

DEAR PARENTS AND CARERS,  
WELCOME TO THE 4TH NEWSLETTER OF THIS ACADEMIC  
YEAR (ALSO AVAILABLE ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE).  
IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES/CONCERNS ABOUT YOUR  
CHILD'S LEARNING NEEDS OR WELLBEING, PLEASE SPEAK  
TO THEIR CLASS TEACHER OR CONTACT ME.  
ANY FEEDBACK/SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE  
NEWSLETTERS IS VERY WELCOME!

**MERRY Christmas to you all :)**

My contact details are:  
Tel: 01767-699806 or email:  
[send@mapletreepriamaryschool.com](mailto:send@mapletreepriamaryschool.com)  
Kind Regards, Chris Pond.

Here is a link to this month's  
Central Beds SEND newsletter  
- inc. 'Noddy Guide to SEND'  
and lots of activities going  
on...

Please click on  
<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/UKCBCC/bulletins/3368b68>

**\*\*\*NEW MAPLE TREE  
PARENT GROUP \*\*\***  
Next date: Monday 5th  
December at 2.30pm for  
parents supporting  
parents emotional  
wellbeing group. Further  
details to follow on  
Marvelous Me :)

**Calendar for December 2022:**

**School Mental Health Focus:**  
**DANCE (Just Dance video club)**

Join in the monthly school activities at  
home - follow the link  
[https://www.mapletreelowerschool.com/  
page/?title=Wellbeing+Activities&pid=367](https://www.mapletreelowerschool.com/page/?title=Wellbeing+Activities&pid=367)  
**National Grief Awareness Week 2-7th**

**International People with Disabilities Day  
3rd**

Please use the **NEW** link below to  
access the Inclusion section on the  
school's website - lots of regularly  
updated links/info to services and  
referral paths for SEND, Mental  
Health & Wellbeing and Awareness  
Dates →

[https://www.mapletreelowerschool.c  
om/page/?  
title=Mental+Health+and+Wellbeing&  
pid=283](https://www.mapletreelowerschool.com/page/?title=Mental+Health+and+Wellbeing&pid=283)

Please follow this link to information about Sandy Children's Centre 'What's On' page:  
month's Central Beds SEND Newsletter link:

<https://www.sandychildrenscentre.co.uk/blank-cjn9>

**Info session for SEND Coffee breaks, Chattertots - Speech and Language Support for  
children around 2 years of age, Revive - Women's support group for those that are  
experiencing low mood or anxiety and Dad & Me sessions.**

**First Aid for Parents (ONE DATE LEFT!!!)**

The Centre are also running introduction to first aid sessions in Sandy for  
parents/carers on Saturday mornings. This course is really great and informative.

There is a small fee of £10 per adult for the course. Course dates are:  
Saturday 11th February 2023 9.30-11.30am

To book, please contact [Maxine.johnson@centralbefordshire.gov.uk](mailto:Maxine.johnson@centralbefordshire.gov.uk)  
or Call or Text 07585 888903/07471 025519

For you to benefit the most from the session they ask that you do not bring your baby  
or child along with you, if your child is over 3 months they will not be able to come .

## Christmas Riddles Challenge

The Maple Tree Elf will be visiting classes every day in December with a Christmas  
riddle. Children with the winning answer can visit Mrs Pond's office where the elf has left  
a few treats :)

**RED ALERT!!! WIN a selection box!!!** Can you complete Maple Tree's Elf's Christmas  
tree buzzer challenge? Mrs Pond will visit classes for children to take part :)

