HUNSDON JMI SCHOOL

Dear Parents/Carers,

A very warm welcome to the Spring Term; may I take this opportunity on behalf of the staff of Hunsdon School to wish you all a very happy and healthy New Year and to thank you for the many kind gifts received at the end of the term.

Coming soon

'SHOW AND TELL' ASSEMBLY - All parents are invited to attend these assemblies that begin again next week, **Friday 12**th **January** at 2.45pm.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING AWARENESS DAY – Monday 22nd January – We're hosting CORAM again for a special PHSE day, focussing on health and wellbeing. Each class will visit the special inflatable classroom and work on tasks, appropriate to their age, relating to keeping themselves safe and healthy.

YEAR 4 PE DEVELOPMENT DAY – Wednesday 24th January – Our Year 4s will be spending the afternoon taking part in a festival of sport at Wodson Park.

TV OR FILM CHARACTER NON-UNIFORM DAY – Thursday 25th January – We would love to create a sensory room to help support children's mental health in our school. To that end Mrs. Bone has created a very special day designed to raise money for the creation of our very own Sensory Room. Mrs. Bone would like your children to dress as their favourite TV or Film character and bring in a £2 contribution. She would also like to make you aware that, from mid-January we are one of the project options in our local Tesco stores so, if you shop in Tesco's, please do put your token in our slot!

FEELING GOOD WEEK – 5th – 9th February - *Feeling Good Week* is a Hertfordshire-wide event that encourages schools and the wider community to promote children and young people's emotional wellbeing by raising awareness of mental health.

SPORTSHALL ATHLETICS - **Wednesday 7**th **February** – **1.00pm** – **3.30pm** - A team from Cedar class go to Wodson Park to take part in the small schools athletics meeting. Unfortunately, we're not allowed to take spectators, but I'm sure that you'll wish them every success from a distance.

WORLD BOOK DAY – 8th March – The theme for dressing up for World Book Day this year is 'Little People, Big Dreams' and we would like everyone to come to school dressed as the adult they dream of becoming!

PARENT CONSULTATIONS – Our Parent consultations for this term will be on:

Thursday 21st March – Reception, Years Rec, 1, 3 & 5 Wednesday 27th March – Reception, Years Rec, 2, 4 & 6

Appointment letters will be sent out nearer the time.

Yours sincerely,

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Mr. J. Millward Headteacher

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

January 2	2024
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4 th January		INSET Day SCHOOL CLOSED
5 th January	8.45am	Spring Term starts
12 th January	2.45pm	Sharing Assemblies begin again
15 th January		Clubs start
18 th January	3.00pm	Football and netball games start again
22 nd January		SCARF PHSE sessions
24 th January	1.00pm	Year 4 Development Day at Wodson Park
25 th January		Non-Uniform Day in support of a Sensory Room

February 2024

5 th – 9 th February		Feeling Good Week
7 th February	1.00pm	Years 5 and 6 Sportshall Competition
19 th – 23 rd February		Half Term

March 2024

7 th March	1.30pm	Girls' Football Tournament
8 th March		World Book Day – 'Little People, Big Dreams'
18 th March	9.30am	Netball tournament
19 th March	2.00pm	Ash Class Performance
21 st March	3.30pm	Parents' Evening Years: Rec, 1, 3 and 5
27 th March	9.30am	Football Tournament
27 th March	3.30pm	Parents' Evening Years: Rec, 2, 4 and 6
28 th March	1.45pm	Spring Term Final Assembly
28 th March	2.30nm	End of term