

## Key dates: Spring Term

Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2022	Happy New Year! Return to School
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2022	Class 4 McCartney Class Assembly
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> January 2022	<b>Coffee and Chat Café (9am-9.40am)</b>
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2022	Class 2 Churchill Class Assembly
w/b 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	Parents' Evening (School Cloud or Face to Face)
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	<b>Coffee and Chat Café (9am-9.40am)</b>
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2022	<b>Class 1 Sharman Class Assembly</b>
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	<b>Class 4 Lennon Class Assembly</b>
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022	<b>Coffee and Chat Café (9am-9.40am)</b>
w/b 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Assessment Week
w/b 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Experience Easter
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	<b>Class 1 Morris Class Assembly</b>

**New Year:** This morning in Assembly we started the year off watching a small portion of the New Year Fireworks that marked the start of 2022. We used a story called: **'What If'** by Samantha Berger. 'What If' is about realising your own creativity and being determined ... **determination** a great value. We thought about New Year's Resolutions and being determined to achieve our own hopes and dreams. **Resolutions to make our lives better and the lives of others better.**

Have you made a New Year Resolution? Are you determined to achieve it? Ask your child what they thought their resolution should be and how they are going to achieve their hopes and dreams.

**Staffing:** Staffing is a nationwide issue. At Northway we are working hard to try to use internal staff to cover when Class Teachers / TAs are unable to be in work. At other times we source supply staff that we trust. I want to reassure you that each class is carefully planned for and that a full curriculum offer will always be taught. I am very much looking forward to a time when staffing arrangements settle!

**What to bring to school:** Children come prepared for school each day in full uniform, their iPad and maybe a lunchbox. Sometimes children try to bring in 'extra' things that may not be helpful for their day. Could parents please check that items coming in to school...are meant to be brought in and not something that is being sneaked in! Thank you.

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# NEWSLETTER



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## Notes from the Headteacher's Study



A new year...

Happy New Year! I hope you had a good Christmas break and were able to do something special, without Covid getting in the way.

It was a real delight seeing the children return this morning, **smiling and ready** for the new term.

On Tuesday I attended a meeting for Primary Headteachers to discuss the detail in the latest Government Guidance relating to Covid. We have reviewed our processes and risk assessment in light of this. As you may be aware, most of the guidance changes were for Secondary Schools.

- **Ventilation** is the main line of defence for primary schools. Classrooms will 'purge the air' regularly and ensure a constant flow of ventilation is maintained throughout the day.
- **Visitors** to School are to remain at an 'essential and needed' level. This allows professionals, therapeutic intervention and small parental meetings to carry on as normal.
- It is also still highly recommended to wear a **face covering** where social distancing cannot be maintained.

If you have any information or results to share related to Covid, please contact school via our Office rather than SeeSaw. This way we can keep your information confidential.

Let us hope this is a new term, filled with hope and realised potential for everyone!

Mr Hargreaves  
HEADTEACHER