

Friday Springfield Primary Academy

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Dear Parent

Christmas Plans

After having further discussions with our Public Health team, I have made the very difficult decision to cancel our Christmas performances. Due to the continuing high numbers of positive cases within the academy and the high rates of positive cases across North East Lincolnshire, the risk of inviting parents into school at this time is too high. Our priority is to maximise the safety of our children and our community, so that we can all enjoy Christmas with our families.

Our intention is to film a short performance for parents and put this on Class Dojo, as we did last year. Our other Christmas events, at this moment, will go ahead, though these are subject to change as we continue to review events on a daily basis.

Christmas Dates

7 th December	Key Stage 1 Elf Day - the children can come to school dressed as an elf or in a Christmas outfit
8 th December	Christmas Dinner Day – deadline for booking a meal has now passed
13 th December	Year 4, 5, 6 visit to Parkway Cinema Pantomime
14 th December	Nursery, Reception, Year, 1, 2, 3 visit to Parkway Cinema Pantomime
15 th December	Nursery and Reception Elf Day – the children can come to school dressed as an elf or in a Christmas outfit
16 th December	Christmas Party Day
17 th December	Christmas Jumper Day – non-uniform day

On Christmas dinner day, children may come to school in a Christmas jumper, though normal school trousers/skirts, etc.

We are continuing to review our pantomime visit. Depending on the numbers of Coronavirus cases that we have and the year group that they're in, we may amend when a year group goes.

My Child at School

As you are aware, all meals and clubs, including breakfast and after school club are now booked through My Child at School. (MCaS) All communications from the office, including newsletters are sent out via this system too. Invitations with log in details were sent to all parents. A small number of parents have yet to activate their account. If you need a copy of your log in details, or are having difficulties activating your account, then please contact the school office. Some parents have activated their account, but not downloaded the App. We recommend that you do this, as you will receive notifications through the App when a message has been sent.

Other Diary Dates

17th December School closes at 3.30pm for Christmas

4th January Training day for staff

5th January Children return to school

Thank you once again for your support.

Yours faithfully

A. Willett