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Congratulations to our Gold Star Children this week who are:

Reception: Caitlin for amazing progress in her writing. She has worked so hard!

Y1: Shea for excellent written work this week.

Y2: Finley for super effort all week. Well done, keep it up!

Y3: Macy for great attitude to work.

Y4: Antonio who has had an excellent week and a great attitude towards learning.

Y5: Amy for persevering with her maths work to master short division.

Y6: Saoirse for an excellent effort and big improvement in her work in English this year.

Gabriella Field who has achieved a GOLD certificate for Athletics.

Snow: well done to all parents and carers who battled through the gridlocked traffic to get the children to school on Wednesday. Many of you arrived late, but on such an occasion that didn't matter, you made it to school - only three children didn't make it! All the staff made it as well – some travelling from as far as Bridgnorth and Aldridge! Also thanks to Maggie and Denise who had pathways cleared at both entrances by 8.00am – no mean feat!

In case of further bad weather, when there might be a need to close the school any announcement will be posted on the main Dudley council website www.dudley.gov.uk and broadcast on local radio stations (Free Radio, Heart and WM).

Skipping Day: will take place on Monday 19th January. Please make sure your child has their P.E kit and pumps in school. If you haven't sent the contribution of £1 it can be sent in on Monday. Skipping ropes will be on sale after school and all next week priced at £4.

E-Safety for parents: this is such an important issue for all parents. Please complete the slip on the end of the separate letter (which was sent out earlier this week), to book a place.

Study Plans: changes have been made to the way we present curriculum information to parents and carers. This is available on the school website under Study Plans in the Children section. There you will find information for each year group for whole year plan. Due to the length of these documents we will not be sending home paper copies: anyone who has difficulties in accessing these should ask for assistance at the office.

Cycle helmets: if your child has out-grown their cycle helmet and it would fit a reception class child, we would appreciate it being donated to school.

Dates for your diary: has now been sent home. Please note that school is closed for staff training days on Monday 2nd February and Friday 13th February.

Sainsbury's vouchers: we are once again collecting these vouchers. It's great (and very unusual) to get something free, so please send any vouchers into school.

School Fund: Just a reminder that this term's school fund is now due at £6.50 or £19.50 for the academic year.

After School Activity Clubs for the next half term: *please note these clubs run from 3.30-4.30pm and children are to be collected from the main school playground.*

MONDAY: Netball Y5-Y6

TUESDAY: Football with Ace Coaching Y1-Y3

WEDNESDAY: Gymnastics Y1-Y4 **NOW FULL**

THURSDAY: Streetdance with Ace Coaching Y1-Y4

Enjoy your week.

S. M. Mason