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Thursday 7th March—come dressed
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Friday 15th March
Non-uniform Day
£2 donation includes a
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Dear Abbeys' Families

School Newsletter: February 2018

As we break up for half-term holiday today, I hope all families get the chance to have some relaxing time together next week. We have a teacher training Inset day on Monday 25th February, and school will re-open for the second half of the Spring term on **Tuesday 26th February**.

We hope that the worst of the winter weather may be behind us now, and well done to all those children and families who made it into school in the recent snow. As some of you may be aware, the School Closures section of the Milton Keynes Council website crashed on that morning, as thousands of parents and school staff tried to access it without success. It is always worth checking the homepage of our own Abbeys website at www.abbeyprimary.org, where we will post updates as soon as any decision is made regarding school closures. We can also send a text message to your mobile phone, so please make sure we have your most up to date contact numbers.



By now you will have received a copy of the final report from our Ofsted inspection which took place on 29th and 30th January. We're pleased that the hard work we put in every day towards achieving the best possible outcomes for the children was recognised by the inspection team in our overall judgement of Good. Many thanks to those parents and pupils who completed the online survey or spoke to an inspector to share their views of life at Abbeys. Although a very small number of parents shared individual concerns, overall feedback was really positive.

National Safer Internet Day was marked in school last week, with all classes taking part in awareness-raising activities about keeping safe online. Our Year 6 children were lucky enough to be able to take part in the interactive Safer Internet Day sessions offered by the Bletchley Park schools' computing team.

Visit the Parent page of our school website for more information about safer internet use for children, at www.abbeyprimary.org



Best wishes

Mrs Sophie Good, Headteacher



We value good communication between home and school, so please continue to share any relevant information with us about your child, including through use of the Home-School Planners. However, please be aware that if you need to speak to your child's teacher at the beginning or end of the school day, the teacher's first responsibility is to get the children into class in good time at the morning bell, or see them all out safely at 3.15. It may be more convenient to make an appointment to talk to a member of staff, including myself, and you are welcome to do this if needed.