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Dear Parent/Carer,

With only 5 more days until the big day, we finally come to the last day of term – and what a fun filled term it has been. It has been absolutely fantastic being able to invite you into school to join in with our festivities and the appreciation you have shown towards us all for working with the children on them. Of course, the children are the stars of the show and have worked so hard this term. We are exceptionally proud of them.

Children's achievements

Over the course of the last few weeks, we have been informed of a number of children who have achieved great things in their activities outside school and so we have decided to add an additional page in our January newsletter, and those which follow. If you would like us to celebrate your child's achievements, please send the details (along with a picture if possible) to the office via newchurch_primary@sch.warrington.gov.uk Who knows, your child may inspire others.

COVID Update

As you are aware the number of cases as a result of the Omicron variant is rising and along with this comes the worry of a potential lockdown and the children's education being affected. At this moment in time, we are very much looking forward to (and hoping for) the children returning on Wednesday 5th January 2022 for face to face teaching and learning. Despite the rumours floating around, schools have not been given any indication that they will need to move remote learning in January. However, if this is the case, please be assured that we have everything prepared and ready for action as a result of parents informing us of their key worker status and their need for devices.

Should an announcement be made within the Christmas holiday period, please do not worry. We will communicate with you as soon as is humanly possible with any information you may need. We will alert you in the usual way via a text message to inform you a letter has been posted on the website.

Christmas Reading Challenge

As you know, reading is a huge deal at Newchurch and we try to encourage our children to read for pleasure. In each class Google Classroom, you will find a Christmas Reading Challenge with a number of challenges for the children to try out over the holidays. For every child who attempts 8 of the ten challenges, they will receive a certificate and be entered in a prize draw.



Christmas Plays and Photographs

Our amazing teachers have worked their magic and have uploaded a series of photographs of the children in their Christmas play costumes. In addition, there is a recording of each of the Christmas Plays for you to enjoy.

As we were not able to accommodate the whole school Christmas assembly for obvious reasons this afternoon, we have posted a little treat just for you from all the children. Sit back, enjoy and fill your hearts with pride and joy.

On behalf of all the staff and governors, I would like to wish you all a fabulous Christmas and look forward to seeing you all in the New Year.

Take care and please keep safe,

Mrs Jayne Narraway

Headteacher



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