

MAPLE CROSS NEWS

10TH JANUARY 2020

Check out the blog for more photos and information. All dates on the school calendar.

KS1 & 2 PARENT CONSULTATIONS

A separate letter will be sent next week. Please book appointments to discuss your child's progress and targets for the spring and summer term.

Thank you for working together to ensure your child achieves their very best.

TEA WITH MRS T

It was wonderful to welcome more learners to Tea with Mrs T this Friday. Each Friday, learners from across school share learning and discuss the attributes they demonstrated (check Twitter for photos)

Reception – Libby
Year 1 – Amelia
Year 4 – Lacey

LEARNING TALK

Welcome back to a new term, in a new year and new decade. A fresh start offers us all the opportunity to set new goals and aims. This week in assemblies we have discussed new years resolutions and the power of tackling new challenges. Class teachers are working with all pupils to ensure they push themselves to achieve their very best.

Class teachers are also sharing a new approach to marking with the children and you will see changes in their books when you visit during the open classroom later in the half term.

Ms Hannah Trickett

OPEN CLASSROOM

Please come and join us on Wednesday 29th January, after school, to review learning with your child/children. Their books will be out on display so they can share their progress with you.

LIBRARY GRANT APPLICATIONS

We received some very exciting news that our grant application has been successful and school has been awarded £8500 to redevelop our library.

Big thank you to Ms Wildman who drove the application. We are looking to complete the next application to redevelop the pupil's toilets.

THANK YOU!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND DONATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY. WE RAISED £136.40 FOR SAVE THE CHILDREN.

WE HAVE ALSO COUNTED OUR COLLECTING TIN FOR ESSEX AND HERTS AIR AMBULANCE WHERE ALL SPARE CHANGE GOES. A TOTAL OF £134 HAS BEEN SENT.



*What do our learning words mean?
How do they help us as learners?*

Anti-Bullying Month

This week in assembly we asked the children to explain what happiness is. We looked at different images and shared examples of what happiness looks like to us. As a family please discuss these images and identify the signs of happiness. Talk about what makes each of us happy.

