



CUMBERLAND INFANT SCHOOL & Little Cumberland Pre-School

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Dear Parent/Carers

What a week! We are all relieved the Ofsted inspection is over and looking forward to a well earned rest this weekend. Unfortunately, we cannot share the result with you until the report has been released and published. It certainly was a very intense beginning to the week. We would like to thank your children for being truly amazing and your words of support and kindness.

On to next week...

School Nativity Performances

We would like to remind you as stated on a previous letter this term, that no younger siblings are to attend the performance. It was lovely to welcome younger siblings today at the dress rehearsals.

Please only attend the performance you have requested and been allocated. Due to the inspection this week our Christmas performances may be a little less polished than previous years as there has been less time for the children to rehearse. During the performances, we ask that all phones are switched off when you enter the building. You will have the opportunity to photograph your child at the end of the performance.

Please join us after the performances for a mince pie and a hot drink.

Pre-school Christmas Celebrations

We are looking forward to welcoming all Pre-School children, their parents and any siblings to the Pre-school Christmas Celebrations on Wednesday 14th December between 2pm and 3pm. Please could parents wait and enter through the Reginald Road gate.

Christmas Lunch

On Tuesday 13th December school and Pre-School will have the opportunity to have their Christmas lunch with staff. Everybody can come to school and Pre-School wearing something Christmassy that you already have.

If your child wants to bring a packed lunch instead they are welcome to do so.

Safe

Healthy

Achieving

Partners

Enjoying

Last Day of Term – Friday 16th December

The children will have a very busy.

Church Visit

All children in the school will be walking to St Margaret's Church at 9.30am to sing and reinforce their knowledge about Christmas.

Christmas Parties & Food

On Monday party food lists will be available for all school and Pre-School children that you will be able to select the food your child will bring in for the Christmas party on Friday.

On Friday the children can come to school dressed in their party clothes ready for their Christmas party which will take place in the afternoon. During their parties a singing and dancing elf will visit each class and Pre-School.

Father Christmas

At about 12.30pm the children will have a surprise visit from Father Christmas and his helper. They will all have the opportunity to meet him and be given a small gift. We request a donation of £1.00 for this experience.

We wish you all a restful a weekend.

Thank you for your continued support.

Becky Herbert