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# **Academy Newsletter**





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#### **Assistant Principal's Message**

Dear Parents/Carers,

The children have been busy this week testing. We would like to thank all the children and staff for preserving and trying their best through an intense week.

We have also been very busy in the run-up to Christmas and have lots of fun and exciting events and activities taking place!

I would like to thank you for attending the Christmas fayre on Wednesday. We had a great turn out and we were delighted to see excited and happy faces within the academy.

Enclosed in this weeks' newsletter is an updated list of events happening now, up until Christmas.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Miss Sidhu

#### **Key Dates:**

2022

- 6<sup>th</sup> December 2022 Year 1 parents evening.
- 13<sup>th</sup> December 2022 Year 1 parents evening.
- 14<sup>th</sup> December 2022 Christmas lunch (children to wear uniform with a Christmas jumper).
- 15<sup>th</sup> December 2022 Whole school Panto in the morning (students only).
   Nativity Nursery pm and Reception 1.20pm (parents welcome).
   2.30 pm Music and Pies (on the school playground weather permitted.
- 16<sup>th</sup> December 2022 Nativity Nursery am (parents welcome) 10.20am

Non uniform day/Class Christmas parties / Break up for holidays

- 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023 Staff Inset Day
- 4<sup>th</sup> January 2023 School opens for students
- 10<sup>th</sup> January 3023 Nursery, Reception, Year 1 Gruffalo trip
- 24<sup>th</sup> January 2023 Year 5 and 6 Young Voices at the Symphony Hall.

\*\*\*\*\*\*Important message all children will be having PE on Thursday next week.

Please ensure that your child is wearing their correct PE kit on the day\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### **Class Attendance**

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Nursery (AM)	84%		
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Reception	90%		3
Year 1	94%		
Year 2	93%		1
Year 3	92%		
Year 4	93%		
Year 5	95%		
Year 6	98%		





Title -The Owl who was afraid of the dark.

I rate this book 5 out of 5 stars. I loved it all!!

My favourite part was when Plop (the owl) met the grandma because it gave me a joyful feeling.

By Harman

## Children who read the longest this week:



Year 3	Albi Jot
Year 4	Chetan
Year 5	Mu'aawiyah
Year 6	Tejasveer

# Accelerated Reader Class Winner: Year 5 with 925 points.



#### **Sumdog Champion of the week:**



Year 1	Rayan
Year 2	Harman
Year 3	Sudais
Year 4	Samir
Year 5	Evelyn
Year 6	Simra



#### <u> Year 1:</u>



Year 1 have learning about Christianity in R.E. This week the children learnt about the significance of a Christingle and made one within the class to share with their families at home.

### Year 5:





year 3 nave been very busy this week rehearsing for their Young Voices concert, which will take place in January at the Birmingham Resorts World Arena The children will perform a series of songs alongside some incredible artists such as Heather Small and Anna Phoebe





### Breakfast Club:

Breakfast club start time every morning. Emma the caretaker will open the Victoria gate A from 8.15am to 8.20am, please do not come through the office entrance. Unless a special arrangement has. You can pay on the MCAS app £1.00 per day.

#### Roots to Fruits – Year 4



Students discussed the nature of liquid and gasses and how the density of liquids can affect how they interact with their surroundings and one another.

Students mixed water, oil and food colouring - to monitor those interactions - and what happens when gasses are introduced to them.

#### Christmas Fayre: Money raised £639.92!!!!!

















