



7th December 2018

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Article 28
Every child has the right to an education

# Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

#### **Nursery Gate**

Can I politely request that parents accessing the school through the nursery gate close the gate after them. Many thanks.

#### **Absence**

If your child is away please could you ring the school office on 01384 818545 by 9.15 am to let us know the reason for their absence.

#### Christmas Trees

Pop up to the Glass Cone before the 6th Jan, to see our Christmas tree displayed with other trees from local Primary Schools. It looks fantastic! Thanks to Miss



Reynolds for taking the tree and displaying it at the Cone and all the children who made the decorations.

#### **Primary Admissions**

If your child was born between 1 Sept 2014 and 31 Aug 2015 they will be due to start primary school in September 2019. The closing date for applications is 15 January 2019. See overleaf for more details of how to apply.

### Christmas Dinner 12th December

Reminder if you haven't returned the slip for your child they will need to bring a packed lunch on 12th December. Thank you!

#### Class List

We're sorry but we cannot provide class lists for Christmas cards or birthday invitations.

#### **Christmas Cards**

There are postboxes for Christmas cards in the KS1 & 2 halls. Please make sure you put the FULL NAME AND CLASS ON THE ENVELOPE otherwise Santa's' little helpers might not be able to deliver them to the right person.



Many thanks for your continued support!

**Keith Butler** 

# Holy Trinity Church

Wordsley Choral
Society Performance
Saturday 8th December - 7.00pm

Carols at The Lawnswood Thursday 13th December 7.30pm

Christingle Service

Sunday 16th December 4.00pm

Carol Service

Sunday 23rd December at 6.30pm

Crib Service

Monday 24th December at 4pm

Midnight Mass

Monday 24th December at 11.30pm

Holy Communion
Tuesday 25th December
8am and 10am

# CHRISTMAS FAYRE Today Friday 7th December 3.15pm-5.15pm

- Stalls
- Choir
- Crafts

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- Refreshments
- **Tombolas**
- Santa £2 includes a gift
- Games
- KS1 & KS2 Hall

**Free Admission** 



# Dinner Menu WC 10th December (Week 3)

Dinner money can be paid weekly, please send it in to the school office on a Monday in an envelope clearly marked with the name and class and the amount enclosed, cash or cheque made payable to Dudley MBC. School meal prices are £2.30 per day.

#### **Monday**

Quorn Curry Beef Lasagne Served with Potato Mash Carrots, Broccoli

Iced Sponge and Custard

#### **Tuesday**

Tempura Fish Goujons Veg Meatballs Spaghetti Served with Sauté Potatoes, Pasta, Peas. Baked Beans.

Cornflake Cake

# Wednesday Christmas Lunch Pre-booked only

#### **Thursday**

Cajun Chicken Wrap Cheese Savoury Served with Boiled New Potatoes, Peas, Carrots

Fruit Cheesecake

#### **Friday**

Cheese and Tomato Pizza Fish Fingers Served with Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Sweetcorn

Fruit Crumble and Custard

#### Items Available Everyday

Jacket Potato and Filling, Salad, Fresh Bread, Cheese and Biscuits, Yoghurt, Jelly, Fresh Fruit Salad, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Water, Chef's Choice Dessert.

Grab Bag including a Sandwich or Roll with a variety of filling including Cheese, Tuna or Ham, Crudités or Salad Pot, Fresh Fruit, Cake, Biscuit or Yoghurt, Water

Dudley Catering have sent us the following information: the menu is available in a format that you can download onto your mobile phone.

The website will also detail information regarding their upcoming promotions.

Website address - www.dcccs.co.uk

# **DIARY DATES**

#### December 2018

10th Nursery Dudley Zoo 11th KS1 Christmas Performance 14.00pm 12th Christmas Dinner 12th KS1 Christmas Performance 18.00pm 14th Nursery Christmas Performance 10.45am 14th Save The Children Christmas Jumper Day 14th Year3 & 4 Birmingham museum 18th Year1 & 2 Sycamore Centre 19th Reception Glass Cone 19th KS2 Christmas Concert at Holy Trinity Wordsley 10.00am

#### 2019 Spring Term

21st Children break up

Term starts: Mon 7th January Inset Day Tues 8th January Children return to school 15th Parent and Toddler group re-opens 22nd Young Voices Year 4 Half Term Mon 18th Feb to Fri 22nd Term Ends Fri 12th April

#### 2019 Summer Term

Term starts: Mon 29th April Thurs 2nd May Local Elections Inset Day Fri 3rd May Inset Day Mon 6th May May Day Bank Holiday Tues 7th May Children return to school Half Term Mon 27th May to Fri 31st Fri 19th July Children break up Term Ends Mon 22nd July Inset Day



## Starting Primary School in September 2019

Why not apply for a place online? If your child was born between 1 Sept 2014 and 31 Aug 2015 they will be due to start primary school in September 2019.

You **MUST** complete an application either online at www.dudley.gov.uk/admissions or by completing an application form from your home local authority by

15 JÁNUARY 2019. You can include five school preferences on the application; there is nothing to gain by only putting one preference.

The online system will be available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week from 1 Oct 2018 until the closing date for applications on 15 JANUARY 2019

Attendance at a nursery attached to a primary school will not guarantee admission to that particular primary school or give any advantage to the pupil in the admissions process.



#### **Nursery Maths Problem**

When you are at home or out and about, have a look for what numbers you can see. Can you read them? How many can you find? Top tip! Look out for door numbers, bus numbers and registration plate numbers.

