



Manor Farm Infant School

December 2024 Newsletter

School Motto

**'Together We
Grow'**

DECEMBER

Dear Parents

Celebrating Christmas in school is always a magical time of year.

It was wonderful to welcome you to watch 'Straw and Order' where I was bursting with pride at how well the children performed our whole school Christmas performance. The children worked hard to learn their lines, songs and dances and every child shone brightly.

This has been followed by a very sparkly activity week where the children have enjoyed lots of arts and craft activities. The choir also visited Hughenden Court retirement living to bring some Christmas cheer with their beautiful singing.

Christmas jumper day and Christmas lunch brought lots of fun and excitement where the children enjoyed pulling crackers with their friends and tucking into tasty treats. Christmas playtime discos have been great fun led by Mrs Couch and have got us all into the Christmas spirit!

A big thank you to all of the staff who continue to work tirelessly with so much passion and dedication. Thank you also to all of our families for your continued support.

On behalf of all the staff I would like to thank you all for the lovely cards with beautiful messages and generous gifts. I wish you all a very happy and healthy Christmas and New Year.

Janice Woodhead

Staff Update

We are delighted to let you know that Mr & Mrs Humphrey had a baby girl yesterday. No name yet but mum and baby are doing well.

We welcome back Miss Philipps in January. She will be job sharing with Mrs Blair in Larch class and will teach at the end of the week.

Reminders

Please can we remind you that everyone should have a pair of tracksuit trousers for outside PE in school as part of their PE kit.

Please also note that smoking and vaping is strictly prohibited on school grounds at all times.

A gentle reminder to please be considerate when parking and to not stop or park on the zig zag lines outside school.

Apple Plugs and Leads

We are looking for some apple plugs and leads to use with iPads, if you have any spare please consider donating them to us. Thank you.

DATES FOR

NEXT TERM

20th December—Last Day of Term— 3.15pm

7th January 2025—Return to School— 8.45am

22nd January —Stay and Play—Reception 9am-10am

23rd January—Parent Class Visit—Chestnut class 2.15pm

29th January —Parent Class Visit—Willow class 9am

30th January—Parent Class Visit—Beech class 2.15pm

4th February—Parent Class Visit—Larch class 9am

14th February—Last day of term

w/c 17th February—Half Term

25th February—Return to school—8.45am

School Website

Please look at the lovely photos on the school website to see some of the fun activities that have been happening in school, including History off the Page, the Christmas performances, activity week and Christmas lunch.

