



December Dates

Friday 3rd December

Non-Uniform Day

Bring a donation for the PTFA Coloured Hamper.

Monday 6th – Friday 10th December

Christmas Cards

Children may bring in Christmas cards for their friends if they wish, during this week only. The cards will be distributed the following week. Cards should be addressed with the name (last name too if known) and class and put into the box in the classroom.

Friday 10th December

Christmas Jumper Day

Donations to Save the Children online. Details to follow.

Christmas Lunch

If your child doesn't normally have school meals, pre-order by 3rd December. No need to pre-order if your child usually has school meals.

Wednesday 15th December and Thursday 16th December - Afternoon

Foundation Stage & Y3 Christmas Productions

We are really hoping to have live Christmas Performances in Foundation Stage and Year 3 as in the past. This will be dependent on the number of Covid cases reducing and Public Health agreeing nearer to the time that we can go ahead with the performances. Audiences will be strictly limited in number (2 tickets only per family, absolutely no extra tickets available), socially distanced and must be wearing face coverings.

Plan B (if Covid continues to be an issue) will be to record the performances for parents to view at the end of term from home.

Friday 17th December (am)

Christmas Parties for All Year Groups

Wear party clothes and bring your own snack (nut-free).

Friday 17th December

Break Up (1 hour earlier than usual finish time).

P.T.O





Gifts for Staff

Some parents have asked us what the rules are around children bringing end of term cards etc for staff should they wish to. For parents and children who want to do this there are two options:

- There is a wish list of books which the teachers have set up for each year group. These are books the teachers would love to have in their class libraries. Parents/carers are able to choose from the list, order and pay the bookshop direct. The books are delivered directly to school and we will be able to put a bookplate in the book saying it is from your child.

Should you want to buy a book from the teachers' wishlist then you should follow this link and the instructions you will find there. The Bookshop are fantastic and for every book bought from the list they will give us money towards more books for school.

<https://www.littleriponbookshop.co.uk/willow>

Should you choose to do this for school we would like to thank you very much in advance.

- If your child is wants to bring something for the staff in their class, then please bring this only on the final day of term. It should be in a carrier bag and clearly labelled. Staff who then want to quarantine items before looking at them will be able to do so.

