



WYMONDHAM
COLLEGE
PREP SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER
11th December 2020



THE HEAD'S PREAMBLE

This week, we have delighted in our first Nativity. The children did a great job performing their songs, incorporating all the actions and remembering all their lines. We hope that you enjoy the recording of it too.

As we enter the final week of term, I am so pleased by our pupils' continued enthusiasm to learning. It is a credit to them, yourselves and all the great work of the Prep School staff who work tirelessly to create an engaging and aspirational school.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

On Wednesday 16th December the pupils will have their Christmas lunch. If your child normally has a packed lunch but wishes to take part in Christmas lunch, please notify Mrs Raw so we can accommodate the additional portions.



LAST DAY OF TERM

Term will end at 3.15pm on Friday 18th December.

Please note there are no clubs, or Extended Day provision.

Early Birds Breakfast will run as normal in the morning.



EARLY BIRDS & EXTENDED DAY

The booking system is now open for your extended care requirements from January until February half term 2021. If you have any questions regarding our Wisepay system please refer to our previous communication on this or speak to Mrs Raw in the School Office.





HAPPINESS

and Aspiration

This week's main areas of learning that the children will be focusing on are identified below.

Maths - we are consolidating numbers 1-5.

Phonics - We are consolidating all sounds we have learned and are focusing on segmenting and blending

Literacy - We are focusing on using our phonics to segment and write simple words to form sentences

Discover - We will be learning about Christmas and winter traditions.

Each week the children discover a new poem, this week they studied "I'm a Little Snowman".

I'm a little snowman,
short and fat.
Here is my scarf,
and here is my hat.
When it's cold and snowy
I will stay,
but when it gets hot
I will melt away!





The Week Ahead

Week Commencing 14.12.20

2020 December

Miss
Horsfield's
Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
14 School Uniform	15 Sports Kit Dance	16 School Uniform	17 Sports Kit Games	18 School Uniform (Last Day of Term 3.15pm finish)	19	20

2020 December

Mrs
Simpson's
Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
14 Sports Kit Games	15 Sports Kit Dance	16 School Uniform	17 School Uniform Trainers for Get Up & Go	18 School Uniform (Last Day of Term 3.15pm finish)	19	20

End of Term

At the end of term, we will be announcing the first winners of the trophies listed below. The winners of these awards are chosen from the whole school cohort and determined by the staff body or, in the case of the Stars Cup, this is awarded to the pupil with the most stars.

- ❖ Stars Cup
- ❖ Manners Cup
- ❖ Unobtrusive Good Influence

These will be presented to pupils on the last day of term, along with the Julie Taylor House Cup to the house that is leading the House Championship at the end of term. We have decided to name this particular trophy in recognition of the hard work and commitment Julie has given (and still gives) to the Prep, which we are all appreciative of.

We will also be awarding pupils Effort medals – these are for pupils who have demonstrated a consistently excellent level of effort and enthusiasm.

Houses

With one week left to go, the children were super excited to hear how their house (family) was doing and how they can help them be successful.

Below you will find the current standings.

