



Newsletter

Thursday 28th November 2024

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 Sport 3:25 - 4:15
Tuesday	Cook Club 3:25 – 4:15 Y3 Sewing 3:25 – 4:15 Y1/Y2 Sport 3:25 - 4:15 Y4, Y5, Y6 Choir 3:25 – 4:15
Wednesday	KS2 Dance 3:25 – 4:15
Thursday	Y2 – Y6 Homework 3:25 - 4:15 Y1/Rec Craft Club 3:25 – 4:15
Friday	Book Club Y2 – Y6 3:25 - 4:15 Y3/Y4 Sport 3:25 - 4:15

Please see the school website for more events.

Friday 29th November

School Holiday – School Closed

Tuesday 3rd December

Customs House Pantomime for R, Y1, Y2 & Y3

Wednesday 4th December

Y5 to The Cathedral

Thursday 5th December

Theatre Royal Pantomime for Y4, Y5 and Y6
Stay&Pray with Reception @ 2:45pm

Tuesday 10th December

Rec Christmas Performance @ 2:45pm

Wednesday 11th December

KS1 Christmas Performance @ 2:30pm

Thursday 12th December

KS2 Christmas Performance @ 2:15pm
For Y3 and Y4 parents

Friday 13th December

KS2 Christmas Performance @ 2:15pm
For Y5 and Y6 parents

Monday 16th December

Y5 Mini-Vinnies carol singing at ASDA
Glitter & Glue with Reception @2:30pm

Tuesday 17th December

Glitter & Glue with Y1 & Y2 @2:30pm

Wednesday 18th December

School Christmas Dinner
Autumn School Reports sent home

Thursday 19th December

Carol Service in School – all welcome @2:45pm

Friday 20th December

Class Christmas Parties: non-uniform day

Monday 23rd Dec – Friday 3rd January

Christmas Holidays

Don't forget: **Friday 29th November** is a school holiday.

This Sunday heralds the start of Advent: the season of preparation and expectation for the celebration of Jesus's birth at Christmas. So, on Wednesday, school staff put-up the Christmas tree and dressed it with the stunning decorations made by pupils: Reception –glitter pinecones, Year 1 – bells, Year 2 – glittery twigs, Year 3 – gift boxes, Year 4 – angels, Year 5 – stars and Year 6 – baubles.



Newcastle City Council has confirmed that **£30.00 supermarket vouchers** will be issued for every child eligible for Free School Meals to cover the two-week Christmas holiday. Vouchers will be delivered via text/email on Wednesday 18th December.

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 Friday, the following children were awarded certificates at our Good Work Assembly:



Journey with Mary: Mason Nixon, Amara Madu, Jose Giles, Lennie Laurie, Eben Usher, Vinny Finlinson and Matthew So.



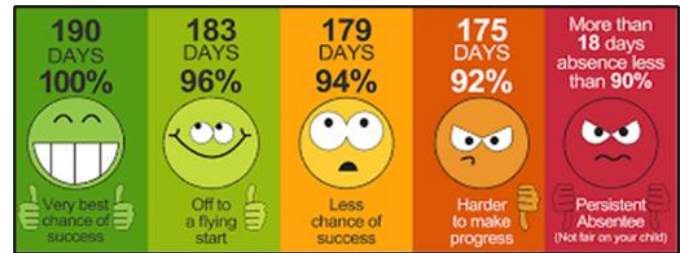
Good Manners: Ablakat Tewodros, Marcel Ononugbor, Frankie Dowson, Isabella Blackler, Zosia Oleszkiewicz, Josh Barnes and Hallie Fleck.



British Values: Arlo-Lee Senior, Elisa Lingurar, Lydia-Mae Conway, Layla Robertson, Nime Okoli, Junior Nkai and Adele Proctor.

Well done!

Rehearsals for the Christmas performances are well underway. Mary and Joseph in Reception are heading off to Bethlehem with their clip-clopping donkey, angels from KS1 are busy in Heaven preparing to share the good news of Jesus's birth with the shepherds and, finally, the KS2 cast are gathering-up all the items from The Twelve Days of Christmas. Break-a-leg!



Last Week's Attendance

Class	Attendance
Reception	96.3%
Year 1	94.0%
Year 2	92.6%
Year 3	93.3%
Year 4	83.0%
Year 5	96.6%
Year 6	95.6%
All	93.1%

Yikes, those pesky germs are truly meddling with Mrs Burdon's rehearsal schedule! With only THREE weeks of school before the Christmas holidays, we don't want anyone to miss-out on all the festive fun: pantomime, performances and parties! It's more fun when we're ALL...

...in-it-2-Winit!

- It's time to dust-off our favourite Christmas cracker jokes!
- Q. How does Good King Wenceslas like his pizza?
- A. Deep and crisp and even!



Our next Statement to Live By is: I try to love others as I love myself

Our next British Value is: Tolerance

Our next Faith Duty is: Solidarity

