

# Dr Walker's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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At Dr. Walker's School we develop **Respect** and **Responsibility**.

Build **Perseverance** and **Creativity**.

Combine Christian values with **Courage** and **Compassion** for us to become successful British Citizens.

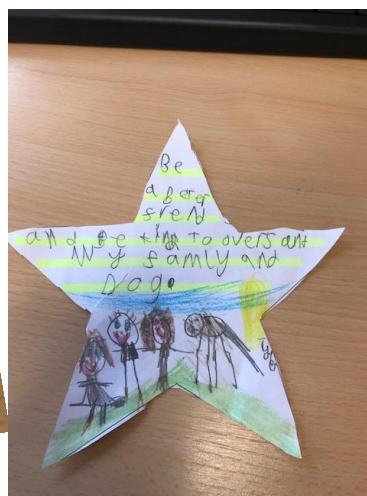
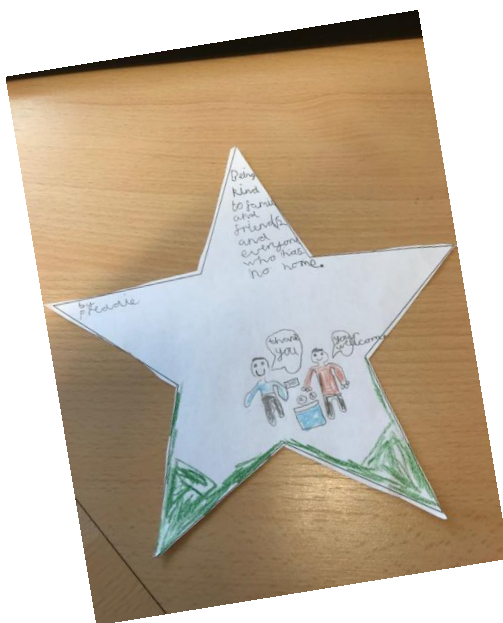
Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year to you all and I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas time. I am delighted to be at Dr Walker's and have very much enjoyed meeting the children and staff. I look forward to meeting you on Thursday, if you can make the tea party.

On Wednesday it was lovely to meet the children and I enjoyed our first ever assembly together, we spoke about New beginnings and rather than what we could give up for New year, we thought about what we could do more of. The children were enthusiastic and eager to share their kind and thoughtful ideas and it was a real pleasure. All the children have made a little promise to themselves to do over the next year, please see below for a few examples.

I am looking forward to embracing my new role as Headteacher and hope that we can all work together to make Dr Walker's an exciting, stimulating and safe place for children to learn.

Mrs Larkin



## Dr Walker's Happy Helpers

Would you like to help at events in the school? Have you got some free time to help raise funds for the school? We are looking to create a group of helpers who will be called upon to help with school organised events. Cheryl Fry (Parent/School Netball coach) has been asked to coordinate this group for the school. The organisation of events will be done by the school with the support of the Happy Helpers.

Please contact Cheryl Fry on 07932 325750 if you would like to go onto the list of Happy Helpers.

## Clubs News

Clubs start again next week except for Netball which starts again on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January. Arts & Crafts Club will not be running this term.

Mr Watts will be running paid clubs for Year 4/5/6 Football and Year 2/3/4 Dodgeball this term - please collect an application form from the School Office for either of these clubs.

## Dates for your diary

- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> January - Meet the Headteacher Tea party - 3.15pm
- Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January - Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February - Parents evening 4.00-7.30pm (letter to be sent out shortly so you can book your preferred time)
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January is **National Winnie the Pooh day!** Please encourage your child to have school dinner as we will be having a special Honey sponge to celebrate. During our dinner together we will be thinking about all of the characters and how we are like them. Mrs Larkin is a Tigger! What character would you be?

