



**NORTON SUB HAMDON and WEST CHINNOCK  
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Dear Parents and Carers,

What a blustery and wet week it has been! Unfortunately, the football tournament on Monday was rained off. Despite this, it has been great to see so many children getting outside between showers for Forest School, football club and cyclocross racing.

You will soon be receiving a curriculum letter detailing all the exciting topics and subjects your child will be studying this term. We're proud of the broad and balanced curriculum and wider opportunities we offer pupils at our schools. Teachers are always striving to enable new opportunities for the children to grow and develop in their skills and knowledge.

We have been asked to remind parents at both schools about the importance of considerate parking at drop off and pick up. A particular issue at Norton is parking on the grass verges. At West Chinnock do not park in front of driveways. Where possible please consider walking, cycling or car sharing.

The PFA and FONS have met this week and are planning some fantastic fundraising and social activities. Keep an eye out for their posters and communications. We are also really grateful for the generous donation of £300 from the West Chinnock Christmas Crackers which will help fund a PA system for use at school functions.

We welcome this week Mrs Garrity who is teaching in Class 2 at West Chinnock as well as Mrs Holbrook who has been teaching in Class 4 at Norton.

This Sunday there is a Family Service at 4pm at West Chinnock Church. The service will pick up on this week's 'Open the Book' assembly theme, rebuilding Jerusalem with Nehemiah.

Hopefully the weather will be kinder next week so please do see the bulletins and check the calendar on the school website for upcoming events. Have a restful weekend and make the most of the sun on Sunday!

Yours Sincerely,

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