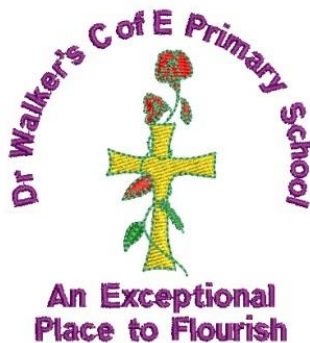


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Build Perseverance and Creativity.  
Combine Christian values with Courage and Compassion for us to become successful British Citizens.



**30th November 2018**

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**Attendance Ted will be in Caterpillars Class next week - 97.8% - Well Done!**

Please be aware that holidays taken during term time could incur a penalty to parents by the Education Welfare Service. Please see our website for the school's Attendance Policy and a copy of the letter informing parents of the possibility of incurring a penalty by taking holidays during term time.

WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS 96.0%

**December Events reminders attached**

We are now beginning a busy time of year in school, however busy it is also very exciting with lots of learning opportunities. We will be learning about St Nicholas this week and enjoying our Whole school Panto!

**Don't forget your wellies please see the attached December Events.**

**Christmas Bazaar - 7<sup>th</sup> December:** We really need your help to make the afternoon a success. Please see details below on how to help. Even if you can only help for this event we would really appreciate it!

**St Nicholas Day - Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December:** This will be an exciting day full of activities for the children. We are asking the children to dress up in their best St Nick's costumes (homemade are welcomed) At 2.30pm there will be a service at the church, all parents and carers are welcome. All children will need to be picked up from the church at 3.15pm.

**Nativity Performances** - Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> at 9.30am and Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> at 2.00pm - there will be a Christmas raffle at both performances.

**Clubs**

All Clubs end this week (Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November) and resume week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019

**Collective Worship - Ivy**

During our Remembrance Day celebrations a grandparent brought in some information about a good friend of their family to share with us. Ivy was 112 when she died and was one of 6, her brother Charlie served in WW1 and we have had the pleasure of reading one of his letters to Ivy from that time. In collective Worship this week, we read the letter again and talked about what it told us about the personalities of Ivy and Charlie. The children reflected on this and were asked to write their thoughts down in House groups. We all agreed that Charlie was brave and selfless. It was lovely to be able to share with the children a local story of how war affected families and the wonderful memories of a clearly formidable woman. Thank you to Sam's grandma for bringing these items in to share with us. The items are on display in our entrance if anyone would like to read the letter and look at the photos, the children have enjoyed doing this over the last week.

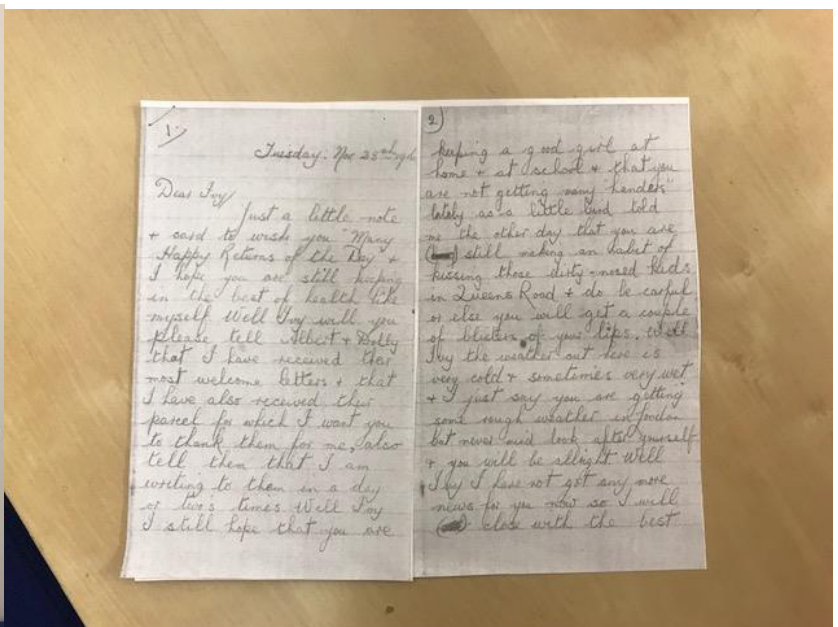
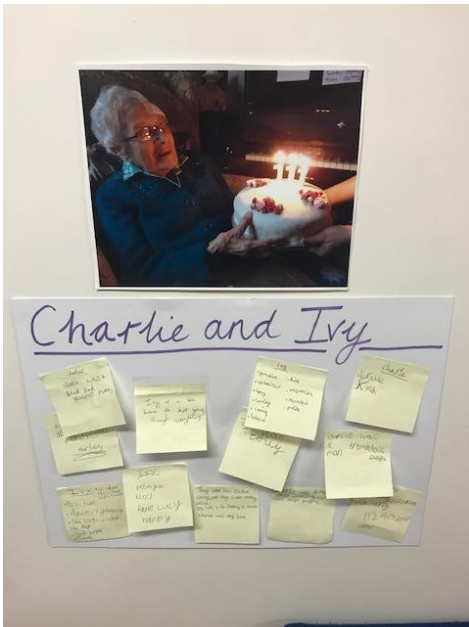


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We look forward to welcoming you to our Christmas Bazaar on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 3:20.



Dear God, as we enter the season of Advent, remind us to consider others at this time. Encourage us to share kindness every day. Amen

