled into school and children's progress and learning. Just a quick reminder that leave of absence during term time is only authorised in exceptional circumstances and parents are asked to request leave before booking any trips.

Sporting Successes

This week we have seen three big sporting events for the school; our first football and netball matches and the 3km Fun Run as part of the Jersey Marathon. I was hugely impressed with the attitude, perseverance and working together as a team ('together we succeed more') of all the children who have taken part. What a credit to the school and themselves! Thank you also to all the teachers and parents who have supported these various events.

Porridge Morning supporting Mary's Meals

Many thanks to all the children and parents who joined in with porridge morning. We had so many positive comments about supporting this very worthwhile charity and that it was such a lovely way to start the morning! When we have the amount we raised, I will let you know. Thanks to the House Captains for their input in assembly about the charity and to everyone who helped on the day.

Senior Advisor from the Education Department

Next week, we have our first visit from our new Senior Advisor from the Education Department, Trudie De La Haye. Mrs De La Haye will be in school on Wednesday and she supports and challenges the Leadership team in our focus on school improvement.

Have a lovely weekend.

Many thanks

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