



Twiss Green Newsletter

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Writing Curriculum Evening

A reminder that on Wednesday 23rd November, parents and carers are invited into school for a writing curriculum evening. At 5pm, there will be a short presentation in the hall about how we teach writing at Twiss Green and what your child's writing journey looks like through school from Year 1 to Year 6. Following this, there will be an opportunity to go into your child's classroom to talk to their class teacher about writing in their year group. Your child's English book will also be available for you to see their progress in writing so far this year, alongside the resources used to teach writing in class. Please note, although Reception parents are very welcome to join the meeting, the evening will focus on Y1-Y6 and the Reception classroom will not be open.

Writing is one of our key school improvement priorities for this year, so we hope you will join us to find out a little more about this important curriculum area.



Christmas Decorations

Parents/Carers are invited into school next week to join their child in making a Christmas decoration. These decorations will be used around school over the next few weeks and some will decorate our tree for the Christmas Tree Festival at Newchurch Parish Church. For Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, this will be on Tuesday 29th November at 2pm and for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6, this will be Wednesday 30th November, also at 2pm.



Respect, Resilience, Relationships



Christmas



We have a very busy few weeks planned as we prepare for the festive season. Please find more information below about the run up to Christmas:

Tuesday 29th November, 2pm: Parents/Carers of children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are invited into school to join their child in class to make a Christmas decoration on the theme of 'crowns.' The decorations will be used in school and on the Christmas tree we decorate for the Christmas tree festival at Newchurch Parish Church.

Wednesday 30th November, 2pm: Parents/Carers of children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 are invited into school to join their child in class to make a Christmas decoration as above.

Monday 5th December: Year 5 and 6 will be going to Culcheth High School during the morning to watch their production of 'Abba Mia.' Please could all children in those classes bring a packed lunch that day.

Monday 5th December: Reception and KS1 dress rehearsal of 'A Wiggly Nativity' to be performed for KS2.

Tuesday 6th December, 9.30am and Wednesday 7th December, 6pm: Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 performance of 'A Wiggly Nativity.' Families will be allocated 2 tickets per performance to comply with our fire regulations. We ask that any tickets that won't be needed are returned to the school office to be redistributed. Refreshments will be available to buy at both performances. Further information and tickets will be sent out soon.

Thursday 8th December: Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day. Children are invited to come into school wearing a Christmas jumper over their uniform instead of their school jumper/cardigan, in return for a suggested £2 donation to Save the Children.

Friday 9th December: Unfortunately, the PTFA have had to cancel the planned Christmas fair due to lack of volunteers. Instead, they are organising Christmas parties on the 9th December. More information will follow from them soon.

Tuesday 13th December: Coffee, Cakes and Carols. Grandparents and other senior members of our community are invited to join us for tea/coffee and cakes at 9.30am. Each class will perform a Christmas song/carol for our guests to enjoy.

Wednesday 14th December: Year 4 have an Ancient Greek workshop in school and Year 1 will be visiting Warrington Museum to learn about toys from the past. KS2 will also be having first aid workshops during the day.

Thursday 15th December: Reception and KS1 Christmas party day. Children will be allowed to come into school dressed in their own clothes.

Thursday 15th December: KS2 carol service at the Methodist Church, 2.15pm. Families are invited to join us for the service and children can be dismissed to an adult following the service or return to school with staff to be dismissed as usual at the end of the day.

Friday 16th December: KS2 Christmas party day. Children will be allowed to come into school dressed in their own clothes.

Friday 16th December: Break up for Christmas at 2.30pm.

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Thank You!

Last week was a very busy week in school as we marked Anti-Bullying Week. Thank you for your support in sending the children into school wearing odd socks on Monday and in rock star costumes on Tuesday. The children thoroughly enjoyed Rock Kidz and the fun, interactive workshops really helped to underpin important messages about anti-bullying. Thank you to our PTFA for funding the day for us. Finally, thank you for supporting Children in Need on Friday. We are very proud of the £443.64 raised by Twiss Green.

