



# SKEGBY JUNIOR ACADEMY

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Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who supported Children in Need today; we will let you know how much we have raised as soon as possible. Also, thank you to everyone who has donated raffle and tombola prizes for our Christmas Fair, we really appreciate your generosity. If you still have a prize to donate, please send it into school with your child or leave it at the main office.

Aspirations Day was a great success, it was amazing to see the children all dressed up for the *World of Work* and talking about the different career paths and the skills they will need.

## **Non-Uniform Day**

On Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December we will be having a non-uniform day; the children will be able to wear whatever they like, in return for a donation of a bottle (full) to use as a prize at our Christmas Fair. Bottles could include wine, bubble bath, pop, sauce etc. Thank you for your support with this.

## **Christmas Raffle**

Once again, we will be holding our Christmas raffle; children will be bringing home a separate letter and some tickets to sell, if possible, shortly. Tickets will also be on sale at the Christmas Fair and the draw will take place on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December. We really appreciate your help and support with our raffles, all proceeds are given back to the children as part of our enhancement programme.

## **Mrs Chipp**

Mrs Chipp will be leaving us on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December to begin the next part of her career as a Group Support Worker for JUNO Women's Aid. I am sure you would like to join with me to thank Mrs Chipp for all her hard work and to wish her good luck in her new job.

## **Spellings**

As you are aware, we no longer send spellings home for children to learn for a spelling test. However, we feel it would be beneficial if parents knew the spellings their child was working on in school so Class Teachers will be sending them out on Class Dojo from next week.

## **Bedrock Vocabulary**

Firstly, I would like to apologise for the late launch of Bedrock; we really have had technical difficulties way beyond our control! Mrs Boyle and Mrs Warren have been extremely persistent and I am pleased to tell you that Bedrock is now ready to use! Class Teachers will be contacting you with further details.

## **Diary Dates**

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** – Non-uniform day, please bring a bottle for the Christmas Fair.

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Fair – details to follow

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Jumper Day

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December** – Pantomime performance in school

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Party

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December** - Christmas dinner for Years 3 and 4



**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December** - Christmas dinner for Years 5 and 6

**Wednesday 21st December** – The Academy closes for Christmas

I hope you all have a lovely weekend. I look forward to seeing the children on Monday.

Kind regards,  
Mrs Marples.  
Principal.