



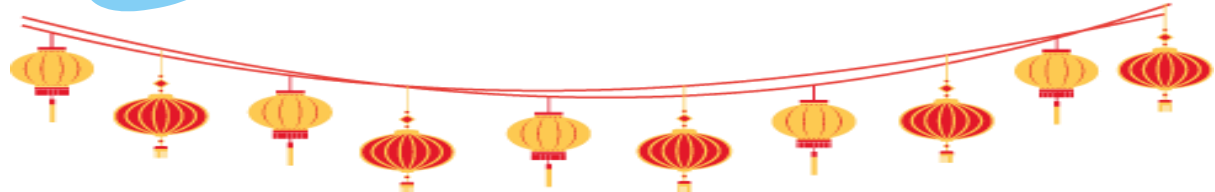
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Dear Parents,

Next week, people around the world will be celebrating Chinese New Year. To join in the celebrations, Richmond is planning a day of learning and fun activities centred around China and the Chinese New Year in the form of our latest school-wide House Team Challenge Day. This will be held on **Tuesday 1st February**

In the morning, children will be working in House Colour teams to complete activities including practical creative tasks which we are sure the children will love learning about and exploring as well as some sport by taking part in Winter Olympic style activities (the Winter Olympics is of course being held in Beijing this year). As well as this, children will be learning more about how Chinese New Year is celebrated around the world and there will even be a special Chinese-themed school dinner on offer (Chicken Chow Mein / Vegetable Chow Mein / Chinese Chicken Curry all served with either plain or egg fried rice and an ice cream dessert).

On this day, children should come to school in their PE kit, with their House Colour top. Please do remember that we encourage warm kit in winter, so leggings, jogging bottoms, fleeces and sweatshirts are very much allowed.

To encourage children to get learning straight away, we are having a special Homework Competition in the week building up to this challenge day. Every child in any year group can enter, from Nursery to Year Six.

We encourage your children to be creative and explorative as possible to produce a piece of homework about China and their understanding of Chinese Culture, Chinese New Year Celebrations or, the Winter Olympics. So get creative! The homework can take any form you– art work, poetry, posters, fact sheets... you decide!

There will be prizes (as well as house points) for the best entrants in every year. Your child can bring in homework right up to Tuesday 1st February.

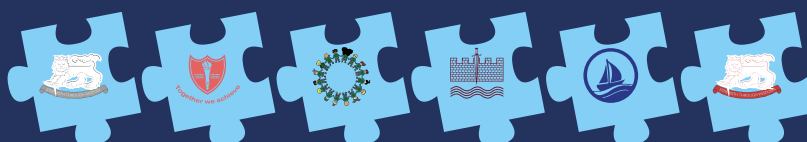
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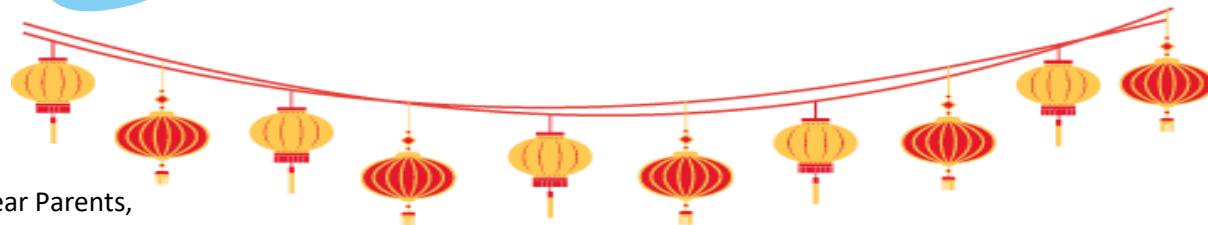
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