

## Message from Miss Snow



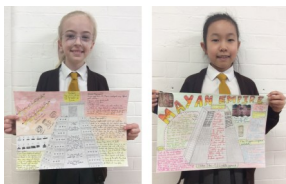
Another wet and blustery week, but we made it through — the weather has got to be on the up soon... right? Thank you for your patience on Friday afternoon while we upgraded our internet; it was certainly very quiet around school! With just two weeks to go until half term, there is still lots to look forward to, including trips and exciting activities across the school. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

## Learning

In our assembly this week, we learned about Energy Saving Week and why it is important to save energy. We discussed what we can do both at home and at school to reduce energy use and help protect the environment. Our Eco Council has been leading the way in encouraging everyone to make small changes that make a big difference. Apologies if you've found yourself sitting in the dark at home — or if your washing machine temperature has mysteriously been turned down by a very enthusiastic child!



Year 6's IPC topic this half term is 900 CE, and pupils have been learning about life in this period. Mr Bevan was extremely proud of his class's information posters on the Ancient Maya, which showed excellent research, presentation and subject knowledge. Very well done to Year 6!



## Diary Dates

- Tues 3rd Feb**—Y3 Science workshop
- Thurs 5th Feb**—Y4 London Aquarium Trip
- Fri 6th Feb**—Number Day
- Mon 9th Feb**—PTA School Disco
- Weds 11th Feb**—Y5 Park Visit
- Thurs 12th Feb**—Internet Safety Workshops & Parent workshop (all year groups)
- Fri 13th Feb**—Y6 British Museum Trip
- Mon 16th Feb—Friday 20th Feb**—Half Term
- Tues 24th Feb**—Young Voices

## REWARD ASSEMBLY

Congratulations to the following children who were celebrated in today's assembly:

3B	1. Sara 2. Ava
3T	1. Elizabeth 2. Jessica
4T	1. Skye 2. Jenson
4Y	1. Oliver 2. Ava
5B	1. Dhruv 2. Clara
5S	1. Carter 2. Theo
6D	1. Maisie 2. Callum
6T	1. Hudson 2. Thomas
Sport	Jimmy(Y4) Annie (Y6)
Attendance	6T
Kindness	Ethan (Y5)

## Happy



Hopefully by now you will have seen the Number Day sponsorship

forms that have come home with your child. On Friday 6th February, children will be taking part in a range of fun and engaging maths activities — it won't be an ordinary day at school! Last year, this event raised over £2,000, and we hope to get close to this fantastic total again, so every penny really does count. We will be sharing lots of happy faces taking part in Number Day in next week's newsletter.



## Attendance



Year 6 are leading the school for attendance this week, with 6 Turing coming out on top with an excellent 99.0% attendance last week. This means pupils in 6 Turing missed very little learning time — even a single day's absence can result in around 300 minutes of lost learning, which quickly adds up over a term.

Very well done to 6 Turing for showing such a strong commitment to being in school and ready to learn. Keep it up!



## PTA Quiz Night



## Safe



Please ensure you inform the school by 9.30am each day if your child is not going to be in school for any reason, including illness. This is especially important for pupils in Years 5 and 6 who may travel to school independently, as we need to know they are safe.