

Kneesall Newsletter

‘Together We Achieve’

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the festive season, the halls of Kneesall C of E Primary School are filled with the joyous sounds of nativity rehearsals, heralding the beginning of a truly magical time. The excitement is palpable, with pupils and staff alike embracing the spirit of the season.

In Class 3, our pupils have been engaging in an innovative computing project, creating a school tour that has brought moments of both pride and laughter. We hope to be able to share this creative endeavour with our families in the near future, showcasing the talents of our young learners.

As we navigate this exceptionally busy period, your continued support is invaluable. The strong partnership between our school and our families is the cornerstone of our pupils' success, and we are profoundly grateful for your ongoing commitment to our school community.

Enjoy the weekend, whatever you may be doing.

Warmest wishes,
Mrs Marfleet

Belongings

A polite reminder that children need to have with them in school, a water bottle and a coat, especially now we have the colder weather. There have been quite a few children without coats this week.

Break times are spent outside in most weathers, including light rain and cold temperatures. We appreciate your co-operation in helping us to keep your child safe and well.

Attendance

Year to date figure:

Target 97%
Actual 94.8%

The class with the highest attendance this week was:

Class 3
99.07%



UPCOMING EVENTS

9th December
Mobile Library Visit

10th and 12th December
EYFS/KS1 Nativity
9.45am

13th December @10am
Rocksteady Concert

16th December
Child Measurement YR R & 6

18th December
Christmas Dinner, jumper
and party day

19th December
Christmas Service @St. Barts
1.30pm
Followed by Christmas Fair @school

“Therefore, the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel.”

Isaiah 7.14



Christingle

It was wonderful to see so many of our families at church for the Christingle Service.

The children did a superb job helping the vicar, taking great care with their Christingles (!) and singing beautifully.



Christmas Parties

As is the tradition, we will be having class Christmas parties to celebrate the season together. These will be held in the afternoon of Wednesday 18th December.

The children are welcome to come into school in either a Christmas jumper or their party clothes on this day. Please ensure clothing is appropriate for the weather conditions on the day.

School will provide party snacks for the children to ensure children with allergies are catered for. Thank you.



Values Award Winners

Foundation

Kindness – Maisie
Courage - Kyra
Faith - Ralph

Class 1

Kindness – Oscar
Courage – Eli
Faith – Hughie

Class 2

Kindness – Aaditya
Courage – Freddie
Faith – Archie

Class 3

Kindness – Henry P
Courage – Tifara
Faith – Elijah

Other Notices

Midday Supervisor Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Midday Supervisor in school, the full advert can be found [here](#). It is a notoriously difficult position to fill due to the timings. However, it is also a role that is incredibly rewarding and enjoyable. If you, or anyone you know might be interested we would love to hear from you.

Please email the office directly at office@kneesall.notts.sch.uk

Celebration Worship

Please be aware that there will be no parent Celebration Worship this half term. We will all celebrate together at our Christmas Service and the many other events over the final few weeks.

Parking

Please take care when parking near school at drop off and collection. Avoid parking near junctions and on the yellow zig zag lines outside of school to help keep everyone safe.

After-school Clubs

Please be reminded that next week will be the last week for afterschool clubs (choir, craft, maths and multi-skills).

Communications

As a school, we make every effort to ensure communications are clear, thorough and timely. Should you need any further communication or clarity we ask that you contact school directly rather than staff in their personal time. We appreciate your support with this matter.