

Whitley Chapel C of E First School



Friday 17th January 2025

Dear Parents,

Well here we are at the end of another busy week! January is flying by already and we are back to being able to see our lovely green grass rather than the white stuff that was covering it last week ... thank goodness!

This week, as expected, our much anticipated Ofsted report dropped into my inbox and we are so delighted to now be able to share it with you! I have uploaded a copy onto our website and it can be accessed on the following link (you may have to copy it if it doesn't go to the page).

http://www.whitleyfirst.northumberland.sch.uk/web/ofsted_report/109304

This morning we had a lovely visit from 'Open the Book' and the children thoroughly enjoyed their interactive Bible session as always.



School Council

School Council met today and we chatted about our Ofsted outcome. The council have agreed to speak to their friends and to find out how they think that we should celebrate. Next week we will meet again to chat about any ideas that are gathered and then we will let you know our plan!



Reverend Andrew also continues to deliver Worship every Tuesday, either in school or at church.

Clubs next week ...

Monday (3.30pm - 4.30pm) - Art Club with Miss Ord

Tuesday (3.30pm - 4.30pm) - Multiskills

Wednesday (3.30pm - 4.30pm) - Dance with Pip

Thursday (3.30pm - 4.30pm) - Cookery with Miss Barnes

January 30th (PM) - Our Year 4 children will be taking part in a yoga and mindfulness session at Slaye First School. The session will be led by 'Kalma Minds' and will run for approximately an hour. Mrs Kellett has arranged transport to and from the venue and the children can be picked up from Whitley Chapel at the usual time.

Tuesday 11th February - Safer Internet Day



Mr Short will be running his next Forest School Session on **Tuesday 12th February**

Watch this space for more news in the coming weeks!

Baby News



We have some wonderful news for you! ...

Mrs Robinson is expecting a baby! We are all thrilled and super excited for her!

Don't worry though, she won't be leaving us just yet; she will be working up until May half term.

Congratulations Mrs Robinson!

Have a lovely weekend everyone! We will see you on Monday.

Kind regards,
Mrs Hayward.