### Tottenhall Infant School

<u>Issue:</u> Autumn 2 Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024







Hello from Zaheen,

I am happy to hear from Colette that the school attendance is presently at 95%. I want to thank parents and carers for ensuring their child/ren are in school to learn. Missing learning can have an impact on your child's outcomes and their wellbeing. We would like to continue to work with you to ensure the attendance at Tottenhall continues to improve. Any holidays during term time will not be authorised and if your child is off due to illness please ensure to inform the school office.

Have a lovely half term break!

Dates	
11.11.24	Individual Photographs
13.11.24	World Kindness Day
13.11.24	Parent Consultations
14.11.24	
15.11.24	Children in Need
21.11.24	Year 2 Library Visit
25.11.24	Nasal Flu Vaccine
3.12.24	Rock Steady Concert
13.12.24	Christmas Jumper Day
16.12.24	Movie Night

#### **On Line Safety Tip**



Parental controls can help keep children and young people safe online by preventing access to harmful content, managing time spent online and who your child communicates with. To be most effective, parental controls need to be set up on all devices your child accesses.

https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-childrensafe/online-safety/parental-controls/



Water is essential. Without it there would be no life on Earth. It is important to use it responsibly and to look after our water sources.

Never run the tap when brushing teeth.



















Thank you to all the parents and carers in reception who were able to attend the information meeting on Evidence Me and Mathletics. For those of you who were unable to attend the information will be made available on the school website. Parents do need to fill in a consent form before you are able to have access. If you need a copy of the form then please request this from the class teacher.



# School Uniform

It is important that your child has the correct school uniform and PE kit on. If on the occasional day your child is not in the correct uniform for a good reason, this needs to be communicated with the class teacher.

Plain Black school shoes should be worn and black trainers/plimsoles for PE.

## School Shoes

#### P.E Shoes



School uniform plays a key role in promoting pride, self-confidence, and a feeling of belonging within the school.

Children are not allowed to wear colourful footwear and footwear with lights.











Kerry from Enfield Foodbank visited us this term to talk about food parcels for the most vulnerable people in our community. Thank you to all the families who donated food and to the school council who helped Kerry take the food to the vehicle.



We have been learning about Diwali and why it is important for some people. Did you know that Diwali celebrations can last for 5 day!





We wish Happy Diwali to all those who are celebrating it over half term.



# Owls

Year 1 have been drawing pictures of owls using metallic pens. We were very lucky to have some owls visit Tottenhall this week. We watched them fly, listened to information and had a photograph taken with the barn owl.











The photographs of the children with the owl will be made available soon. We will let you know when they are ready for you to purchase.



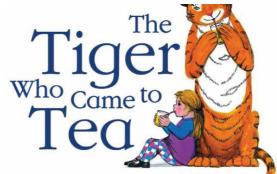














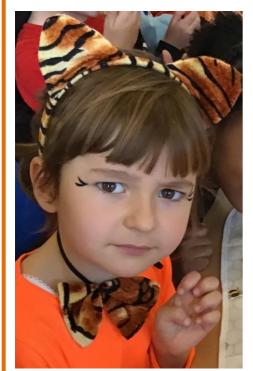






In year 1 the children have been reading the book 'The Tiger Who Came to Tea' by Judith Kerr. They planned and organised their very own tiger tea party.

There was lots of delicious food to eat and lots of happy tigers!





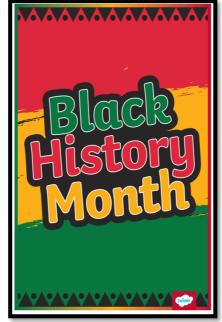














This week we have been celebrating Black History
Month. Black History Month has helped us learn about the contributions and achievements that black people have made in the past and present.





