



# St Johns Catholic Primary School



## School Information December 2021

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### Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents,

Well, we made it! The most challenging term we've ever had, I think. Amongst the Covid outbreaks and constant changing of rules, I am relieved and delighted that nothing got in the way of our plans this term, especially the Christmas plays and carol services.

A huge thank you to all our St John's staff who have been simply brilliant at keeping the many plates spinning - switching their plans to online learning at a minute's notice, half their class in school, half at home, providing a very high quality education for the children and getting through a very successful Ofsted inspection!

Your children are an absolute credit to you and no amount of pandemic nonsense stops them from trying their best in school and making great progress. Thank you for supporting your children with their learning, especially those in Years 4 and 6 who had quite a period of online learning to manage.

I hope you and your families have a safe and happy Christmas. As it stands, we are back to school on Tuesday 4th January. If anything changes, I'll pop a note on Dojo.

Best wishes,

Miss Teixeira



### Christmas Holiday Club

Christmas Holiday Club:

Don't forget Time 2 Move (through DT Coaching) are using St John's school to run their holiday club again, from Monday 20th December. Free for children on free school meals or, £15 per session for others. The link for bookings has been shared on Dojo, or DT Coaching have said, children can just turn up on the day.

### School Attendance for December

Congratulations to Year 4 for achieving the national average.

Y4	Y5	Y6	Y2	Y1	Y3	YR
96%	93%	91%	91%	90%	89%	86%



**Our whole school attendance**

**91%**

### Daisy's Wellbeing Tip:

Message from Daisy (our wellbeing dog):

Just because it's Christmas, it doesn't mean caring for your mental health has to stop. Take time out when it gets overwhelming, try to stick to a good sleep routine, do some kind of outdoor physical activity every day - for your vitamin D and to release endorphins.

[www.youngminds.org.uk](http://www.youngminds.org.uk)

### PTA

PTA: Thank you so much to Mrs Kearney, Mrs Sedgman, Mrs Wall and Mrs Blount for their relaunch of a school fundraising team - what a great start! Over £1,000 raised at the raffle, which is enough for the defibrillator. The rest will go into our fund for the new playground equipment. Please see any member of the PTA team if you can volunteer any time towards the next event.

**Merry Christmas or  
Season's Greetings to  
everyone!**

**See you in January**

