



7th December 2018

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Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

Just another 8 school days, but so much to fit in!

Thank you to all of the Reception parents who joined their children at the craft morning this week. The children enjoy these events, I appreciate you giving up your time.

We have the Friends to thank again for their hard work and commitment to raising money for the children at White House. It takes a great deal of energy and organisation and I am sure you will join me in saying a big thank you.

It was great to see the Pupil Parliament from White House working closely with the Pupil Parliament at Phoenix and the Town Farm Estate committee.

Have a good weekend,

Alun Evans

Weekly PUPAC AWARD

Reception	Jamie Lee G	Jed T	Year 3	Sophia S	Lillybea PV
Year 1	Maya Y	Sam F	Year 4	Evie N	Daisy T
Year 2	Keerthana K	Daniel A	Year 5	Jodi J	Aleisha S
			Year 6	Mary Chanel G	Olivia S

Learning Tip



Learning Tip:

Help your child learn their multiplication tables using some top tips. These include doubling and using the correct vocabulary – see more by clicking the link below:

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/advice-for-parents/times-tables-tips#>

Scholastic Book Fair

Go to <http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/white-house-bn27>



to browse the latest books and order online. For **every £1 you spend** on this month's Book Club, **our school will earn 25p** in Scholastic Rewards. **ONLY 7 DAYS TO GO!** Please place your **order online by December 7th, 2018.**

Special Visitor

On Monday this week we had a very special visitor at White House Academy, 'AJ', 101 years old, came in and visited the children to talk about her memories of WW1 and WW2. The children were totally captivated with 'AJ's' stories. Thank you 'AJ' for the wonderful memories.



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Attendance

Remember the importance.....

School	93%	Year 3	96%
Reception	91%	Year 4	89%
Year 1	89%	Year 5	96%
Year 2	94%	Year 6	94%

Dates To Remember

12th December 2018 at 3.30pm	Whole Academy Disco
13th December 2018 at 1.30pm	Carol concert at St Mary's Church
14-December 2018	Christmas Lunch
17th December 2018 at 9.15am	Christmas Performance for Rec and KS1 - see office for tickets
19th December 2018	Last Day of Term 2
3rd January 2019	First Day of Term 3

Uniform Orders - FREE Delivery

As you are aware it is your responsibility to order your child's uniform that this can be done from

<https://www.yourschooluniform.com>

FREE DELIVERY

When you order to save yourselves a little money, you can request that your order is delivered directly to the school. As soon as your order has been received by the Academy Office we will notify you of its arrival so that you can come and collect it.

Christmas Fair - FOW



A big thank you and a very well done to our Friends of White House for the spectacular Christmas Fair last Saturday.

They raised a wonderful £572

Food Bank Collection

White House Academy are taking part in the Food Bank collection for November and December and we are inviting families to send in donations to this very worthy cause by Friday 14th December 2018.

In assembly this week the children have been learning about the work of the foodbank, how it supports people in need and what types of foods are suitable to donate and how these donations can help.

For instance, if 1 person donated 1 item from their shopping each week, over 12 weeks, this would be enough to feed a family of four for 3 days.

Thank you for your continued support.

Present Room

Another very successful Christmas Present Room was arranged by Friends of White House,. This enabled the children to choose some personal gifts for their parents and carers to put under the tree for Christmas morning. This event is always met with excitement and enthusiasm by all and thank you to all that are involved in supporting it.

