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Dear Parent,

Happy New Year to you all! I hope you've had an enjoyable Christmas and I'm sure you're pleased that School has started again.

Over the holiday we have had a reception window installed at the furthest entrance so that parents/visitors call there to see the Lower School Secretary in the first instance.

I would like to say thank you from myself and on behalf of Anne Wignall to all those who sent in donations for the Food Share initiative. We managed to collect over 150 items of food – thank you very much for your support.

At the end of a busy week, I'm sure there will be a lot of tired children this weekend so I hope you all find some time to rest and rejuvenate.

### **This week:**

Pupils have got back into the swing of things this week and many will be moving on to new sports this term. Different bits of sports equipment may be needed so it's a good idea to check mouthguards, long sports socks, etc. are in kit bags and named ready for next week.

It was lovely to see pupils awarded for their academic endeavours in the Whole School and Lower School assemblies this week. We also awarded Peter Brown, Florence Hughes, Maddalena Salmoiraghi, Leo Salmoiraghi and William Donaghy their ABRSM certificates for their recent musical instrument examinations.

Year 7 have been bringing in their Geography competition entries and we should have the winners announced in assembly, next week.

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## Next week:

Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Football 8-a-side Tournament
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Eucharist Pizza and Prayer 12.30-1.30
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	PHSE Year 7 – talk on puberty with Sister team Netball U9 v Prestfelde Youth Engagement Team – West Mercia Police – online safety talk for Years 7 & 8

## Reminders

Please could you make sure that all uniform and sports kit is named as well as coats.

Sister has asked me to mention, as now is a time for colds and flu, if any child has a temperature they should stay at home until they are feeling better.

Yours sincerely,

*S E Morgan*



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