



East Boldon Infant School Newsletter

December (2) 2025



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Well that's a wrap on the final week for 2025 and what a final week we have had! The performances have blown me away—with wonderful singing, speaking and acting! The children have all made me feel very proud and I know you will be so proud too. Once again, a huge thanks is extended to the dedicated staff across school who have worked so hard over the past few weeks to rehearse and make the performances as wonderful and enjoyable as they were. Extended thanks to the wardens of St George's Church who warmly welcome us each year for our rehearsals and performances.

We also enjoyed a fun-filled party day yesterday with dancing and games! I certainly think that we are all ready for the Christmas break now and time well spent with families and friends.



Our final day was tinged with sadness as we bid farewell to Mrs Chandler, our wonderful lunchtime supervisor of 23 years! We enjoyed a celebration assembly with songs and memories to end her time with us—keep a look out for the article in the Gazette too! We will miss you Mrs Chandler but know we will see you soon! Our new Lunchtime Supervisor starting in January will be Mrs Murphy who many of the children are already familiar with and we look forward to welcoming her into our staff team!



Wishing all of our families a lovely Christmas and New Year!
Thank you for all of your continued support.



Miss Holt and the staff team x

SPARKLE & SHINE



Provisional Diary Dates Spring Term 26



Monday 5th January – Back to school

W/B 19th January – Parent Workshop Mornings in school—details to follow

Monday 19th January – Year 2 9.15 – 10.00, 10.15-11.00

Tuesday 20th January – Year 1 9.15 – 10.00, 10.15-11.00

Wednesday 21st January – Reception phonics session– Class 5 – 2.30pm – 3pm

Thursday 22nd January – Reception phonics session – Class 6 – 2.30pm – 3pm

W/B 9th February – Children's Mental Health Week

Tuesday 10th February – Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 17th February - Chinese New Year

W/B 16th February – Mid year book sharing sessions

Monday 16th – Year 1 2.30-3.15

Tuesday 17th – Year 2 2.30-3.15

Wednesday 18th Reception 2.30-3.15

Friday 20th February – BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM

Holiday Support over Christmas

Support with Food

Hospitality and Hope—0191 420 3336
www.hospitalityandhope.org.uk



Key to Life Foodbank— 0191 496 9710
www.keycommunity.org.uk

Hebburn Helps—0191 489 9707
www.hebburnhelps.co.uk

Boldon Community Association Foodbank—0191 536
8085

Support for Families

Love Amelia—is a children's charity offering support to families experiencing poverty and hardship across our region. It works all year around to support vulnerable families in our community and distributing new and great quality pre-loved items for children birth-16 years.

www.loveamelia.org.uk
0191 716 5448
07394878432



Helpful Contacts

Stay safe this Christmas

CALM—0800 585858 Here to help you find the support you need

Mind—0300 1233393 Information/support with mental health

Alcoholics Anonymous—National Helpline 0800 917 7650 Local Helpline 0191 5214400—open 24 hours

No Panic—0844 9674848 Offers advice for people living with phobias, OCD and any other anxiety based disorders

Bereavement—08088 081677 Support with the loss of a loved one

Samaritans—116 123—If you need someone to talk to Day/Night

SHOUT—Text SHOUT to 85238 - A text support service for anyone struggling with mental health.

Refuge—0808 2000 247— A domestic abuse support line, open 24 hours , 365 days.

If you are in an emergency please call 999.