



7th February 2020
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Dear Families and Board Members,

Well, we have one week left of this half term! We've had a wonderful time so far with many exciting activities planned for the remainder of this term. Remember to keep an eye on our school website where you can find lots of information and photographs celebrating the exciting things which take place within and beyond our school.

<https://www.walbottlevillage.newcastle.sch.uk/website>

Y2 Multi Skills Event

The children in Y2 attended a multi skills event at Walker Dome this week with Mrs Peverall and Mrs Brown. They participated in a mini tournament playing against other local schools, practicing their balancing, teamwork and fitness skills.



Fundraising for Freddie

Our children were invited to come into school wearing non-uniform or blue today, as this is Freddie's favourite colour! Thank you for the kind donations and to our school council for organising Friday for Freddie.

We will let you know how much we raised in due course.



Operation Encompass Drop In

As part of our ongoing work with Northumbria Police and Operation Encompass we are hosting drop-in sessions for parents and families between 2.30 - 3.30pm on Friday 14th February & Thursday 26th March.

If you are suffering domestic abuse or have concerns for others we invite you to come along to the drop-in session and have discussions with specialist safeguarding experts who will be able to talk in a confidential environment. You will be able to speak to one of the specialists who can offer you advice, referrals for help or to help keep you and your children safe.

The officer attached to our school will be delivering a session on empathy and emotions to our Year 3 and 4 children earlier in the afternoon on both days.

If you have any further questions about the drop in session please email
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Attendance

Our attendance figures this week are as follows:-

Nursery – 88.3%
Reception – 89.1%
Year 1 – 93.3%
Year 2 – 97.9%
Year 3 – 95.4%
Year 4 – 96.9%
Year 5 – 92.7%
Year 6 – 94.6%

KEY DATES

12th Feb – Reverend Allison assembly
14th Feb – Operation Encompass Drop In Session
2.30 – 3.30pm
14th Feb – Break up for half term
24th Feb – Staff training day – school closed to children
25th Feb – Children return to school
4th Mar – Class Photographs
26th Mar – Operation Encompass Drop In Session
2.30 – 3.30pm

Kindest Regards
Mrs A. Oliver
Head Teacher