



FRIDAY NEWSLETTER

11th of December 2020



Dear Parents and Carers,

We have one week left till we break up for Christmas! We can't believe how quickly this term has flown by. Thank you, as ever, for all your continued support.

School Start Times:
Year 4 & Year 6: 8.50am
Year 3 & Year 5: 8.55am Y3 & Y5
Nursery, Reception, Year 1 & Year 2: 9.05am

We've had a brilliant week; Yesterday Key Stage Two visited Dove Cottage in Grasmere. The children spent the day exploring poetry through nature and joining in with lots of Christmas activities. Today we have welcomed a very special visitor. Thank you to our wonderful PFA for organising this special afternoon. All the children (and staff) looked festive in their Christmas jumpers.

Next week the calendar is as busy as ever, so please keep an eye on it. We have our Reindeer Rush run on Tuesday in aid of St John's Hospice (sponsor forms were sent home last Monday), our KS2 Rapunzel Pantomime and Christmas Dinner on Wednesday. On Thursday we have a whole-school pantomime where we will be Zooming live to the Lancaster Grande Theatre.

On Friday school closes at 2pm for KS2 (Years 3,4,5 & 6) or 2:10pm EYFS & KS2 (Nursery, Reception and Year 1 & 2) ready for the Christmas break.

IMPORTANT: A reminder to families that if anyone in your household develops COVID symptoms, or is awaiting the results of a test, the whole household / bubble needs to self-isolate until the results are back. To report an absence please notify School by telephoning 015394 48125 / leaving a message, or emailing admin@st-cuthberts-windermere.cumbria.sch.uk including the reason for absence. By working together we can protect our whole school community and keep everybody safe.

The Government has announced changes to the KS1 and KS2 summer assessments. KS1 will be assessed by the teacher and no formal assessments will be undertaken. The phonics screening test will go ahead as planned. Year 4 Multiplications Check will go ahead. In KS2, the SATs will go ahead as usual, with the exception of SPaG. If you have any questions, please contact us.

Stay safe,

Mrs Tansey & Mrs Bone
Executive Head Teacher
& Head of School

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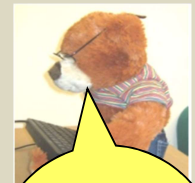


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Week
beginning
Monday 14th of
December
2020



Exploring poetry through nature at Dove Cottage in Grasmere this week

ATTENDANCE TEDDY AWARD



Excellent!
Reception,
Year 1, Year 2
& Year 4 –
keep up the
good work!

Year R	100%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	100%
Year 3	75%
Year 4	100%
Year 5	93%
Year 6	95%

Diary: December 2020 & January 2021

December

Tuesday 15th Reindeer Rush in aid of St John's Hospice
Wednesday 16th Rapunzel Pantomime
School Christmas Lunch
Thursday 17th Lancaster Grande Theatre Zoom Pantomime
Friday 18th School closes for Christmas Holidays:
Years 3,4,5 & 6 at 2pm
Nursery, Reception, Years 1 & 2 at 2.10pm

January

Tuesday 5th School re-opens for Spring Term, 08.45am

