

Newsletter

Friday 22nd December 2023



Clubs:

Every day – Breakfast Club from 7:30 am
(Please note, children must arrive before 8:30am).

Monday	Film Club 3:25 - 5:00 Y5/Y6 Fencing 3:25 - 4:15
Tuesday	Cook Club 3:25 – 4:30 Y1/Y2 Golf 3:25 - 4:15 Y3 Sewing 3:25 – 4:15
Wednesday	KS2 Dance 3:25-4:15
Thursday	Y2–Y6 Homework Club 3:25 - 4:15 Rec/Y1 Craft Club 3:25 – 4:15
Friday	Book Club Y2 – Y6 3:25 - 4:15 Y3/Y4 Fencing 3:25 - 4:15

Please see the school website for more events.

Monday 25th Dec to Friday 5th Jan

School Holidays

Monday 8th January

Back to school – 'Happy New Year!'

Tuesday 9th January

'Crime and Punishment' Magistrates visit Y6

Wednesday 17th January

Y2 to The Laing Gallery

Monday 8th January

Y4 to The Hancock Museum

Tuesday 23rd January

Rec to Seven Stories
NSPCC Assembly for Y5 & Y6

Thursday 1st February

Y1 to The Hancock Museum

Monday 5th February

The History Guy in Y4
The History Guy in Y2

Friday 9th February

Y3 to The Life Centre

Tuesday 13th February

Rec & Y6 NHS Height and Weight

Monday 19th – 23rd February

Half-Term Holiday

Monday 26th February

Back to school – 'Happy New Year!'

Christmas is a very busy time for our Y5 Mini Vinnies. Last week, they organised three raffles at three of our Christmas shows. This week, not only have they been raising more money for their 'Good Causes' by carol singing at Asda and at the School Gates, but the children also shared the spirit of Christmas with residents of our local Care-Home through their repertoire to traditional Christmas Carols: residents sang-along too.



The tempting aromas for a delicious Christmas dinner filled the corridors on Wednesday, mmm! A BIG 'Thank You!' to Cook and her most able assistants for our fabulous festive feast.



Each class at St. Vincent's has successfully completed a '*serving the Community*' activity during Advent: Y6 wrote letters to residents of our local Care Home, Y5 Mini Vinnies went Carol Singing, Y4 started a CAFOD project, Y3 completed a recycling challenge, Y2 made Christmas decorations for parishioners of Our Lady and St. Vincent's Church and, last but not least, our Y1 and Rec pupils made Christmas Cards for residents living at our nearby sheltered accommodation...Merry Christmas from us all!

Parents and Carers joined us in school on Thursday afternoon for our annual Christmas Carol Service.

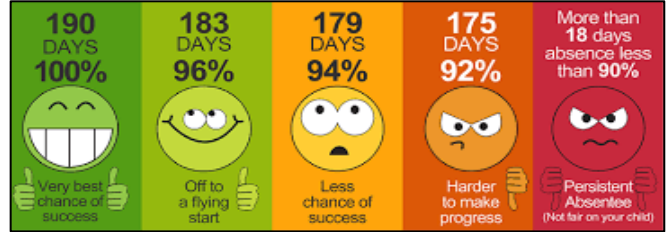


This afternoon, we concluded the autumn term and Christmas activities with class Christmas parties: tasty snacks, hilarious games, prizes, singing, dancing and, most thrilling of all, a visit from a very, very busy and important old man!



ATTENDANCE

“Central to raising standards in education and ensuring all pupils can fulfil their potential is an assumption so widely understood that it is insufficiently stated – pupils need to attend school regularly to benefit from their education. DfE



Last Week's Attendance

Rec	97.8%
Y1	94.6%
Y2	96.0%
Y3	99.0%
Y4	99.3%
Y5	99.3%
Y6	95.3%
All	97.3%

Y4 and **Y5** end this term at the top of the weekly Attendance Table – well done! **Y3** also get's a 'shout-out' for being a fraction behind our table leaders – 3/10 we hear KS2 clarify!

When we return in January, we have the Winits Emporium, the Attendance Trophy and 100% badges to look forward to. In 2024, let's ensure we're all

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Q. How is the alphabet in the North Pole different to our alphabet?

A. The North Pole's alphabet has noel.



May the spirit of yuletide fill your heart and home with hope, joy and love this Christmas. Season's Greetings from Governors and Staff

