

Dove Bank Primary School

Weekly Bulletin - 1.12.2023



Christmas Jumper Exchange

With Christmas just around the corner, it's time to dust off your Christmas jumpers!

Children are invited to wear their Christmas jumper's on Friday 15th and Friday 22nd December.

No need to buy new! We will be holding a swap event - please send in any unwanted/grown out of items to school. We will prepare rails where you will be invited to pick a new one for your child.



Flu Nasal Spray Clinics

If your child missed receiving the nasal spray in school and you would like them to receive this please telephone 03001240366 to make an appointment at a local clinic.

Dove Bank Christmas Market

Wednesday 6th December

Our PTFA have organised a fantastic Christmas market 5.30-7.30pm at school.

Join us for a glass of mulled wine and to do some Christmas shopping!

Many stalls will be there including 40 quality gift and handmade craft stalls, games and activities and a choice of sweet and savoury treats!

We look forward to seeing you, come and join us for a 'Selfie with the Elfie'.



Diary Date - 8th Dec Own Clothes day in exchange for gift donation for the PTFA gift stall.

Cold Weather & Belongings

As the weather is getting colder, we are seeing lots of children coming in wrapped up warm in coats hats, gloves and scarves. Please ensure that all belongings that come into school are named. This will mean that, should any belongings go astray, we will be able to return them.

Also, please take care as you walk around the school. The ground can be slippery where it has frozen or leaves have fallen. If possible, please use pathways where there is a hand rail to keep hold of.



EYFS and KS1 Nativity

Wednesday 13th December 9.30am and 1.30pm



The stage is up... The glitter ball is spinning... The children are ready!

We cannot wait to invite you into school to watch our annual EYFS and KS1 nativity. The children are so excited to share their performance with parents, friends and family.

Just a reminder - the performances are at 9.30am and 1:30pm, and you do not need a ticket to attend. We anticipate that the hall will be full, so, unfortunately, we will be unable to accommodate prams and pushchairs. Siblings are very welcome to attend, but they will need to be on chairs or on laps.

Wellies and Puddle Suits

As our curriculum evolves and develops, we are looking forward to spending more time learning outside. If you have any spare wellies, puddle suits, water proofs that you no longer need at home, please consider donating them to us in school.

We need all sizes from Doves all the way through to Year 6 to keep as spares.

Thank you in advance for your support.



Monday 30 th October - Friday 3 rd November Half Term	
Friday 10 th November	Remembrance Assembly led by Year 5. Parents invited to attend - 2:45 - 3:05
Monday 13 th November - Friday 17 th November	Anti-bullying week - whole school Nursery Rhyme week - Doves
Monday 13 th November	Kindness Day Sibling, Family and Individual School Photographs
Thursday 16 th November	Doves Stay and Play - Nursery Rhyme Themed, 2pm
Monday 20 th - Friday 24 th November	Year 6 at Standon Bowers
Thursday 23 rd November	Flu immunisation program R - 5 (Y6 will follow)
Friday 24 th November	Year 5 - Level 2 Bikeability
Friday 1 st December	Own Clothes Day in exchange for a Hamper item. <i>Details will follow</i>
Tuesday 5 th December	Reception and Year 6 Height and Weight check
Wednesday 6 th December	PTFA Christmas Fair
Friday 8 th December	Own Clothes Day in exchange for a gift for the PTFA gift stall
Wednesday 13 th December	EYFS and Key Stage 1 Nativity - shows at 9:30 and 1:30
Friday 15 th December	PTFA Gift Stall Christmas Jumper Day
Monday 18 th December	Mince Pie Afternoon - parents invited, 1:15 - 3:00
Tuesday 19 th December	Christmas Church Visit with Rev. Baker
Wednesday 20 th December	Christmas Craft Afternoon - parents invited, 1:15 - 3:00
Thursday 21 st December	PTFA Christmas Disco
Friday 22 nd December	Christmas Jumper Day & Class parties
Friday 22 nd December	Break up for the Christmas Holiday