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DREAM

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*A message from
Mrs Tweed*

This half-term our Year 6 representatives have been leading Friday Assembly and sharing the words 'Dream Big, Aim High and Shine Bright'. This is our vision for all children at Ditton Lodge. Every day, this vision is seen in every classroom as the children give 100%, ask questions and soak up new learning. This week our Year 6 visited classrooms and gave each class feedback to support their learning and attitudes even further. It is lovely to see our older children in the school blossoming with this responsibility and leadership opportunity.

Just to remind you that this half-term finishes on Thursday 15th February.

Enjoy your weekend.



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This week our class spotlight is on Year 2

In maths this week we have been looking at multiplication and division. The children have been super at learning their 5x table and using this to help with dividing by 5. They have begun to write calculations using the correct symbols. In English the children have written a letter to HRH King Charles III inviting him to our 'Proud' assembly. We really hope he replies! In DT we have been looking at the best materials to use to make a hat. We then tested these to find out which absorbed water and which were waterproof. We found tinfoil and plastic were the best! Year 2 have given 100% this week. We are so proud of you all.



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This week our subject spotlight is on Art

We have been working very hard in Art this term exploring printing, painting and textiles. In the Reception class, the children have designed towers for Rapunzel and mirrors. Pupils in Year 1 have been printing using every day objects and stencils. In Year 2, the children have learned how to mix primary colours to form secondary colours. Rollers and printing ink have been introduced into Year 3 and the children are enjoying printing onto different textures. In Year 4, the pupils have enjoyed tie dying and have produced some beautiful designs. Using rollers has been taken a step further in Year 5, where the children have printed in 3 different colours. In Year 6, pupils have learnt to refine their printing and textiles skills even further.



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Attendance



This week's Year Group Attendance

Reception: 94.84% Year 1 - 91.64% Year 2 - 93.93%

Year 3 - 97.67% Year 4 - 96% Year 5 - 97.69%

Year 6 - 99.26%

Whole School Attendance - 95.86%



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House Points

This Week's House Points Winner is :

Palace House - 1865

Tattersalls House - 2010

Severals House - 2035

Hyperion House - 2105



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Diary Dates

Friday 9th February - pm - PTFA Popcorn Night

Tuesday 13th February - Year 3 trip to Wandlebury Country Park

Thursday 15th February - Coffee and Connect Morning - 9.00-10.00 am

Thursday 15th February - Zones of Regulation - 2.50 pm

Thursday 15th February - Last day of Term

Friday 16th February - PD Day

Monday 26th February - First day back to school



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PTFA NEWS

*We look forward to seeing those of you that have purchased tickets for our
Popcorn Night this evening.*

Children are welcome to come in their pyjamas.

Don't forget to bring a teddy!

KS1 - 4.30-5.45 pm

KS2 - 6.00-8.15 pm

Our next disco will take place on Friday 1st March. Further details will follow next week.