

"Together we can"

Fakenham Primary Federation

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Be the best YOU can be

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Dear Parents/Carers,

This time of year is an exciting time. I am sure many of you went 'trick or treating' with your children during half term, we have just had 'Bonfire Night' which this year seems to be stretching over two weekends and before you know it, we will be up to our necks in Christmas – the shops already are! The best way to help children through the next couple of months is to try and keep as much normal routine as possible. When you can, keep mealtimes and bedtimes the same, do the normal run of the mill things like phonics and reading practice – these things ground the children and will make life easier for you and us.

Saying that, our Friends and HELPS have arranged discos over the next couple of weeks at each school. These are fun for the children but take organising and support from adults to happen. Thank you to the parents who are taking the lead on the disco's, those who have already agreed to help and the staff who are giving their time up too – especially on a Friday after a long week.

Next week is Children in Need, further information has either already been sent out or will be by each school. This is a charity we like to support – we know all the children love 'Pudsey Day'.

Keep your eyes open for the dates of any events coming up. We have reading cafés, maths cafés, Early Years trails and then all the Christmas stuff - the Friends and HELPs Fayre (see attached flyer), Nativities and performances at FINS, the Y3 Christmas Cafés, and the Christmas lunch days. It is such a busy half term – we also have lots of teaching and learning to do too.

I hope you have good weekend,

Regards,

Adam Mason

