

# The Old School Henstead



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**Letters issued this week:** Year 5 parents' meeting invite.  
Year 3- 6 Fitzwilliam Museum Trip

**Congratulations to** May Drinkell who received her Headmaster's Commendation Certificate this week.

**Year 3 Assembly** - This morning's assembly was about New Year. First we learnt how to say "Happy New Year" in lots of different languages and then we were treated to a super play about resolutions. The message to us all was one of encouragement to others and determination to achieve our goals. Well done to Year 3 for their work and their performance.



**Year 1 Trip to Durrants Auction Rooms** – Year 1 have been comparing toys from the past and present as part of their history topic. This week they were treated to a visit to Durrants Auction Room in Beccles for a sneak preview of the specialist toy sale. We saw a variety of toys ranging from old teddies and dolls to a corgi model of Chitty Chitty Bang Bang. We would like to say a big thank you to Mr Lamdin for showing us around.

**Mrs Hartley** will be away for the next two weeks. Her lessons will be taught by Mrs Oliver. She is an experienced language teacher, who has been Head of Modern Languages at a local secondary school, but also has experience with this age group and special educational needs. I hope that she will enjoy her time with us.

**Parents' Handbook** – Several people have asked about PSHE which appears in the new handbook. It stands for Personal, Social and Health Education.

**Finally, again.....** may we please ask that parents check that all items of clothing are clearly and appropriately named and that your son or daughter actually has the clothing belonging to him/herself.