



Friday 15th December 2023

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Dates for your diary:

Monday 18th December

At 4pm the current Musical Theatre ASC children will have their performance for parents and carers.

Tuesday 19th December

Whole School party day. Children can wear their own clothes and we ask for a £1 donation to go towards party food etc.

Wednesday 20th December

School finishes for Christmas holidays:

EYFS and KS1 - 1.10pm**

KS2 (Y3 - Y6) 1.15pm**

Thursday 21st December - INSET DAY -SCHOOL CLOSED

Friday 22nd December - INSET DAY -SCHOOL CLOSED



Spring Term 2024 (Term 1)

Monday 8 January 2024 – Thursday 28 March 2024

HALF TERM – Monday 12 February 2024 – Friday 16 February 2024

Spring Term 2024 (Term 2)

Monday 19 February 2024 – Thursday 28 March 2024

EASTER HOLIDAYS – Friday 29 March 2024 – Friday 12 April 2024



As ever Autumn Term 2 always ends in lots of activity! Some year groups have enjoyed trips to the cinema, others have been performing and showing off their talents. As we break up for the holidays on Wednesday, can we take this opportunity to wish you all a very Happy Christmas/Holiday time with your friends and families and we will see you all back at school on **Monday 8th January 2024**.



Christmas Lunch

Thank you to our hard working kitchen staff who produced a Christmas lunch for all the children on Tuesday. It was a lovely treat and enjoyed by us all.



Nursery have been practising hard learning their songs to perform for their parents and carers. Well done to you all - you made all who watched you smile!





Well done to Reception and Year 1 for showing your talents at your shows this week also. It was a very festive, jolly time. Thank you to the parents, carers and family members who came and enjoyed some mince pies too.



What a lovely time Reception had at the Lowry yesterday watching We're Going on a Bear Hunt and visiting the Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler exhibition in the Lowry, Manchester. Please could we thank those parents who volunteered to help on the trip.



Week commencing 11th December: :

Attendance News for

EYFS and KS1:

RG - 93%

RKR - 94%

1C - 93%

1G - 95%

2CR - 93%

2G - 92%

Attendance News KS2:

3G - 90%

3M - 92%

4C - 92%

4P - 94%

5O - 90%

5W - 91%

6G - 85%

6L - 91%



Whole school attendance: 92%

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments



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Free School Meal Vouchers:

The Free School Meal vouchers for the December holidays will be getting issued next week. We will send a Parent App out when these are ready to collect from the School office.

School has recently purchased software allowing us to apply on your behalf to the City Council to check if you are eligible for Free School Meals. All children in Reception to Year 2 receive Universal Free School Meals and do not pay for school lunches. Once your child is in Year 3 or above there is a charge for these. If you are eligible for Free School Meals you would not need to pay for lunches and you will also be eligible for the Holiday Food Vouchers which the City Council currently issues during school holidays.

If you would like school to apply on your behalf please email school at:

greenbank-ao@greenbank.liverpool.sch.uk and we will instruct you from there.

Winter HAF (Holiday Activity and Food) Programme:

There are a number of HAF Programmes taking place over the Christmas Holidays which children can attend (this is FREE for all children eligible for benefit related free school meals). This includes breakfasts, lunches and snacks each day children attend as well as sports and other activities.

Details of these can be found on our web site under the News/Newsletters section.