

Weekly Letter



Week Commencing 14th December 2020 Autumn Term week 16

Dear Parents/Carers,

I just wanted to say thank you to you all for your understanding, patience and resilience this term. It has been an incredibly challenging time for us all and I am so proud of how you and your children have coped with everything this year.

May I also take this opportunity to say a huge thank you to staff, who always have our pupils at the heart of everything they do. They have worked tirelessly to keep everyone in school safe and happy.

May I wish you all a joyful Christmas and a well deserved, restful break! I look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Monday 4th January and I am hopeful that 2021 will bring better times for all.

Best wishes,

Mrs Alderson

NOTICES

Class 3

A very special mention to Class 3, who are currently isolating. We miss you all very much! Children are able to return on Friday 18th December, when we will be holding their Christmas party.

Christmas Parties

This week we are holding our Christmas parties. The children can come into school in their party clothes. Please remember, no jewellery and no make-up and if they could come in sensible shoes as they will still be outside at playtimes. They will have games and dancing and a party tea on the afternoon of their party.

Mrs Cronin

We are delighted to tell you that Mrs Cronin is expecting her second baby! This is her last week in school and, from January, Mrs Tervit will be teaching all week in Class 3. Lots of love to Mrs Cronin and her family.

COVID Reminder

If you or your child experiences any of the three following symptoms:

-A new, continuous cough

-Loss of taste or smell

- High temperature

you must isolate all people in your household and book a COVID test.

COVID Symptoms in the Holidays

Whilst we finish for the Christmas break on Friday, it is still important that if your child has a test and tests positive any time between Friday 18th December and Thursday 24th December, you MUST inform us by e-mail at:

st.bedes.rc.sacriston@durhamlearning.net including Positive COVID Test as the subject line. This is so that we can still liaise with Public Health England and Track and Trace. It is also still important that all parents and carers check their emails up until Thursday 24th December.

Please note, that the school e-mail will only be checked during school hours.

Remote Learning

If your child needs to self isolate, please be aware that their class teacher will provide work on Seesaw each day, that they are required to complete. The teacher will then provide feedback for all of the work completed. If your child does not access this you will receive a reminder text.

Thank you for supporting home learning. If you have any trouble getting onto Seesaw, please let us know.

Friday Collection Times

Children to be collected on Friday 18th December at the following times:

Classes 1 & 2 between 1:15 and 1:25pm

Classes 3 & 4 between 1:25 & 1:35pm

School resumes 4th January.

Stars of the week

Darcie, Harry D, Charlie B, Lily W, Sadie

Maths Award

Joel, Zach L, Jessica

Writing Award

Molly, Hannah C, Oliver

Gospel Values

Harper, Florence, Hollie

Reading Award

Primrose, Freya B, Violet

Head Teacher Award

Lydia

Special Reading Awards

Violet, Jack T (certificates will follow)

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM ALL OF YOUR ST BEDE'S FAMILY!

