

C.E. PRIMARY ACADEMY (HANDSWORTH)

# The Newsletter 5

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Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a busy term here at Holy Trinity and we are still working hard on the build up to Christmas. Once again, Christmas is going to look a little different in school. We will be having a Christmas dinner for the children, details of how to order are found in the newsletter. The children will be going to church for a service on Monday 20th December and we will still have a Christmas jumper day. Unfortunately, we have made the decision to not hold a nativity this year as we are still limiting the number of adults in the building. Instead each class are working on learning a Christmas carol and we will be sending out a Holy Trinity Christmas video for you all to enjoy closer to Christmas.

We have a new management system which stores all of our pupil data. Our old system allowed us to send text messages, but our new system doesn't. Instead the new system has an app for parents to use. All parents need to sign up to the app as we will be sending out messages via the app from January onwards. Please see information contained in this newsletter about the app and how to download it. It is REALLY important that you all sign up to the app to receive the messages.

The children will be breaking up on Tuesday 21st December and will be returning to school on Monday 10th January. In the last newsletter I did explain that Thursday 6th and Friday 7th January 2022 will now be Teacher Days.

Mrs. P. Burns Headteacher

# Christmas

Our Christmas Dinner day will be on Tuesday 14th December. The children can place their dinner order on the School Gateway app. If your child is in KS2 and normally has sandwiches they can still order a Christmas Dinner via the app. Please make sure all orders are place by Sunday 12th December.

https://login.schoolgateway.com/0/auth/login

We will be holding our Christmas Jumper Day on Friday 10th December. We are asking for a donation of £1 which will go to Save the Children.







From: Tuesday 2 November 2021 to 21 December 2021

## (36 Days)

	Year Group	Amount for Half Term
School Fund	KS1 – REC-Y2	School Fund
		£3.60
Tuck & School Fund	KS2- YR3-6	Tuck £7.20
		School Fund £3.60
		Total: £10.80
Dinner Money	KS2- YR3-6	(£2.40 per day,
		£12.00 per week)
		£86.40
Y3 Swimming	Y3 ONLY	£2.00 per week
		£12.00 for term

Your child's Tuck & School Fund **MUST BE PAID EVERY MONDAY MORNING** via the class teacher unless you pay in advance.

## **Dinner Money**

Meals will continue to be paid and booked for via School Gateway account. Meals must be paid for before being taken. The office is no longer taking cash payments for meals, other than in exceptional circumstances.

#### **Dates for your diary**

Monday 20th December - Children to church

Tuesday 21st December - Children break up for Christmas

Wednesday 22nd December - Friday 7th January - Christmas holiday

Thursday 6th and Friday 7th January - Teacher Days

Monday 10th January 2022 - Children return to school



#### Dates for the year

Tuesday 21st December - Children break up for Christmas

Wednesday 22nd December - Friday 7th January - Christmas holiday

Thursday 6th and Friday 7th January - Teacher Days

Monday 10th January 2022 - Children return to school

Friday 18th February - Children break up for half term

Monday 21st February - Friday 25th February - half term

Monday 28th February - Children return to school

Thursday 7th April - Children break up for Easter

Friday 8th April - Teacher Day

Monday 11th April - Friday 22nd April - Easter holiday

Monday 25th April - Children return to school

Thursday 26th May - Children break up for half term

Friday 27th May - Teacher Day

Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June - Half term

Monday 6th June - Children return to school

Friday 22nd July - Children break up for summer holiday

Please note that children do not need to attend school on Teacher Days. These days are for staff training.