



# Kilnhurst St Thomas' C of E Primary Academy Newsletter – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2024



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## Only 2 weeks to go until the Christmas Holidays

We had a very festive day on Wednesday this week as the children had their Christmas Dinners. A big thank you to our wonderful kitchen staff, Rachel, Sarah and Nicola who worked so hard to give the children and staff a delicious Christmas meal.





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**Weekly Class Attendance**

FS1 – 97%	FS2 – 91%	Year 1 – 97.2%	Year 2 – 92.5%
Year 3 – 96.3%	<b>Year 4 – 97.4%</b>	Year 5 – 96.5%	Year 6 – 95.5%

Congratulations to **Class 4** who are this week's attendance winners.  
The whole school attendance this week was **95.4%** - above our target of 95%. Well done!



To promote 'Good' attendance in school. Pupils who achieve 100% attendance; and are in school on time each day will have their name put into a prize draw each week at Monday's assembly. The child who has their name drawn will get to choose a prize from Mrs Sherwood dip box.

**Reading Awards**

The following children have achieved their **Bronze** Reading Awards. Each of them has been given their reading badges. Well done to you all.

**Class 2**

**Rory B**  
**Jessie**  
**Emily**

**Class 4**

**Jacob K**  
**Amber**

**After School Clubs**

With our Christmas Performances taking place next week; we will be cancelling all after school clubs now until January 2025. A new list of ASC's will be published in the new year. Thank you.



**Dates for your diary - Autumn Term 2**

- 10<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Key Stage 2 Christmas Performance's – 2.00pm and 5.00pm
- 11<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance's – 2.00pm and 5.00pm
- 12<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – EYFS Christmas Performance – 9.15am
- 17<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – EYFS Christmas Party at 10.30am
- 17<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Class 5 and 6 Christmas Party (PM)
- 18<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Classes 1 and 2 Christmas Party (PM)
- 19<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Classes 3 and 4 Christmas Party (PM)
- 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – 1.30pm – Christmas Singalong with Mrs Sherwood (whole school)
- 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024 - School Breaks up for Christmas Holidays at 3.10pm



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**Christmas Performances 2024**

The children will be doing their Christmas performances next week on the dates / times stated below:

**10<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Key Stage 2 'Christmas Concert' Performance – 2.00pm and 5.00pm**

**11<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Key Stage 1 'Penguin Pete' Performance – 2.00pm and 5.00pm**

**12<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – EYFS (FS1/2) 'Christmas Nativity' Performance – 9.15am**

**Tickets are priced at £2.50 each and are on sale now at the School Office.**

Please ensure you have purchased your tickets by Monday next week as we will be selling left over tickets to those families who have requested extras on Tuesday. Thank you.





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**School Menu – Week Commencing 9<sup>th</sup> December 2024 (week 2)**

WEEK TWO	GREEN EARTH MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main Meal Option	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Tomato Pasta Salad	Pork Sausage with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Roast Gammon with Gravy, Yorkshire Pudding & Roast Potatoes	Garlic & Tomato Chicken Pasta Spirals	Fish Fingers & Chips
Vegetarian Option	Potato, Spinach & Cheese Toasted Wrap with Tomato Salsa	Plant Based Sausage with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Quorn Grill with Gravy, Yorkshire Pudding & Roast Potatoes	Garlic & Tomato Vegetable Pasta Spirals	Crispy Vegetable Fingers & Chips
Vegetables	Baked Beans or Garden Peas	Broccoli/Cauliflower & Carrots	Broccoli, Cauliflower, Carrots, Sweetcorn	Broccoli/Cauliflower & Carrots	Baked Beans or Garden Peas
Sandwiches	Freshly Made Sandwich with Cheddar, Tuna Mayonnaise or Ham				
Baked Jacket Potatoes	Jacket Potato with Cheesy Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheesy Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheesy Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheesy Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheesy Beans, Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans
Dessert	Apple & Sultana Crumble Bar with Custard	Iced Carrot Cake & Orange Slices	Chocolate Shortbread or Pinwheel with Chocolate Sauce	Toffee Cream Tart	Chocolate Oaty Slice



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# Christmas Festival

**4 pm Saturday 7th December  
St Thomas' Church, Kilnhurst**

- carols round the tree ● Kilnhurst Community Choir ●
- tree light switch on ● short talk ●

**Followed by**

- cafe ● hot food ● seasonal refreshments ●
- children's activities ●



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