



19th December 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians

As we approach the Christmas holidays, we would like to take a moment to thank all of our children and their families for another wonderful term. It has been a busy and rewarding time at our school, and we are extremely proud of the effort, creativity and enthusiasm shown by the children in all that they do.

Throughout this special season of Advent, it has been a pleasure to share so many meaningful occasions with you. From class-led liturgies and Christmas fayres to Christmas Jumper Day, your ongoing support and involvement have played an important role in making these events so successful. Thank you for being such a valued part of our school community.

Our Christmas nativity performances beautifully captured the true meaning of Christmas, the coming of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, into the world. The children performed with confidence, joy and pride and it was a delight to see them shine. Well done to everyone involved.

On behalf of the whole school community, we would like to wish you and your families a happy and holy Christmas, along with every blessing for 2026. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Tuesday 6th January 2026.

With festive cheer and blessings for all

A McClurey & N Bennett

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January 2026

- **5.1.26 - PD Day** - school closed to children
- **6.1.26 - Feast of the Epiphany**
- **15.1.26 Stay & Pray – Key Stage 1** 8:45–9:00am in the classrooms
- **15.1.26 SEND Information Drop-in Session for Parents** - 2:30pm in the hall
- **22.1.26 - Stay & Pray – Key Stage 2** 8:45–9:00am in the classrooms
- **29.1.26 - Maths Session – Key Stage 1 with Parents** 8:45–9:00am in the classrooms

February 2026

- **5.2.26 - Maths Session – Key Stage 2 with Parents** 8:45–9:00am in the classrooms
- **Week beginning the 2nd February - Aspirations Week**
- **6.2.26 - National Number Day** – children come to school wearing something numerical
- **10.2.26 - Safer Internet Day Assembly** – Digital Leaders lead assembly for parents and school 2:30pm in the hall
- **10.2.26 - Valentine’s Disco**
- **16.2.26 - Parents’ Evening** 3:10–5:00pm - appointments available on ARBOR closer to the time
- **17.2.26 - Parents’ Evening** 3:10–5:00pm - appointments available on ARBOR closer to the time
- **18.2.26 - Ash Wednesday**
- **19.2.26 - Year 5 CAFOD Family Fast Luncheon** – soup making/serving for donations - more details to follow from Miss Cunningham nearer the time.

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