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Dear Parent/Carer,

How can it be February already? School continues to be a busy and happy place and your children continue to make us all proud with their resilience, positive approach to learning and their kindness.

I know that our website can be difficult to navigate sometimes – as it contains so much information – but I wanted to draw you attention to a new well-being information page that is in the 'Learning' section. If you click on this link https://www.fishergateschool.com/learning-fishergate/mental-health-and-emotional-well-being you will find a wealth of resources and ideas that you could use at home to support your child. We use the zones of regulation throughout school to help children to recognise, identify and understand how they are feeling and to give them strategies to use to improve their mental well-being. I really would recommend having a look. Thank you to Lisa Solanki for putting together such a fantastic page.

The Year 5/6s who went on the Robinwood residential had a fantastic time, coming back with even more confidence, strengthened bonds of friendship and lots of great stories and memories. The adults were very proud of the way in which they represented Fishergate School. A huge thank you goes to the wonderful Claire Stenson who spent many hours organising this trip.

So far we have had 132 responses to the parent questionnaire that we sent out at the beginning of the term. I am going to start going through and analysing the responses towards the end of next week so please fill one in if you want to share your views with myself and the governors.

Finally, we would like to translate some of our letters with key information into some of the languages spoken by some of our families. If you are fluent in Arabic, Chinese, Korean, Polish, Turkish, Bhutanese or Spanish, and would be willing to proof read the letters for us, please could you contact me or the office?

Have a great weekend when it gets here,

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