

Highlights this Week:

Dear Families and Friends,

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas at Fairfield and it has been another magical week of making memories.

EYFS, Year 1, Year 4 Christmas Church Visits: have all enjoyed visiting St Helen's Church, finding out about the meaning of Christmas for Christians through an interactive service with music and song, stories and Christingles. All children also had opportunities to take part in arts and craft activities. Many thanks to the team at St. Helen's Church for inviting our children along.

Year 2 Enterprise Day: thank you to all the families and friends who joined us for the Y2 Enterprise morning. Starting with the opportunity to buy hot chocolate in the hall, adults were then taken to the Y2 Chocolate Shops. Children loved using their persuasive advertising skills to sell their chocolate products to you and were fantastic at using their mathematical skills to work out the total cost of products and the amount of change required for their customers. The children made over a staggering £200 profit and are looking forward to now purchasing new playground equipment to use at break and lunch times. 😊

A Christmas Pantomime: All children were mesmerised and enthralled with the spectacular production of Charles Dickens' timeless classic: A Christmas Carol, performed by a professional travelling theatre company. Did we all have a great time? *Oh yes we did!*

Winter Fair: We are looking forward to welcoming you all at our Christmas Fair, taking place at the end of school today. Please remember to bring along lots of change, as the children have been working hard making products to sell! Thank you to the PTFA who have worked tirelessly behind the scenes in organising this event.

Scholastics Half Price Book Fair: A reminder that Monday 16th December will be the last day of the half price book fair being in school.



Christmas Jumper Day: A reminder that the children can wear their Christmas jumpers with their school uniform on Thursday 19th December, as this is our Christmas dinner day.



EYFS Nativity: The EYFS Nativity will be on Wednesday 18th December at 2pm. Tickets may be purchased through SchoolMoney.



After School Clubs: Just a reminder that the after school clubs for this term have now finished and we will send information regarding the clubs in the New Year. This does not affect Learning Zone after school club.

Dinner Menu Change: As Thursday (19th) is our Christmas Dinner day, we will now be serving Sausage & gravy with creamed potatoes and broccoli with Fruit flapjack on Tuesday (17th).

Fairfield Careers Fair 2020: On Thursday 16th January we will be organising a Careers Fair for all of our children to visit. This will be taking place from 9am – 12:15pm in the school hall / library. **If you are able to support us on this day by coming in and talking about your career, we would love to hear from you!** Please contact the school office on 0115 9179266 and Miss Greensmith will be in touch.



Menu for week commencing 16th December 2019:

Monday	Meatballs & pasta in tomato sauce, garlic slice, sweetcorn	Carrot cake
Tuesday	Sausage & gravy, creamed potatoes, broccoli	Fruit flapjack
Wednesday	Chicken fajitas, herby dice, garden peas	Cherry sponge & custard
Thursday	CHRISTMAS DINNER DAY!!	
Friday	Fish fingers (2), chips, baked beans	Oatmeal biscuit

Vegetarian options are available daily
Yoghurt, Cheese & crackers and fresh fruit served daily

Activities for week commencing 16th December 2019:

Monday	Scholastics half price book fair Christmas church visit Years 2 & 3 (am) / Year 5 (pm)
Tuesday	
Wednesday	EYFS Nativity 2pm
Thursday	Christmas dinner & Christmas jumper day
Friday	BREAK UP

Key dates for Autumn 2019 / Spring 2020 terms

16 th Dec – Christmas Church visit Years 2 & 3 AM, Year 5 PM 18 th Dec – EYFS Nativity performance 2.00pm 19 th Dec – Christmas dinner and jumper day (with school uniform) 20 th Dec – Last day of Autumn Term	6 th Jan – First day of Spring Term 14 th Jan – New parent show around for Sept 20 intake 14 th Jan – Young Voices concert, Sheffield 16 th Jan – Careers fair 20 th Jan – PTFA Committee meeting 4pm 22 nd Jan – WOW afternoon 2pm – 3:15pm 28 th Jan – Pupil learning Meetings 29 th Jan – Pupil Learning Meetings
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★ Our SHINE Values ★

- Success
- High Expectations
- Independence
- Never Give Up
- Equality

Our Vision Statement: For all of our children to emerge from Fairfield as positive, independent, inquisitive individuals; with the ability and desire to make the world a better place as lifelong learners.

