

Merry Christmas



OAKFIELD ACADEMY
BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE

15th December 2021

Dear Parents,

The staff at Oakfield Academy would like to thank you all for your support and wish you a lovely break this Christmas. We continue to keep enhanced measures in place to help everyone start their holidays well. Please assume the same measures will be in place in January.

KS2 Scrooge Production:

We hope to be filming these two productions on Wednesday 15th December. These will be ready to view shortly via a link for Oakfield families only. We hope you enjoy watching the performance from home.

End of Term:

Thursday 16th December

Christmas Dinner day and everyone is welcome to wear their Christmas Jumpers with the rest of their uniform.

Friday 17th December – finish at 2pm, buses have been arranged for this time too.

COVID Vaccinations for 12 to 15 Year olds:

The Health and Social Care Secretary announced on Monday 29 November that young people aged 12 to 15 in England will be offered a second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine, following advice from JCVI. Parents of children aged 12-15 that have not yet had their first vaccine can book their child's first vaccination slot over the winter break via the [national booking system](#). In some cases, parents will be able to get their booster at the same time as their child getting their first vaccine.

COVID vaccination walk-in clinics are being held on Tuesday 4th January, 09:30am – 12:00pm at Frome Town Hall, Christchurch Street West, Frome, Somerset BA11 1EB. These sessions are open to all 12 – 15 year olds who have not yet received their 1st dose.

Information on vaccination for 12 to 15 year olds can be found in the [COVID-19 vaccine for children aged 12 to 15 guidance](#).

Flu Vaccinations:

There will be a drop-in clinic for school aged children who have missed their FLU vaccination in school on Monday 20th December, 10am – 2pm, Cheese & Grain, Market Yd, Justice Lane, Frome BA11 1BE.

Asymptomatic Screening Tests on Site:

On Wednesday 5th January, we will be screening all Year 7 & 8 pupils as they return after the Christmas break. Those taking the test will be supervised by trained staff. The lateral flow tests are quick and easy to undertake, using a swab of the nose. Results (which take around 20 minutes from testing) will be shared directly with parents. Through a notification of a positive or negative result from the online NHS system.

Please click here: <https://forms.gle/7Uo8E61C76orkQ4bA> to register for consent for your child to take part in the New Year screening by Monday 3rd January. We need you to complete this again even if you have consented before, Thank you.

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas

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