# **Bearnes Primary School Newsletter 22.11.19** rimary School









#### Safeguarding

Our designated safeguarding officer is **Ms Eeles** and the deputy safeguarding officer is Ms Clarke.

It is also possible to express concerns to the multi agency safeguarding team (MASH) directly on 0345 155 1071 or email mashsecure@devon.gcsx.gov.uk

#### Attendance

Attendance under 96% is a cause for concern.

Oaks-94.35%

Chestnuts-90.98%

Sycamores-87.18%

Redwoods- 89.71%

Whole school-90.55%

We are asking the children to reflect on their weekly learning. Ask them about

what they've been doing!

This week in...

**Acorns and Oaks:** "We've been learning about Percy the Park Keeper and Autumn! In Autumn the leaves change colour and fall off the trees."- Kayla

**Chestnuts**: "This week we have been writing letters to 'Bob' who is the main character in our class book. We have been learning our parts for the Christmas play too. In maths we have been adding and subtracting with money!" -Aston

"This week in Science we have been learning about electricity and Sycamores: have done a poster about it. In maths we have been doing expanded subtraction!" - Melissa

**Redwoods:** "This week in maths we have been doing multiplication and ratios. In English we have been doing reports about a Victorian Christmas." –Lily C

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### **Diary Dates**

- 27th November—Roman day for Sycamores
- 29th Nov– Link Academy Climate Change Day
- 9th Dec—EYFS trip to Pennywell Farm
- 9th Dec– Parents Forum: 9:30 am in the hall
- 10th– Christmas Play evening performance at The Avenue
- 11th– Christmas Play afternoon performance at The Avenue
- 11th—Lantern Parade
- 16th—Christmas craft fayre- 3pm
- Thursday 19th Dec 2pm- SCHOOL ENDS FOR CHRISTMAS



#### Whole School News

On Friday 29th November we are taking part in Global Climate Change day and Bearnes will be operating in 'screen free' classrooms to show children how much energy we use with screens alone. This is a really important part of the children's education in environmental issues.

Although PE is mainly indoors this term there are some elements that will be held outdoors on occasion. Please ensure that your child has jogging bottoms/leggings in their PE bags.

We are looking at the homework that the children receive and would be interested in gathering your thoughts to help us make any necessary changes. The children in key stage two have filled in their own questionnaires too. The results will be published on the website in the next few weeks. Please return them by Monday.



Attendance – Acorns Random Act of Kindness – Lucas House Cup – Teign Playground Award – Albert

## <u>Star Learners</u>

Acorns — Mika Oaks – Jack Chestnuts – Marshall Sycamores – Charlie Redwoods – Jack

