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St Ignatius  
Catholic Primary School



In God's Hands

'Safe in God's hands, we share our PEARL values'

Autumn Term 2 December 2023

## Mr Bonner's message

### Dear Parents,

As we come to the end of the busy Autumn term it is a time to look back on all the children have learnt and achieved during the past four months.

I'm sure you will have particularly enjoyed their celebrations over this Advent season which featured a beautiful Carol Concert in the church and a wonderful production of the nativity performed by our Early Years and Key Stage 1.

It is now a time to celebrate with our families and loved ones but also to remember the great gift to us all that is Jesus' birth.

Pope Francis reminds us that 'The Birth of Jesus brings us the good news that we are immensely and uniquely loved by God'.

With this in mind I would like to wish you all a joyous and peace filled Christmas.

### Parent Governor Elections.

Please read the messages on Class Dojo regarding the forthcoming election for a Parent Governor.

If you are interested in standing for this important role, please complete the nomination form before the deadline of 16<sup>th</sup> January 2024.

You can submit your nomination form after school reopens on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2024.

### Holiday Dates

School closes on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December and reopens on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2024.

### Attendance

Please remember that when the children return for the Spring Term that it is important that they maintain a very good level of attendance. The children should attend every day unless they are ill and you should inform the school of the reason for their absence. We cannot authorise any holidays during term time so please make sure that any bookings for flights or accommodation are scheduled for school holidays.

*Wishing you all a  
Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year*

