



## (Some) of what's been happening this week

- **Welcome back!**
- **An unusually quiet start to the year. The children have quickly settled back into Learning, Love and Laughter.**
- **Swimming has started for Y2, 3 and 4. Please ensure you have made your contribution to transport via Parent Pay.**



- **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January – School Census Day.** As the funding for our KS1 Universal Free School Meals is calculated from the number of children having a school lunch on this day, all KS1 children will be given a school lunch on this day. You are welcome to supplement this with a packed lunch. Children with particular dietary requirements will be catered for in the usual manner and we will of course not expect them to have a school lunch if they are unable. School lunch on Thursday 16th will be Burger Day, alternatively there is a choice of Jacket Potato, Pasta or a cheese/ham/tuna bap. Many thanks for your support with this.
- **Whilst we have moved to not having cash in school we have decided that for charitable donations to our various causes over the year we will make an exception and children will be able to bring in cash donations only.** We feel that this enables a better understanding from the children's perspective in terms of taking part in the physical act of giving. Our first charity day will be led by Copper House and will be on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January. Copper have asked that children donate to Australian Koala Foundation to wear their pyjamas to school for the day.
- **Miss Barker and Miss Jorey have requested that if anyone has any types of buttons and pieces of material that could be used for weaving and/or white material for printing they would be very grateful for any donations.**