Mundesley Infant and Junior School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

New Year Reminders

Happy New Year! We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break and enjoyed some special time with family and friends. We're excited to welcome everyone back to school and are looking forward to a fantastic term ahead. To help everyone get back into the swing of things, here are some important reminders to keep in mind.

Reporting Absence

If your child is absent, please inform the school before 9:20 AM. Absences not reported by this time will be marked as unauthorised. To notify us, leave a voicemail at **01263 720401 (option 1)** with your child's name and the reason for their absence.

School Uniform

The next uniform ordering deadline is **Friday, 14th February** . Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather. As winter often brings rainy weather, we encourage children to go outside come rain or shine (except during very heavy rainfall). Over the last half-term, we have noticed that some children are going outside during break and lunchtimes, resulting in their trainers and socks becoming wet. To help prevent this, please ensure your child has suitable clothing, including waterproof coats and wellies. Some families find it helpful for children to bring wellies in a separate bag, enabling them to play on the field during wet weather.

Free School Meals & Pupil Premium

Families receiving certain benefits may qualify for Free School Meals, subsidised school trips, additional sports clubs, and other activities. To apply, you can either request a form from the school office or complete the application online.
Note: Eligibility applies regardless of your child's year group, and benefits may include discounted trip prices.

Lunch Orders

Please remember to book your child's lunches in advance. Lunch orders close every **Sunday at 6:00 PM** for the following week.

Coastal Club & After-School Activities Timetable

- **Monday**: Cooking Club
- **Tuesday**: Craft Club (painting, drawing, seasonal crafts)
- **Wednesday**: Construction Club (Lego, box-building, hands-on projects)
- **Thursday**: Games Afternoon (board games, darts, pool, table football, and more)
- **Friday**: Scoop Ball Friday

Children who prefer not to join the main activity can enjoy alternative quiet activities, such as colouring and drawing, ensuring there's something for everyone.

Correspondence & Key Dates

Visit our website's **Latest News** section for updates on letters, important dates, and Facebook posts. Additionally, you should have received a **"Dates for the Diary"** sheet to keep on your fridge for quick reference.

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If you have any questions or need further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact the school office - we're here to help!

Yours sincerely,

Sophie Bugg
Head of School MIJS