



# NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th Dec 2024

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

WE HAVE HAD A WONDERFUL WEEK OF FESTIVITIES BUT A HUGE HATS OFF TO THE CATERING TEAM FOR COOKING A DELICIOUS CHRISTMAS MEAL FOR OUR CHILDREN. THE HALL WAS DECORATED BEAUTIFULLY BY THE TEAM AND THE CHILDREN ALL ENJOYED A CHRISTMAS DINNER WITH ALL THE TRIMMINGS. MANY STAFF ALSO HELPED WHILST WEARING JUMPERS TO CREATE A WONDERFUL ATMOSPHERE FOR ALL.

*Mrs Jenkins*

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR VICE PRINCIPALS

THIS WEEK WE HAVE HAD GREAT FESTIVE TREATS. THE CHILDREN ALL ENJOYED SEEING SANTA ON THURSDAY AND HEARING HIM HO, HO, HO AROUND SCHOOL. CHRISTMAS SONGS ARE RINGING THROUGHOUT THE CORRIDORS WITH FESTIVE JOY IN PREPARATION FOR NEXT WEEKS PRODUCTIONS. FINALLY WE ENJOYED SEEING A LIVE PANTO IN THE HALL. ENJOY YOUR WEEKEND..

*Mr McTale*  [LIKE AND FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK](#) *Mrs Kingdon*

## ATTENDANCE

Our target is 97%

Nursery AM	92.8%
Nursery PM	92.5%
RNC	94.55%
RCW	95%
1JR	95.2%
1/2MH	94.6%
2IB	93%
3CM	89.7%
3/4OK	96.2%
4CPM	87.7%
5EM	90.8%
5CH	93.7%
6LP	93.9%
6RM	87.1%
Number of lates this week	141

### SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

THIS WEEK IS 92.5%

Well-done to 1JR and 3/4OK who will be spending next week with Biscuit Bear!



## GET INTO TEACHING

WITH JOSIE THIRKELL INSTITUTE

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**CLUBS**  
TODAY MARKS THE  
LAST DAY OF CLUBS.  
NEW CLUBS WILL BE  
AVAILABLE AFTER  
THE CHRISTMAS  
HOLIDAYS



# OH Snap

# This Week's Snapshots



## MORNINGS

**POLITE REMINDER, CHILDREN SHOULD NOT BE ON SCHOOL SITE BEFORE 8.30 AM, UNLESS THEY ARE IN BREAKFAST CLUB. CHILDREN ARE NOT PERMITTED TO BE ON THE SCHOOL PLAYGROUND AT ANYTIME BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL UNLESS WITH STAFF MEMBERS.**

## COMING UP

Monday <b>16</b>	EYFS Christmas Concert in the Main Hall 9 am -10 am	
Tuesday <b>17</b>	KS1 Christmas Concert in the Main Hall 9 am -10 am	
Tuesday <b>17</b>	<b>Santa Dash</b>	
Wednesday <b>18</b>	EYFS Christmas Concert in the Main Hall 1 pm - 2 pm	
Wednesday <b>18</b>	KS1 Christmas Concert in the Main Hall 2 pm - 3 pm	
Wednesday <b>18</b>	LKS2 Christmas Concert in the Main Hall 9 am -10 am	
Thursday <b>19</b>	LKS2 Christmas Concert in the Main Hall 2 pm - 3 pm	
Friday <b>20</b>	UKS2 Carols around the tree 12.15 pm - 1pm	
Friday <b>20</b>	School closes at 1 pm	<b>CLOSED</b>



# Online safety campaign - Start the conversation Talk to your child about staying safe online

Most of us think of our online and offline lives as separate, but children today are growing up with technology and the internet as a natural part of their lives. To them, there isn't a separation. It's all just life. The internet is now part of the real world.

Talking to your child about what they do online is just as important as asking where they are going when they go out with their friends. Starting the conversation with your child about their online activities can be difficult. Technology keeps changing and you might find it overwhelming trying to keep up with it all, but you don't need to. You just need to take an interest in what apps and games your child is using. That's the best place to start. Your child might not want to share anything with you at first, but keep trying.

Having honest and open conversations with your child and speaking to them regularly about what they are doing online, could be crucial in giving your child the confidence to tell you if they have seen something that makes them feel uncomfortable or may highlight someone who is wanting to cause harm.

See the attached leaflet for some helpful tips on how to start the conversation.

Further guidance is available on the [LSCP website](#) as well as information on [how to set up parental control](#) on all the devices that your child uses.

Thank you.



## PARENT/CARER WORKSHOPS

AS PART OF OUR PASTORAL TEAM, MRS WEBBER VPA'S FAMILY SUPPORT WORKER, IS ALWAYS READY TO HELP. IF YOU FEEL YOU MAY NEED GUIDANCE OR HELP WITH THINGS SUCH AS BUDGETING, FOOD OR AN EAR TO LISTEN PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL OR MRS WEBBER DIRECTLY ON 07561602202



### COFFEE MORNING & BREAKFAST-EVERY FRIDAY

8 am - 10 am - At 8.30 am children will be taken to class.

### DAD'S BOOKS & BUTTIES

27th Nov & 18th Dec in the AM (9 am - 10 am)

### TODDLER, TEA & TOAST

Every Monday Morning @ 10 am (Starting Monday 2nd December)

### YEAR 4 MTC WITH MR MCHALE

Monday 13th January @ 2.15 pm - 3 pm

### ONLINE SAFETY WEEK WITH MR MCHALE

Wednesday 12th February @ 2.00 pm

### POSITIVE PARENTING

Details to follow

### PARENTING COURSE

Personal Invitation Only

