## Hardwick Green Primary Academy

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## CHRISTMAS UPDATE

1 December 2021

Dear parents and carers,

You will have seen new temporary measures being put in place nationally relating to the emergence of a new COVID-19 variant and so bearing this in mind, I am writing to you with an update about Christmas in school.

The Christmas Fair will NOT be going ahead as we cannot safely manage this. However, we will be going ahead with our nativity performances, in line with department for Education Guidance.

The main safety precautions in place are:

- There will only be one ticket *per child* available I realise this will cause some disappointment but I'm sure you'll agree this is better than cancelling the performances. Each year group will put on two performances one morning and one afternoon performance of the same show and you will be able to book one ticket to either the morning or the afternoon show.
- There will be a limit of 50 family members per performance to allow for spacing.
- Family members will be asked to wear face coverings whilst in school, unless exempt.
- Family members will be asked to do an LFD test before attending.
- We will endeavour to ventilate the hall as much as possible during the performance.

The dates and times of the performances are:

	Morning – 10am	Afternoon – 2pm
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 1 and 2	Year 3 and 4
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Reception	Reception
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 3 and 4	Year 5 and 6
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 5 and 6	Year 1 and 2

You can book on the SchoolCloud system that we use for parent evening and club bookings: <u>https://hardwickgreen.schoolcloud.co.uk/</u> If you have difficulties with this please contact the office. We have reserved a ticker per child so you will not miss out.

If we have a significant number of positive COVID-19 cases in school then we may have to postpone. We will keep you informed.

Best wishes,

Chris Story

Principal