



Turves Green Primary School Newsletter

Excelsior
Multi Academy Trust

9TH NOVEMBER 2022

Dear everyone,
Well it's beginning to look a lot like Christmas here at Turves Green Primary School. Our Christmas tree looks beautiful and today we shared a delicious Christmas dinner. Thank you so much to all the kitchen staff and mid-day supervisors who made it so special for the children and staff. This afternoon we are had a super special drop in visit from an important V.I.P

The children and staff looked very festive in their Christmas jumpers today. If children wanted to wear their Christmas jumpers next week instead of their school jumpers they are welcome to.

The Excelsior cornerstone we are focusing on this half term is 'Aspiring from the start'. We had a superb example of this value when our Reception children became super detectives to track down the gingerbread men. Fortunately, I was able to help catch them and they were then enjoyed by all.

Next week, we are planning lots of exciting festive events, please see the details on the following page. To enable all these events to run smoothly we ask that parents and carers only bring the allocated number of adults shown on their tickets. This enables a fair access for all families while maintaining health and safety in school. We wanted to remind you that mobile phones are not permitted to be used on the school site during the day when children are here. We will ask you to turn off your phone and put it away while attending Christmas events. Lets work together next week to keep the children safe.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**13TH, 14TH & 15TH
DECEMBER
KSI NATIVITY**

**14TH DECEMBER
YEAR 6 RAF COSFORD
TRIP**

**16TH DECEMBER
LAST DAY OF TERM**

**3RD & 4TH JANUARY
SCHOOL CLOSED FOR
TEACHER TRAINING**

**5TH JANUARY
CHILDREN RETURN TO
SCHOOL**

Well done KS1 for your first dress rehearsal of your Nativity performance. We cannot wait for everybody to see it!



Inclusion Corner

A Celebration of Squishy

Sadly, Squishy, our school hamster, passed away peacefully in his sleep this week.

Although we miss him, we are so happy that we had such a wonderful time in school with him. All of our Year 5 and 6 children had the opportunity to attend Pet Care Club and to learn how to care for a hamster. Many children (and staff!) visited him regularly to help them feel calm, share their thoughts or just to make them smile!

Thank you Squishy for bringing such happiness to Turves Green Primary.



Unfortunately, we will not be able to accept food donations for next Friday's Christmas party day. This is due to new laws and restrictions regarding allergies and shared food. Instead we will be providing all the children with a delicious bowl of jelly and ice cream!





CHRISTMAS EVENTS

Tuesday 13th December - Reception Nativity

Reception parents are invited to school to watch their children perform the Nativity at 1:30pm. Please contact the office if you are yet to book your tickets.

Wednesday 14th December - Year 1 Nativity

Year 1 parents are invited to school to watch their children perform the Nativity at 1:30pm. Please contact the office if you are yet to book your tickets.

Thursday 15th December - Year 2 Nativity

Year 2 parents are invited to school to watch their children perform the Nativity at 1:30pm. Please contact the office if you are yet to book your tickets.

Friday 16th December - Christmas Party Day

Children will have class Christmas parties and will be served jelly and ice cream in the afternoon. We're hoping our special visitor is able to pop in and we will have lots of party games to play!

