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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back and Happy **New Year!**

It was lovely to see all the children settle back into school routines so quickly on Wednesday. They seem to have all had a

good rest after a very busy autumn term and are ready for all the exciting challenges of the term ahead.

Notes for your diary

15 th January	Deadline for Reception September 2017 application
7 th & 8th March	Parent/ Teacher Meetings both sites
30 th March 7pm	Internet Safety Meeting For Parents and Carers

STARTING RECEPTION CLASS IN SEPTEMBER 2017

If your child is due to start in Reception Class in September 2017, you must ensure you apply by 15th January – NEXT WEEK!

You must apply online to the borough in which you live. You **must also** fill in a supplementary form **if you are applying to this school** or any other faith school (you will find this on our web site).

If you need Father Emeka to sign your child's supplementary form this can be arranged after he returns from holiday in February. **Please make a note of this on the form and ensure it is handed to the school office by 15th January 2017.**

If you need any help with completing either form please ask the office staff. They will be happy to help you. If you need access to a computer we can also help you with this.

If your child is in the nursery you must still fill in both forms to apply for a place in Reception Class.

Christmas Card Recycling!

Please do not throw your Christmas cards away as our Eco Reps will collect them for recycling, so drop them off in the designated box which will be in the school office area.

Don't forget we also recycle postage stamps, batteries and used pens.

Dinner Money Y3-6

The amount for this half term will be £56 (4/1/17 – 10/2/17)

After School Clubs

Don't forget to return your selection forms to the school office.

Reminders – New Year Resolution

As we are beginning a new year we are targeting some areas for improvement throughout the school. Please support us in ensuring that policies are adhered to so that we can make sure there is consistency for everyone.

Lateness: Please ensure that your child is in school ready to line up with their class in the playground each morning.

Packed Lunches : If your child brings a packed lunch to school, please ensure that it complies with our school policy. You will find this in the Parents' information section on our website.

Haircuts: Please ensure that your child does not have an 'Extreme hair cut' or one involving lines/patterns being shaved. Please see our school policy in the Parents' information section on our website. The beginning of the school summer holiday is a good time for such hair styles as they can be grown out before returning to school.

Uniform : Please ensure that your child adheres to our uniform policy.

PE Kits : Please ensure that your child brings their PE kits to school.

More detailed information can be found on our web site page: <http://www.swcps.lewisham.sch.uk/parents/uniform/>

Visit to see the Mayor

As part of our work developing pupil voice, 3 children from our St Winifred's Primary School Council were selected to represent the school on a visit to Lewisham Civic Suite to meet the mayor, Sir Steve Bullock, today. They had a wonderful time quizzing the Mayor with their questions, experiencing the Civic Suite and representing the school in an outstanding manner. Well done!

Another example of the importance of pupil voice in our school:

Carrot cake is back on the menu at the junior site!



First Communion Programme 2016/17 - Our Lady of Lourdes , Lee

The next session is next weekend on Saturday 14th January at 10:00am prompt. Children in the church and parents in the hall – teas and coffees will be available from 9:45am. We will be covering Chapter 7, Peace.

Attendance & Punctuality for this term

Total late 27 throughout the school. Well done to Rec B, 4/5L and 5T with no late pupils.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Lates</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Lates</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Lates</u>
Reception C	89%	1	Year 2T	89%	3	Year 4K	91%	3
Reception B	97%	0	Year 2F	95%	2	Year4/5 L	96%	0
Year 1 A	91%	1	Year 3U	98%	3	Year 5T	97%	0
Year 1 R	94%	3	Year 3A	93%	4	Year 6M	92%	2
						Year 6F	92%	5

Have a good weekend

Margaret Hanrahan