

Twiss Green Newsletter

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Merry Christmas!

As this is the final newsletter before we break up for Christmas next Friday, we wanted to thank the children for the hard work and enthusiasm they have shown throughout the autumn term—we are very proud of them. A huge well done must go to our EYFS and KS1 children for their wonderful Nativity performances this week—their confidence and joy truly lit up the hall! Our KS2 children are also preparing brilliantly for their Carol Service next week, and our choir deserve a special mention for singing so beautifully in Warrington Town Centre and at Bents Garden Centre. Even with illness circulating over the past couple of weeks, the children have shown amazing resilience and have continued to spread Christmas cheer at every opportunity.

A big thank you to our fantastic staff team for ensuring that the children continue to enjoy lots of festive fun despite the challenges, and to our families for your continued support throughout this busy period.



We wish you all a very merry Christmas and a happy, restful festive break!

KS2 Carol Service

On Tuesday 16th December, KS2 will be performing their Carol Service at the Methodist Church at 2:30pm. We warmly invite family members to join us for this special event. However, due to limited space in the church, we kindly ask that only one family member per child attends.

At the end of the service, children may be collected directly from the church, or they can return to school with staff and be collected at the usual time.

The children looked wonderfully festive in their Christmas jumpers during today's rehearsals, so we would like them to wear their Christmas jumper again on Tuesday instead of their normal school jumper or cardigan. There will be no PE that afternoon for classes that usually have a Tuesday session, so apart from their Christmas jumper, children should come in full school uniform.

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Spotlight on Year 1!

What an amazing first term in Year One the children have had! They have settled beautifully into their new learning routines and the increased expectations that come with moving from Foundation Stage to the National Curriculum. They've thrown themselves into learning with enthusiasm, resilience, and an infectious sense of curiosity. Their first excursion into the village was a wonderful adventure and a brilliant chance to develop their observational and map-drawing skills during their geography project, Our Lovely School Grounds. Back at school, they took their first steps into democracy and proudly elected their very first School and Eco Councillors — our leaders of the future! It's been a term bursting with exploration, enjoyment, and a colourful mix of topics.

In English, Rapunzel and Old Bear have whisked the children into magical worlds, inspiring them to write lists, potions, instructions, letters, and stories. With plenty of role play and oracy work, the children have fully embraced these characters' worlds and created some wonderfully punctuated sentences (including conjunctions, -ed, -s, and -es endings, and adjectives!). Their handwriting is looking rather impressive too. In Maths, the children are confidently adding and subtracting, understanding number value, and using money up to 10p - fantastic progress!

Year One have enjoyed a busy, joyful start to their year. From Music and Movement to Forest School; author visits to puppet-making; science experiments to historical toys and more recently Nativity — this term has been packed with excitement, and there is so much more to look forward to in the new year.

We are so proud of you Year One — what a brilliant start!



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Autumn/Spring Term Diary Dates



Monday 15th and Wednesday 17th December	Coffee, Cakes and Carols, 9.30am
Tuesday 16th December	KS2 Carol Service at the Methodist Church, 2.30pm
Thursday 18th December	Christmas Party Day for all classes—children are invited to come into school wearing their party clothes!
Friday 19th December	School closes for Christmas at 2.30pm
Tuesday 6th January	Children return to school for the spring term
Monday 19th January	Start of Bright Futures week
Friday 23rd January	Year 3 trip to Tatton Park
Friday 23rd January	Year 5 Sunshine Assembly, 9.10am
Friday 6th February	Year 4 Sunshine Assembly, 9.10am
Friday 6th February	Year 3 Share a Lesson, 2pm

Coffee, Cakes and Carols

Our popular Coffee, Cakes and Carols event takes place next week. Due to high demand for tickets, we will be holding two sessions—on Monday 15th and Wednesday 17th, both at 9:30am. We are delighted that both events have now sold out, and we look forward to welcoming grandparents to this lovely festive morning.

All classes, along with our school choir, will be performing Christmas songs and carols while grandparents enjoy festive refreshments served by our Year 6 children and our wonderful parent helpers. We will also be running raffles, with tickets available to purchase on the day for £2 per strip.

Thank you for the generous donations of cakes and mince pies we have already received. Further donations would be gratefully welcomed!

Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who bought books at our Book Fair—as a result of all the books purchased by families, we have been able to buy £223.70 worth of books from Scholastic for our library!

