



'Growing & Learning in Christ through Faith, Family & Friendship'



Holy Trinity CE Primary School

17th November 2023



This Week...

Another busy week as our KS1 Nativity practice has well and truly begun. All the KS1 staff have been busy preparing costumes, props, helping the children to learn lines and understand stage directions. If they look a bit harassed over the next few weeks, this is potentially why! I hope you have managed to purchase your tickets and get yourself onto a waiting list if you require more than our allocation. There will also be a raffle on the night to raise funds for school.

Your child will be bringing a disco letter home next week and tickets will be available to purchase at the school office. Please note, NO child will be allowed to walk home after the event without a responsible adult.

Thank you to all the parents who responded to our request asking for volunteers for school events. We will be in touch over the next few weeks as we do have Christmas events coming up in school. Have a lovely Weekend! Mrs Whitaker

STARS OF THE WEEK!



EYFS— Jamie Marshall

YEAR 1— Noah Livesley

YEAR 2— Poppy McIvor

YEAR 3— Mason Sturdy

YEAR 4— Harper Bannister

YEAR 5— Lillie-Mae Denwood

YEAR 6— Lois Ashworth

Sports Award - Franco Varghese

Leadership Ambassador Awards - Skyle-Rose Khan & Amelia Gent

Head Teacher's Award - Bonnie Bond

God's Big Question

Can we have happiness without sadness?

'Life in All it's Fullness' John 10 v 10

Handball —Match Report

This week some of our pupils were chosen by Mr Little to represent our school in a Benchball competition with local primary schools. The event took place at Blessed Trinity. We all played really well and won 3 out of 4 games. We drew one game but despite this, we still came first place overall. Every team in the competition also had help from 2 Year 7 pupils from local high schools. We were really pleased with our result and would like to particularly mention Joey's super catching skills which certainly helped us win!



By Taylor

Playtime Snacks.

As you will be aware, we provide our KS1 children with a piece of fruit for snack time every day along with their milk, however we do ask that if KS2 children wish to have a snack that they bring a piece of fruit in from home.

Could I please therefore remind parents and carers that we only allow a piece of fruit to be brought from home and not cereal bars or other snacks. We also provide every child with a Holy Trinity Water bottle, which is filled up with water by staff at the start of every day. As we are a healthy school, we do promote healthy eating as much as possible—except at Christmas! Your support with this would be much appreciated.





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Non Uniform Day

We are holding a non uniform day in school on Friday 24th November. We are asking the children to bring in a donation of chocolate in return, to help with our annual Chocolate Tombola at St Matthew's Christmas Markets. As you will be aware, this raises vital funds for St Matthew's church. The stall on the day will be run by St Matthew's volunteers.

Thank you, in advance of your generosity.

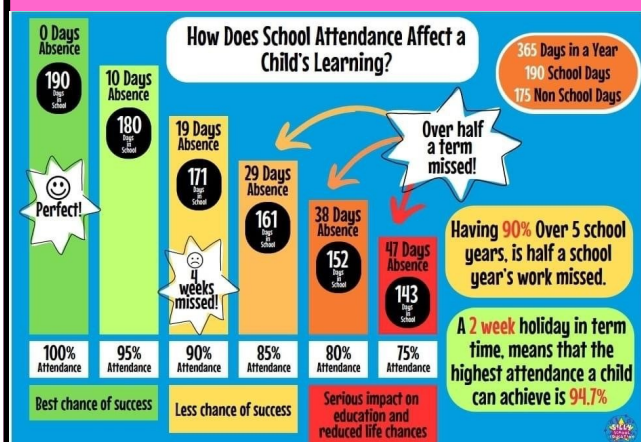


Dates for your Diary

17/11/23—Children in Need Day—Non uniform Day
 24/11/23—Non uniform Day— Chocolate Donations
 02/12/23—St Matthew's Christmas Markets
 05/12/23—Book Trust Author—Year 5
 05/12/23—KS1 & EYFS Nativity @ 2pm & 6pm.
 08/12/23- Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day
 11/12/23 & 13/12/23—Bikeability—Year 5
 13/12/23—EYFS Carols at Acorn Heights Care Home
 14/12/23—Christmas Disco 4:30-6pm.
 15/12/23—Christmas Lunch
 17/12/23—St Matthews Christmas Concert @ 4.00pm
 19/12/23—Advent Service at St Matthew's Church @1:30pm
 21/12/23—Taz Entertainer in school.
 21/12/23—School closes for the Christmas Break

Attendance

Don't forget school starts at 8:55am. Please ensure you are on time!



Our Weekly attendance figure is as follows:

School: 94.1% National : 92.8%

Thought for the Week.....

Worship this week has been focusing on anti bullying week. Our leadership ambassadors have been talking to the children about being kind to others.

BE STRONG
 BUT NOT RUDE
 BE KIND,
 BUT NOT WEAK
 BE BOLD,
 BUT NOT BULLY
 BE HUMBLE,
 BUT NOT TIMID
 BE PROUD,
 BUT NOT ARROGANT
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Children In Need

We had a wonderful day in school today fundraising for Children in Need. The children all looked amazing in their non uniform and were full of excitement. We also managed a super Pudsey Bear in our Community Room which we made out of pennies. Keep an eye out on Facebook for pictures and

