

## SAINT PETER AT GOWTS 1.12.2023

# FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Dear St Peter's Families,

Christmas has arrived at St Peter's! We are all ready to start our Christmas celebrations and next week is jam packed with our Christmas performances and we hope you can join us.

Tuesday 5th December - EYFS performances at 10am and 1.45pm (in school).

Thursday 7th December - KS1 (Year 1 & 2) performance at Southside, Colegrave Street, Lincoln LN5 8DW. If you haven't already ordered your tickets please see the School Office.

Friday 8th December - KS2 Carol Concert in the school playground 3.25pm - 3.45pm.
Everyone welcome and the PTA will be selling hot chocolate!

For our Reverse Advent Calendar, we are collecting toiletries and socks for the Salvation Army. These items will go to vulnerable people in Lincoln. Please send your child in with the donation.









As well as all these events our children are continuing with their learning and as always embracing our curriculum! We are extremely proud of their achievements this term and we know they are consistently working hard.

Just a reminder that our **clubs have now finished** and will return in January. Please collect your children at 3.20pm or arrange after school care with Lincoln City Foundation. If you need more information please come to the School Office.

Thank you for your continued support.

Emily Mayer Headteacher

#### SAFEGUARDING TEAM

Keeping your children safe on YouTube. It is very easy for children to access, by accident or out of curiosity, inappropriate content. As parents/carers it is our duty to keep them safe online. Parental restrictions are necessary if your child/ren are using YouTube. The National Online Safety website have the following advice for parents and carers <a href="https://nationalcollege.com/guides/youtube-2022#pdf">https://nationalcollege.com/guides/youtube-2022#pdf</a>, as always if you have any concerns please speak to a member of our DSL team.

#### **A**TTENDANCE

We are aware that the winter months are approaching which increases lots of bugs and germs. Please ensure you are reminding your child/ren the importance of handwashing regularly throughout the day, not just after using the toilet.

Please send your child to school with appropriate outdoor wear, warm coat, hat, scarf and gloves.

All of the above will reduce the number of bugs and germs being spread and children becoming poorly, which then does not impact on your child's school attendance.

Attending school every day can help your child to achieve their aspirations, and the aspirations you have for them!

Thank you for your support.

### DIARY DATES

Friday 1st December - School Clubs Finish

Monday 4th December - Christmas Post Box Opens

Monday 4th December - 'Caring Christmas' Event for Grandparents

Tuesday 5th December - EYFS Performances (Nursery & Reception)

Thursday 7th December - KS1 Performance (Year 1 & Year 2) at Southside

Thursday 7th December - Y6 University of Lincoln Sports Centre Visit

Friday 8th December - Non-Uniform Day (Donation for luxury hamper)

Friday 8th December - KS2 Carol Concert (Year 3, 4, 5 & 6)

Wednesday 13th December - Nursery Tattershall Farm Visit

Friday 15th December - Christmas Lunch Day & Christmas Crafts

Monday 18th December - Pantomime Visit (Morning)

Monday 18th December - Last day for Christmas Post Box

Tuesday 19th December - Extravaganza Day and Christmas 'Bake Off'

Wednesday 20th December - Christingle in Church - 2pm

Wednesday 20th December - Children finish

Wednesday 3rd January 2024 - Children return to school

### TERM DATES

Please do take note of these term dates and remember that every day in school is vital for all children.

Term 1 - Wednesday 6th September 2023 to Friday 20th October 2023

Term 2 - Tuesday 31st October 2023 to Wednesday 20th December 2023

Term 3 - Wednesday 3rd January 2024 to Friday 9th February 2024

Term 4 - Monday 19th February 2024 to 28th March 2024

Term 5 - Tuesday 16th April 2024 to Friday 24th May 2024

Term 6 - Monday 3rd June 2024 to Friday 19th July 2024