Newsletter No5

Dear Parents and Carers.





As you may know our new classroom was internally remodeled as phase 1 of our building project during the summer break. On Monday we will start phase two which is the building of a new single story extension area to provide a new staffroom and library area. We anticipate these areas to be ready for use in January 2017.



Next week we will be having our first Brilliant Book Week of the year! Each class will be working all week on activities and lessons all based around an exciting text. We have taken a range of 'Brilliant Books' by award winning children's authors and used them as cross-curricular themes to plan for depth of learning. The themes help teachers to plan Basic, Advancing and Deep (BAD) activities for the learning objectives and milestones in our Essentials Curriculum.



Autumn Selfie

There is still plenty of time to get outside and enjoy the natural environment by tweeting us your autumn selfies to @westhorndonprim and @shonettebason use the hashtags #autumnselfie #spreadthehappiness



Next Thursday 6th is school census day during which information is collected about our school. **We want to encourage as many pupils as** possible to have a school dinner on that day as it means we will benefit financially in the future.

We will therefore be having a special superhero themed menu! (not a dressing up day just a special lunch). All pupils in years R, 1 and 2 are entitled to a free dinner every day and we really encourage you try them. On Thursday we will be offering the children in years 3,4,5 & 6 the chance to have a school dinner for just £1 on this day (Thursday 6th) to try the special menu. Yours sincerely

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