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HEADTEACHER'S NEWSLETTER

Hey Ewe!



Earlier this week, our wonderful Early Years Foundation Stage performed their nativity 'Hey Ewe!' I would like to say an enormous well done to all the children and the staff for all their hard work. It truly was amazing!

Lights camel action!



Key Stage One performed their nativity this week too, 'Lights camel action!' Again, I wish to extend huge thanks to all the children and staff involved in putting the performance together. We are unbelievably proud of you!

Christmas Lunch!



Thank you to Jenny and her incredible catering team who made a beautiful Christmas lunch for both the pupils and the staff today. Mrs Crowther and Mrs Delahunt entertained us all with some Christmas sing-along songs!

Councillor Teresa Smith



Year One have recently written letters to Councillor Teresa Smith. In their letters, they were suggesting ways in which they can support God's planet and care for our local environment. Councillor Smith was very impressed with Year One's work and has said she will reply to their letters soon. We look forward to receiving her reply!

Story Seekers

Yesterday the National Theatre came into school to train our year 3 children to be Story Seekers. They thoroughly enjoyed retelling stories through drama. Story Seekers challenges children to find

traditional stories from across the globe, that they want to tell so they can fulfil their mission to connect people through the telling and sharing of stories.



Upcoming Advent events

Monday 11 th December	PFA Christmas Movie Night (after school in the Hall)
Tuesday 12 th December	1:45pm-3:00pm Christmas Markets will be held in the School Hall
Wednesday 13 th December	Am: Years 5 and 6 attending Manchester City's 'Winter Wonderland' event. All pupils in Y5 and Y6 to be at school for 8:30am please. Pm: All children will watch 'Peter Pan' the pantomime (we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £1 towards the cost if you are able to)
Thursday 14 th December	Year 6 will go and sing for the residents of 'The Vicarage' and 'Auden House'
Friday 15 th December	Year 6's Advent Assembly at 9am Pm: Father Christmas in school for our EYFS children (please keep this a surprise!)
Monday 18 th December	Children can wear party clothes as it is Christmas Party Lunch
Tuesday 19 th December	Advent Mass in the School Hall at 9:15am School closes at 1:30pm

Extra- Curricular Clubs

Monday – Multi-Sports for Years 1 & 2

-Rugby for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

-Art club for Years 1 & 2

Tuesday – Cheerleading and Street Dance for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

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-Performing Arts for Rec-Year 6

Thursday – Football for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Friday – Multi-Sports for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Attendance

Attendance has been very good since we returned to school. We have also noticed that punctuality has significantly improved. We do ask that all children are in school by 9am. If you are late, please accompany your child into the main entrance and sign your child in on the ipad.

Reception	97.41%
Year 1	92.5%
Year 2	98.33%
Year 3	97.58%
Year 4	100%
Year 5	96.88%

Year 6	92.74%
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