



ST JOSEPH'S
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday 9th December 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are now truly in the mood for Christmas. I write this after the wonderful Key Stage 1 performance this afternoon which followed the amazing Early Years Nativity yesterday morning. Thank you to you all for your amazing support of the school but most importantly thank you for the gift of your children. They really are a treasure to behold and we are so grateful that we can help them learn at St Joseph's Catholic Primary School.

H is for Happy- Christmas- Please see the list of all remaining events

With one week to go let us take each day at a time.

Monday 12th December:

Advent Prayers with Mr Geaves at 9.50am. Special prayers will be offered at the beginning of our final week of school before Christmas. After this prayer assembly our Mini Vinnies have organised for all donations to be sent to the local Foodbank. Your generosity here has been so heartfelt and welcome.

Tuesday 13th December:

Christmas Lunch- Children may wear Christmas Jumpers over their uniform on this day if they want to. Governors and visitors are invited to this occasion.

Wednesday 14th December:

Christmas Rudolph Run: As mentioned at the KS1 performance this afternoon we will be donating money from the raffles collected at the performances for the wonderful cause of the Butterwick Hospice. Children may wear Christmas Jumpers over their uniform and will be given a Rudolph mask and reindeer food to take home with them.

Thursday 15th December:

Christmas party day- children can wear no school uniform and Christmas jumpers again if they wish to. Then at 5pm we have the Y5 Christmas Disco which I am sure will be a huge success. Tickets can be bought on ParentPay or by cash.

Friday 16th December:

Christmas Panto Whole School Trip in the morning. Again if children want to wear a Christmas Jumper over the top of their uniform they can. We finish school on Friday at the usual time.

G is for Greatness- School Calendar Dates

Calendar Dates

Our calendar for the year is live on our website. We return to School on Wednesday 4th January 2023.

Christ be our light, in life, love and learning

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I is for Inspire- Stars of the Week:

This week certificates have been awarded to children who have worked really well:

- LJ- Fearne
- FS1- Layla & Connie
- FS2- Arabella & Toby
- Y1- Harry & Rory
- Y2- Matilda & Connie
- Y3- William & Roy
- Y4- Holly & Lucy
- Y5- Logan Luke & Darcy
- Y6- Sofia & Diwainashe

Final Thoughts & Prayers

With the beginning of this third week of Advent, we're more than half way home to Christmas.

Dear God, you know that our hearts long for the joy and gladness promised by life with you.

Help us to remember that you are with us always, and that our hearts will rest only when they rest with you. Holy Spirit, guide the choices we make throughout this week.



Thank you for your continued support and have a brilliant weekend.

Mr Geaves

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