



# St. Ignatius News

We believe in our PEARL values of PRAYER, EQUALITY, ACHIEVEMENT, RESPECT and LOVE.

## Dear Parents

This week was the third week of Advent and in assembly we lit the third candle which represents Joy. In our Key Stage 2 carol service we came together to continue our preparation for the birth of Jesus.



### Christmas Jumper day

We really enjoyed wearing our Christmas jumpers!



Thank you to all the children in Foundation stage and Key Stage 1 for putting on an amazing Nativity. This performance was warmly received by the whole school and parents. The Year 1 children acted so well and all left the hall with the warm glow of Christmas in their hearts.



### Reopening

The school will reopen in the new year on 9th January.

## Top of Haringey

We are extremely proud to share with you the fact that our latest Key Stage Two results have placed us in the top ten performing schools in Haringey. We are officially in 'The Times' with 80% of our children achieving the expected levels in Reading, Writing and Maths.



### Sumdog

Well done to these people who came top of Haringey's list in Sumdog. Paul, Hiyab, Sophie, Simon a big well done to you all. Year 5S was the best in the whole of Haringey!

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### LUNCHES

We will be introducing a new spring menu in the new term.

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### REMINDERS

Continue to sign the reading records five times a week.

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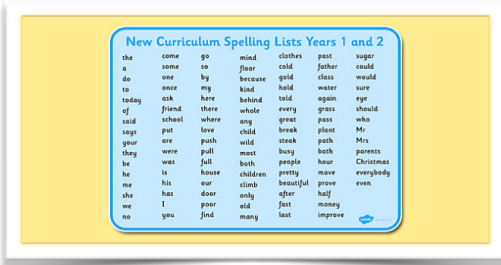
### SPELLING

Please help your child to learn their spelling lists this holiday.

Date	Who	What
Friday 22nd December	Whole School	Break up for Christmas
Monday 8th January	Whole School	School closed for staff training
Tuesday 9th January	Whole School	School opens at usual times
Thursday 11th January	Whole School	Open Day

## Open day on 11th January

There is an Open day on 11th January. We have spaces in most year groups and would welcome any new families to our school. Please put the word out and invite any friends to join our thriving community.



## Spelling list

As you might have seen in your child’s holiday homework a very large set of spellings have been issued. Please make sure your child learns all these spellings for tests in the new term.



## Father Christmas came to school!

Despite being extremely busy at this time of year. Father Christmas found time to come to St. Ignatius to give each child a present to open on Christmas Day.

### WEEKLY REFLECTION

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gift of Jesus Christ, born into our world. As we look forward to giving and receiving gifts, we thank you for all the good things we enjoy. Amen.

