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Week 21,

I can't believe it's Half Term already! It seems as though Christmas has only just finished and here we are, first Spring Term complete and half way through the academic year! So, this also adds as a reminder that next week is the **February Half Term Holiday** which means that the **school will be closed** to all pupils. We will see them **back at school on Monday 23rd February** 2026 at normal time.

We had a lovely event to celebrate this week and many parents came into the school to help us do so. It was the annual Art Gallery where the children's work was displayed in the hall for everyone to see. This year we had a mix of Art or Design and Technology projects to showcase to you all. It was lovely to hear that so many parents had enjoyed the children's fantastic work, I managed to get a sneak peek this morning when we took each of the classes to see all of the work.

Our first week back after Half Term is a particularly busy one... on Friday with two fantastic events for our Year 3 & 4 children. Firstly, we have the **Year 4 Assembly on Friday 27th February at 9.15am**. This will be a great opportunity for the parents to come and see the children perform on a topic that they have been learning about. Please come and support your children! On the same day, Friday 27th February, Year 3 will be having their annual sleepover where they come back to school at 7pm and have an enjoyable evening playing games, watching a film and (hopefully) going to sleep in the comfort of the Main Hall! (Although judging on prior experience, not much sleep is had!) Hopefully you all signed up for this as the information was emailed to parents last Friday.

Some dates for your diary:

- Children return from half term break on Monday 23rd February
- Starting Monday 23rd February Y6 Mock SATS Week
- Friday 27th February Year 4 Assembly
- Friday 27th February Year 3 Sleep over
- Monday 2nd March Starts World Book week, with dress up day and the Reading Café on Thursday 5th March
- Science Week starts is 9th - 13th March
- Comic Relief Friday 20th March (More details to follow).

I have noticed that the alleyway between Trinity Street and Holtwhites is not completely blocked, but it still might be as the building work continues. Reminding you all again, cars can drive up and down Trinity Street, it is starting to get lighter so drivers can see us but if you and your children are walking in the road or a child rushes unsupervised into the road on a bike or scooter it is an accident waiting to happen.

Wishing all of our families a great Half Term Holiday! Enjoy whatever you are doing and we will see you when the days are even longer and hopefully the weather a bit warmer (or at least not raining)!

Stronger Together,

Miss Scull