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aiming high together*



Sutton News

10th January 2020

Headteacher's Message

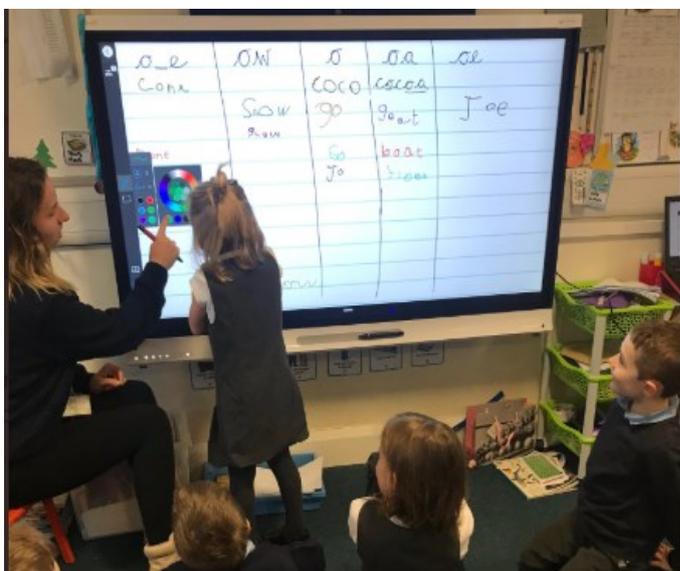
I would like to welcome you back from what I hope has been a restful and revitalising Christmas break. The new decade brings new prospects, fresh challenges and the next steps for Sutton School. The year ahead is full of exciting activities opportunities for all of our children, as we look to further develop our curriculum to ensure it is broad and exciting, and continue to provide many sporting activities such as Chance to Shine Cricket and Hockey Heroes, as well as maintaining the high levels of teaching and learning in all of our classes.

A massive welcome to Mrs Ovenden who is teaching Class 2 - she has settled brilliantly into the team and it feels as though she has always been here. The children in the class have had a fantastic first week, and every time I have visited, the room has been buzzing with learning and fun. I will keep you updated with staffing arrangements for the future as these develop.

You will have all received an email regarding handwriting in school. This is a focus for this half term, to improve the presentation of the children's writing throughout the school. There have already been some amazing improvements in all of the classes and there will be a competition for the children to enter at the end of this half term.

As part of our drive to further improve standards in school, we will be focusing on developing a reading culture in school to ensure that the children have access to high quality reading material, opportunities to increase the skills to become excellent readers, and, most importantly, develop a love of reading that extends to adult life.

Have a lovely weekend.



Diary Dates - Spring Term

* New items/changes in red *

20th January - Class 1 trip to The Deep

6th February, 9:30am - Forest Tots

13th February - Year 2 Cluster Sports Multi-Skills (Galtres Centre)

10th-14th February - Spelling Bee Week

11th February - Tempest class photos

14th February - FOSS non-uniform day, LAST DAY OF HALF TERM

24th February - SCHOOL REOPENS

5th March, 9:30am - Forest Tots

1st-3rd April - Year 5 Robinwood residential trip

3rd April - FOSS non-uniform day, LAST DAY OF TERM

HAPPY NEW YEAR

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