



The Apple



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Dear Parents/Carer

It has been an amazing week full of Christmas performances and the children were proud of themselves. Thank you to all who came and supported them.

Thank you to all those who came to the Christmas Fayre and donated gifts. The jam jars were amazing! We raised over £600. If any children missed Santa and bought a ticket, please come to the office to receive your present. The Sleaford Lionesses came into school to help decorate cakes for the fayre. Without their time and expertise we wouldn't have delicious cakes to sell.



Lastly a big thank you to Mrs Williams, Morrisons and the Coop for their donations of hampers, mince pies and sweets.

We look forward to seeing all the children next week. **We break up on Thursday 19th December at normal time. We return on Monday 6th January.**

Sara Pask
Deputy Headteacher

P.E

Now the weather is getting colder please make sure the children have appropriate clothing to wear for their PE sessions. This could be black leggings or jogging bottoms and a jacket or hooded top as P.E. sessions will be outside where possible.

Adults in School

Please remember that Parents/Carers should not be entering the school building either before or after school unless invited in by a member of staff. This is not because we do

not like to see you but because we need to ensure that our child protection and fire regulations are followed. If you are late for school then you should take your child to the office where they will then be directed to their class.

Shutting School For Snow

With winter upon us and cold spells forecast we would like to ensure that all Parents/Carers are aware of the way in which we would notify you should we have to close school. We would never take this decision lightly and would only close the school should we assess the situation and realise that staff or pupils would be in danger should we open. Notification of any closure would be by local radio, word of mouth, Twitter, Facebook and most importantly the school website.

Christmas Jumper Day

On the last day of term (Thursday 19th) we are inviting the children and staff to come into school wearing their Christmas Jumpers in return for a donation of £1 for the 'Save the Children' charity. Children will still be required to wear the rest of their school uniform (apart from the jumper of course).

Last Day of Term

On the last day of term (Thursday 19th) the children will be taking part in festive activities, including a whole school Christmas jumper competition. As part of the day the children will be designing their own Christmas jumpers and prizes for the winning designs will be handed out during assembly!

Please note that children are not to bring in any toys or games on the last day of term.

Party Day

You should have been informed of your child's party day by the class teacher. **Party day is on Tuesday for all children.** On the party day children can wear their party clothes throughout the day (no school uniform is required). Please make sure that the clothing is appropriate for children to wear outdoors at break times and avoid shoes which may be dangerous whilst outdoors!

Dates For Your Diary:

17th Dec

Christmas Parties (Classes)

19th Dec

Last day of term
Christmas Jumper Day (for 'Save the Children' charity)

6th Jan 2020

Return to School

School Term Dates:

Term 1 4 Sept - 18 Oct October Break

Term 2 29 Oct - 19 Dec Christmas Break

Term 3 6 Jan - 13 Feb February Break

Term 4 24 Feb - 2 Apr Easter Break

Term 5 20 Apr - 22 May May Break

Term 6 1 Jun - 21 Jul Summer Holiday