NEWSLETTER

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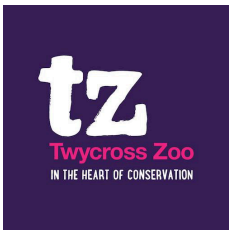
Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn Term! We hope you all enjoyed a relaxing and enjoyable half-term break and had the opportunity to spend some quality time with family and friends. As always, our school is so busy and this week we have had the Book Quiz first round, a visit to Twycross Zoo and Non Uniform day to gather some supplies for our Christmas Fayre!

Our recent Open Day for prospective Reception families was another great success. It was wonderful to welcome so many new families into school and showcase what makes our school such a special place to learn and grow. Thank you to all those who attended. We look forward to welcoming many of you again soon. Applications open on 12th November 2026.

There is plenty to look forward to in the weeks ahead. Our newly elected School Council is eager to begin its work and will be leading their first event, Children in Need, next week so look out on Class Dojo for that information. Next week our Year 5 and Year 6 pupils will complete their annual Remembrance Walk, and on Wednesday we will be marking Remembrance Day with a school-wide minute's silence.

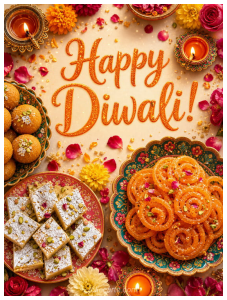
A reminder that Parents' Evening will take place next Thursday. This is an excellent opportunity t meet with your child's teacher, celebrate their achievements and discuss their progress so far this year. And, of course, our much-loved Christmas Fayre is just around the corner. Please see the flyer at the end of the newsletter including information on booking a stall if you would like one.





Thank you for supporting our Poppy Appeal this week. We have been delighted by the support from our school community. A limited amount of poppy merchandise is still available and will continue to be sold in school until Remembrance Day on Wednesday. We wish all families attending Remembrance events this weekend a meaningful and reflective time as we honour those who have given so much in service to our country. Lest we forget.





We would also like to wish all members of our school community celebrating Diwali this weekend a very happy and peaceful Festival of Lights. May this special time bring joy, prosperity and happiness to you and your families. Thank you for your continued support. We wish you all a wonderful weekend.



Mrs Darby, Headteacher

Class Dojo



This week's winners were: 1/2B and 3/4P

Well done to these classes!

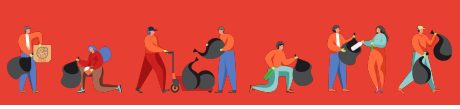
Attendance



The winning class this week is 5/6H with 100%

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The winning year group in Y3/4 was Year 4 and the winning class this week is and 5/6H!



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SCHOOL UPDATES

Game4Reading Book Quiz

This week, our Game4Reading Book Quiz Team took part in the first round of the competition, competing against Christ Church and St Michael's. The quiz was incredibly challenging, with some very tricky questions, and the scores remained close throughout the competition. After a fantastic team effort, D'Eyncourt finished with an impressive 55½ points. We then faced a nervous wait to find out whether we had secured a place among the top nine schools in the city. We were delighted to receive the news yesterday that we have qualified for the semi-finals next week! We are incredibly proud of the team's hard work, knowledge and determination. Keep an eye on Class Dojo next week to find out whether we make it through to the final. Congratulations to the team!

School Christmas Fayre

Get into the holiday spirit with us on Friday 27th November from 3:30pm to 5:00pm! There will be festive fun, treats and gifts galore. Interested in running a stall? We have spaces available for hire - just contact our school office for details! Don't miss this chance to be part of the festivities and support our school community!

D'Eyncourt's Got Talent

What a fantastic way to end the half term! Our talented pupils took to the stage for D'Eyncourt's Got Talent and what an amazing afternoon it was. We were treated to a wonderful variety of performances, including singing, dancing, gymnastics, musical theatre, piano playing and even a performance of the periodic table set to music! A huge congratulations to all of our performers for showing such confidence, courage and talent in front of their peers. Every act was unique and entertaining, and we were incredibly proud of everyone who took part. The event was a real highlight of the term and showcased the incredible talents we have at D'Eyncourt. Well done to everyone involved in making the afternoon such a memorable success!

Year 5/6 Visit to Twycross Zoo

This week, our Year 5 and 6 pupils enjoyed a fantastic educational visit to Twycross Zoo. The children had a wonderful day exploring the zoo, learning about a wide range of animals and their habitats, and taking part in activities that supported their classroom learning. Throughout the visit, the pupils were a credit to the school. Their behaviour was excellent, and they demonstrated enthusiasm, curiosity and respect at all times. Staff and members of the public commented on how well-mannered and engaged our children were throughout the day. We are incredibly proud of everyone who attended and would like to thank the staff and volunteers who helped make the trip such a success. Well done, Year 5 and 6!

Dates for your diary

November 2026

10th - Y5/6 walk to Heath Town Memorial for Remembrance
11th - Remembrance Day - 1 minute silence in school
11th - Y5/6 Game4Reading Book Quiz semi-final on Teams
11th - Year 5 group visiting Moreton for Dance Workshop
12th - Parents' Evening - 3.30-6.30pm
13th - Children in Need day (see Class Dojo for details)
16th - Odd Socks Day for Anti-bullying week - wear odd socks!
20th - Flu Vaccinations - catch up session
25th - Year 5 group visiting Moreton for Music Workshop
27th - D'Eyncourt Christmas Fayre - 3.30- 5pm
30th - Year 1/2 visit to Edgmond Hall for Countryside Christmas

Celebrating Success

Rebecca, Mila-Rose - Swimming

King. Roman, Jaxon H - Football

Kian- Kickboxing

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HEALTH & WELLBEING

Brightening the Darker Days

Looking after our mental health and wellbeing

You're not alone

As the nights draw in, the mornings get darker and the weather gets colder, it's not unusual for our mood and motivation to take a little dip. We might feel more tired, less energetic or find it harder to get going.

This is sometimes called the winter blues, and for some people, the change in seasons can have a bigger impact.

The good news is... there are lots of little things we can do to help ourselves feel brighter, more positive and ready to take on the day!

6 little ways to brighten your day

1 Get outside and enjoy some daylight

Even when it's cold, try to get outside during daylight hours. A short walk, playing in the garden or simply getting some fresh air can help lift your mood.



2 Keep moving!

Exercise isn't just good for our bodies; it's brilliant for our minds too. Dancing, playing a game or having a little kickabout can release feel-good chemicals!



3 Keep a routine

Try to keep regular sleep times, get dressed, eat balanced meals and have things to look forward to. A routine can help us feel more settled and motivated.



4 Stay connected

A chat with a friend, a family board game, a phone call or spending time with someone you love can make a real difference.

5 Find something to look forward to

Give yourself little things to get excited about. It could be a favourite film, baking something together, starting a new hobby or planning a treat!



6 Be kind to yourself

Not every day has to be brilliant. It's okay to feel tired, a little grumpy or less motivated sometimes. Take things one step at a time and celebrate the little wins!

A little reminder for our families...

Children pick up on how we feel, so make time to talk about your emotions. Ask your child how they are feeling, listen without judgement and remind them that all feelings are okay.

Our little challenge...

Find your daily dose of **HAPPY!**

- ☐ **H** – Help someone.
- ☐ **A** – Appreciate something around you.
- ☐ **P** – Play, move or get outside.
- ☐ **P** – Pause and take a little time for yourself.
- ☐ **Y** – Your favourite thing – make time for it!

Remember...

You don't have to make every day amazing. Sometimes, just finding one little thing that makes you smile is enough.

Let's look after ourselves and each other as we head into the darker months.

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SAVE THE DATE

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CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Friday 27th November 2026

3.30pm–5.00pm

If anyone would like to have a stall at the fayre, please contact the school office on

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1 stall for £15 or 2 for £25