

Friday 18th January

Dear Parents,

Phonics

Thank you to all the parents who attended the phonics meeting. We hope you found it useful! The presentation and all the support materials referenced can be found on the Reading section of the school website. If you weren't able to attend or have any further questions, please feel free to find me before or after school.

The action cards to accompany the phase 2 and 3 sounds are also on the website, and I will endeavour to get the phase 5 sounds up as soon as I can!

Spelling

I have had a few queries raised regarding spelling practise. I understand it can be difficult to find the time at home, especially after a long school and work day! I have managed to squeeze in short sessions a week for the children to practise during the day. This will be independent, in a 'look, cover, write check' format.

I will also be running a small spelling practice club on a Wednesday morning from 8.30-8.45am. This will be helpful if you think your child might need some more targeted support. To ensure this time is used most effectively, I will be limiting numbers to 5 children to start with. Please let me know if you are interested.

Laudato Si

St Catharine's are currently responding to the Pope's invitation for everyone on the planet to care for our common home.

In Brook class we are making a video message, sharing our eco-friendly New Year's resolutions. Mrs Welch is hoping to share this on the school website. Please complete the following form to provide consent.

Childs Name: -----

I give / do not give permission for a video of my child to be
use on the school website.

Print Name -----

Signed -----