

# News Update

TERM 2 - 25th November, 2016

## YEAR 3/4 FOOTBALL

A huge well done to the Year 3 and 4 Football Team who participated in a tournament on Monday night.

They played extremely well and demonstrated excellent sportsmanship!



### Dates for the Diary

Friday 25th November	INSET Day
Friday 2nd December	FAB Christmas Fair
Thursday 15th December 9.30am	EYFS Xmas Performance
Thursday 15th December 2pm and 5pm	Key Stage 1 Xmas Performance
Wednesday 14th December 2pm	Key Stage 2 Xmas Performance
Tuesday 20th December	Christmas Dinner
Tuesday 20th December	End of Term 2
Wednesday 21st December	INSET Day
Tuesday 3rd January	INSET Day
Wednesday 4th January	Pupils return for Term 3

## SIERRA LEONE THEME DAY

We had a fantastic day developing our critical thinking skills this week whilst learning all about Sierra Leone.



## CHILDREN IN NEED

We would like to say a huge thank you to all the parents and carers that supported our Children in Need Sale.

We raised a huge total of £230 which will go to help children all over the UK.



## CHRISTMAS

As you will be aware, Christmas and the end of term is fast approaching and therefore we just wanted to clarify some arrangements for the end of term.



We would ask that parents and carers do not send their children to school with Christmas accessories before the 12th December. After this the pupils may wear a small addition to their uniform e.g. tinsel, boppers etc. but should remain in full academy uniform.

**Christmas Pantomime** - On Friday 2nd December the pupils will be treated to a 'panto' in the main hall. More details will be provided to parents shortly!

**Christmas Cards** - Christmas cards will be managed slightly differently this year to ensure that children do not feel under pressure to give or receive cards. There will be a post box stationed in the main entrance hall which the children will need to post all Christmas cards into. No cards will be allowed to be given out individually during the school day. Each envelope should be addressed with the child's name and their class name and placed into the post box. Within the last full week of term, the post box will be emptied and the post will be delivered to the pupils.

**Christmas Dinner** - This will take place on Tuesday 20th December. Letters will be coming home shortly to parents and carers to enable you to order your child's Christmas dinner. No other meals will be served on this day other than a main meal and a vegetarian option.

**Christmas Jumper Day** - On the last day of term, Tuesday 20th December, the pupils are invited to join in the festivities and wear a Christmas jumper. The pupils should wear their school trousers / skirt with a Christmas jumper. They may also wear some form of Christmas headdress should they wish.

**Christmas Parties** - On the last day of term, Tuesday 20th December, after Christmas lunch, the pupils will be having some form of Christmas celebration in their classrooms. This may be a Christmas party or another form of celebration. Class Teachers will provide more information nearer to the time as to what the children need for this event.

