

#### St Martin's C of E (Voluntary Aided) Primary School

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Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe the end of term is here already! This week has been filled with joy and laughter in the school, as we have enjoyed nativities, Christmas lunches and lots of mince pies. It was great to have so many parents in the school to watch the nativity, we are planning to have many more opportunities for you to come in next year.

It has been a very productive half term in school, with lots of changes and improvements, for which I must say a BIG thank you to our wonderful staff team, who have worked incredibly hard to pull everything together. My biggest thanks go to our wonderful children, who make this school the incredible place that it is, they have worked very hard and are such a credit to you.

I hope that you all have a restful break and enjoy some quality time together, we will look forward to seeing all children back in school on **Wednesday 4**<sup>th</sup> **January at 8.40am**.

From all the staff and governors, we want to wish you all a very, very Merry Christmas and a happy New Year!

Best wishes,

Mrs Becky McManus Headteacher

# Don't Forget...

# **Behaviour Information Session**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2023

3.20pm - 3.50pm



This will start promptly at 3.30pm and will be a short presentation, followed by an opportunity to ask questions. Children are welcome.

### **Dates for the diary**

Date	What	Where and When
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January	INSET day	No children in school
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> January	Spring Term begins (All children return)	8.40am
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> January	Behaviour Information Session	3.30pm
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> January	PTA Information Session	9.00am – School Hall
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	Term ends	3.20pm – usual end of day
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	INSET day	No children in school
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> February	Term begins (All children return)	8.40am
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents' Eve	Appointments will be released in Feb
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents' Eve	Appointments will be released in Feb
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Church Easter Service	2pm – St Martin's Church
	Parents Welcome, no ticket needed	Usual dismissal from school at
		3.20pm
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Term ends	3.20pm – usual end of day

#### **Nativity**

EYFS and KS1 put on a spectacular Nativity performance this week, called "Are we nearly there yet!?" It was wonderful to welcome so many of you into the school to enjoy it, I have to say that I was incredibly impressed by the children's singing and speaking, we certainly have some budding talent here at St Martin's. In case you didn't make it along, here are a couple of pictures from the performance.





### **Thank You**

Thank you to everyone for all of the lovely cards and gifts that have been brought in for staff, we are very thankful for your kindness and generosity!

