19 December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers.

Firstly, thank you so much to those of you who have been able to attend our seasonal festivities: it has been lovely being able to welcome you into school.

The children have all done brilliantly and clearly had an amazing time getting involved. Huge thanks to all the staff for arranging these events, supporting the pupils and coming up with such creative, fun ideas and activities.

Following on from my email last week about the ambulance strike, we have received assurances that Category 1 & 2 (priority) calls will be responded to, but Category 3 & 4 calls will not. I hope this helps and provides some reassurance.

Your child will be coming home with a Christmas section box. Huge thanks to Hash Norat who coordinated the donation, collection and delivery of over 320 boxes for our pupils: an incredibly kind and generous gift.

Although it was beautiful and very seasonal, I have to say that I am grateful the snow and ice has gone so that pupils can access the main playgrounds again and we can resume our usual drop-off and pick-up arrangements. Thank you again for supporting the school with this.

We break up from Christmas on Weds 21^{st} and pupils return on Thurs 5^{th} January.

I hope you all have a safe Winter break, and that Santa brings you lots of lovely things.

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Diane Taylor

Principal

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