



Thomas Eaton Primary Academy

19th October 2020



Dear Parents and Carers

It has been a busy half term. We have been really impressed with the majority of our pupils who have settled back into the school routine very well. We finish for Half Term on Friday 23rd October and School re-opens on Tuesday 3rd November.

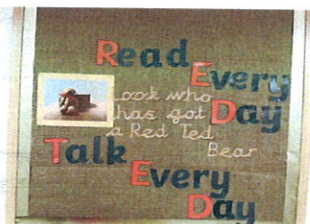
I hope that you all have a restful break but would urge you to remind the children that they still need to complete their Maths Whizz and their reading practice.

This week we have celebrated children who show superb manners and positive behavior at lunchtimes. They are; Oliver A, Amelia A, Charley P, Winter J, Elliot C, Zico P, Finley J and Harriet F. Well done all of you!

Reading



All children at Thomas Eaton are encouraged to read daily at home and we have several initiatives to motivate them. Our older children read books and complete quizzes using Accelerated Reader and this enables the child to know how many words they have read. We have a Leader board in school and children receive weekly certificates.



Our younger children are encouraged to read daily in order to secure their very own RED TED.

Y6 Secondary School Applications

The process to apply for secondary school for next September 2021 is now open and will close on the 31st October 2020. Parents will receive their offer on the 2nd March 2021. Parents will need to log into the Citizen Portal to make their application. This is the link to the Cambridgeshire online application process:- <https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/children-and-families/schools-learning/apply-for-a-school-place/secondary-school>

Free School Meals

In order to check if your child is eligible for a free school dinner and to register please check at www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals

Christmas cards



Please return your orders for Christmas cards with your child's unique design by Thursday 22nd October.

Thank you

PTFA

You should have received a letter from the PTFA outlining their events. The first event will be their Halloween Trail during the Half Term.



Parking

Please can I take this opportunity to remind you all that we do everything to keep the children safe. The visibility outside the school is difficult in the mornings with lots of cars parked.

There should be NO parking on the yellow zig zags! Even if you are only dropping your children off please do not park on these lines as it is dangerous for the children. Thank you.