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Dear Parents/Carer

Happy New Year!

Welcome back to a New Year and term. I would like to thank you for all your support at the end of last term. We had so many events taking place during the last few weeks which were all supported exceptionally well!

Parents' Evening

Our Spring Term Parents' Evening will take place take on Wednesday 24th February. We will be sending letters out closer to the date for booking appointments. If there are any immediate queries or concerns please let us know.

After School Clubs

Please look out for the new After School Clubs booklet. We are pleased to offer a range of new clubs this term. Street Dance and Zumba fitness will be added to the list of existing clubs.

Wakey Shakey

Also look out for the return of 'Wakey Shakey' later this term. This will be a chance for parents and children to participate in a weekly morning keep fit programme.

And finally.....

Gentle reminders

Attendance and punctuality

All pupils are expected to be in school on time as learning across all year groups starts promptly. All children are expected to be in school for the official start time of 8:45am. It would greatly help all teachers (and pupils) if everyone was in on time so that learning is not disrupted by late comers.

In line with Government Policy and our School Attendance Policy, we are **not able** to authorise any request for holidays during school term time. Please see the Attendance Policy for further details and possible consequences of this. I am happy to clarify any request of absence with you.

Please look at the school website for diary dates and information about the school. This is usually updated weekly and all main events are listed on the website. Don't forget to follow us on twitter @VicParkAcademy and @TheSpiceAcademy

As always thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Avnish Dhesi Head of School















