



Sunnybrow News

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It's lovely to be writing to you this Friday without the fear of being blown away! What a storm that ended up being last week! This week, we have been celebrating Chinese New Year and the year of the snake. Every class shared the story of Chinese New Year and how the order of the animals



was chosen. Then, the children made lucky money wallets and enjoyed some Chinese food.



Across school, Class 3 have been started their new History topic on the Romans. They looked at why the Roman army was



so powerful and successful then had a good go at recreating some of the Roman army's different tactical battle formations including, 'the tortoise', 'the wedge' and 'the triple line'.

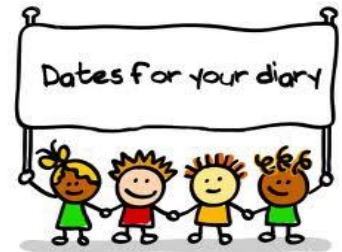
Class 4 have begun their new Music topic:

Musical Theatre! This one is proving very popular amongst the children. They explored the history of musical theatre from opera to modern musicals and watched clips of lots of different types of musical. Then, they tried to put the different types in chronological order.



Pupil Success

Last weekend, our pupil Ruby Blackburn competed in her second Taekwondo competition and she won, being awarded a gold medal! We are all so proud of her success! If any of other children do anything out of school, please do let us know!



Wednesday 29th January-Chinese New Year celebration

Monday 3rd February-LGBTQ+ Month & Children's Mental Health Week

Friday 7th February-Wear PJs for school day

Tuesday 11th February-Safer Internet Day

Thursday 20th February-St. David's Day celebration

Friday 21st February-School closes for half-term

Thursday 1st May-School Closed for Polling Station



School attendance for the Week:

Class 1: 98.8%

Class 2: 94.4%

Class 3: 100%

Class 4: 90.0%

Safeguarding:

Worried about a child out of school hours?

Charity Bag Collection

Thank you to everyone who donated items for our charity bag collection. We raise £44 to go into our fundraising pot!

Valentine's Disco

We are holding a Valentine's disco on Thursday 13th February from 3.30-4.45pm. Tickets are £2.50 per child and children can bring their party clothes into school in a named bag and will have time to get changed before the disco. Please complete your child's form and return with the money in a named



envelope if they would like to attend by Friday 7th February.

Online Safety

Big and difficult feelings are part of growing up but they can be easier to handle with guidance and support. This week's National Online Safety guide offers expert advice on helping youngsters develop emotional literacy.



- If a child is in **immediate danger or at risk of immediate harm**, you should contact the **Police on 999**.
- If you are **concerned** about a child you should share your concern with the **First Contact Team on 03000 267 979**.
- You can also contact the **NSPCC** for advice on **0800 800 5000** or email help@NSPCC.org.uk
- If you have **non-urgent** information about the safety or welfare of a child to share with the safeguarding team at Sunnybrow Primary School please contact **Mrs Sim** on 01388 746 413 or sunnybrow@durhamlearning.net

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Headteacher's Award for the Week: Roman-James

Rosie The Rhino: Ruby

| | Class 1 | Class 2 | Class 3 | Class 4 |
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| English | Ivey | Rosie | Bailey-James | Jaiden-Lee |
| Maths | Leo | Charlotte | Henry | Joe |
| Exceptional Talent | Ivey | Gracie | Cody | Jake |
| Citizen | Catherine | James | Rosie | Dexter |

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| Dojo | Oscar | Carson | Ruby | Elena |
| Honest | Empathetic | Ambitious | Respectful & Resilient | Trustworthy |