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#### Headteacher Update

Welcome back to another half-term! This is another busy term as we build up to Christmas.

The plan is to go ahead with a carol concert for KS2 and nativities for the younger children as well as Christmas discos. All dates will be confirmed very soon! Let's hope there are no changes as we move forward and we all stay safe and well.

We would like to pass our congratulations to Miss Hemmings, our office manager, on her marriage over half-term. She is now Mrs Plant.

### Parent's Progress Update

The staff and I would like to invite you in to meet the member of staff who works most closely with your child and to discuss your child's work and progress. Your child's teacher will aim to see you individually so you can gain a better insight into how your child is progressing and what you can do to support your child. We look forward to welcoming you in and your child's class teacher will be in touch via class dojo or through the office.

#### School Terms and Holiday Dates 2021 / 2022

Autumn Term 2021

Pupils Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November - Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December

Training Day Friday 17th December

Holiday Friday 17th December – Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> January

Spring Term 2022

Term starts: Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February
Holiday Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> February

Training Day Monday 28th February

Pupils Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April Holiday Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April

Easter Sunday Sunday 17th April

#### Summer Term 2022

Staff & Pupils Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May

Bank holiday Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

Holiday Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June
Pupils Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June – Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July

Training Day Thursday 21st July

We have lots of seasonal bugs around and the office are happy to advise on next steps if you are unsure about sending your child into school. Please keep in touch with the office!









#### **Events Coming Up So Far**

All trips will appear on ParentPay with a payment plan if needed. We keep costs as low as possible and the more expensive visits are subsidised to reduce costs as far as possible.

If you need any help, please contact the school office and they will assist you.

10<sup>th</sup> November: Year 1 & 2 visit to the church

12th November: Year 1 & 2 visit to Potteries Museum

**Q** 15<sup>th</sup> November: Stoke City in school

18<sup>th</sup> November: Year 6 Talke Library Visit

25<sup>th</sup> November: Year 3 Museum Visit Liverpool

2<sup>nd</sup> December; Year 4 Roman Chester

9th December: Christmas Drama Workshop in school KS1 & KS2

<sup>Q</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> December: Year 6 Heart Start Lesson

**Q** 15<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Discos

#### **School Dinner Orders**

Thank you for your patience and understanding with the new system for choosing dinners. It is is now in place and we hope you are finding it easier to use. Please contact the office if you have any problems with ordering dinners and we hope that better deliveries and supplies mean we don't have to make any changes to the menu!

And finally, a reminder...

If you would like to visit the school during the day and see the children at work then please feel free to book an appointment with the office.

We are happy for you to be able to see the school in action!

Take care and have a wonderful weekend

Mrs S Formosa

