



Newsletter 6 – Friday 18th December 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well, here we are at the End of Term 2. The children have had a fantastic end to the term and enjoyed performing in their first school play, even if this was a different experience to the plays we can all remember! I would just like to extend a big Thank you to all of you for providing not only costumes for the play but food and all sorts to help us to host a fabulous end of term Christmas party today! I would also like to say a big Thank you to Waitrose in Keynsham who donated 16 selection boxes for the children of Two Rivers – what an amazing community! What a shame it wasn't 17!



Pantomime!

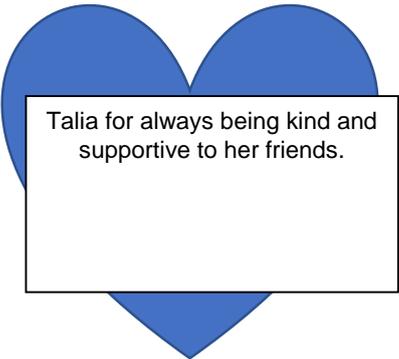
On Monday 14th December, the children enjoyed a virtual performance of the Pantomime, "Jack and the Beanstalk". The children watched it following their own performance in the morning and really enjoyed it! We are pleased that we were still able to provide a pantomime experience for the children of Two Rivers despite the times we are in.

Stars of the previous 2 Weeks

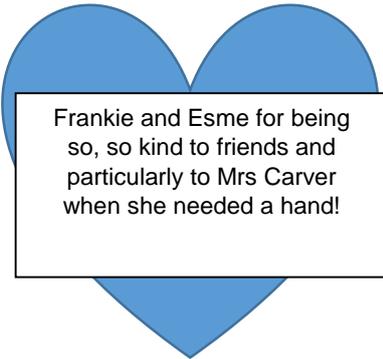
Tia for always being ready to learn.

Ariah for really showing a positive attitude to her learning

Values



Talia for always being kind and supportive to her friends.



Frankie and Esme for being so, so kind to friends and particularly to Mrs Carver when she needed a hand!

Governor appointments

Thank you to all of the parents who expressed an interest in the Parent Governor vacancies. We are pleased to announce that Rachel Parr and Ross Wolverson are our new Parent Governors and will begin to attend meetings in the New Year.

Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for a lunchbreak supervisor at Two Rivers. This post is currently for 1 hour 20 minutes a day (11:35am – 12:55pm) and involves supporting the children in eating their lunch in the classroom and supporting outdoor lunch playtime. If you are interested in the position, please contact Mrs Batchelor, our administrator and we can give you all of the application paperwork.

Forest School

The children have been loving their weekly Forest School sessions which run from 1pm – 3pm each week, come rain or shine. Please ensure that your child has their kit in school ready for each Wednesday. In January, children are going to need to wrap up so please send plenty of layers, gloves and hats. An extra pair of welly socks would be even better!

Learning next term

Next term we will be focusing our learning around Traditional tales and will delve into Goldilocks and the Three Bears, The Three Little Pigs and Little Red Riding Hood as our main texts. On the first day back, we will be making and tasting porridge with the children to link with our first focus text “Goldilocks and the Three Bears” We would like to invite children to take a photograph (on Tapestry) of their favourite bear which we can write about and display in the classroom during the first week. We will send a letter at the beginning of next term outlining the rest of our Curriculum plans for the term so that you can support your child’s learning at home. Please continue to add home learning to Tapestry as we love seeing what children are up to out of school.

Thank you to everyone for a very successful start to the school year and I would like to take this opportunity to wish you a relaxing and restful Christmas. The staff would also like to send you all a big thank you for the lovely gifts and cards you have sent in, we will take them home to open over Christmas, we really are grateful. We look forward to seeing all the children back in school on **Tuesday 5th January 2021** as Monday 4th is an INSET day.

W Carver

Mrs Carver