

Highbury Primary School and Nursery

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Dear Parents & Carers,

This week sees the start of Advent and many exciting activities for the school community. The dates have been sent home previously and we just wanted to clarify details for the upcoming Nativity performances and the end of term arrangements.

Snails and Whales will be performing in the school hall at 10am on Tuesday 6th December (Whales) and Wednesday 7th December (Snails). Tickets are not required as we want to celebrate and share this special occasion with parents and grandparents.



The Key Stage 1 Nativity is being performed at St Philips Church in Hawthorn Crescent at 10am on Tuesday 13th and Wednesday 14th December. Again, tickets are not required and you are invited to enjoy the nativity with family members. There will be a collection box for the Macmillan Charity, if you wish to donate and support this charity which is very close to the school's heart.

We are celebrating the national Christmas Jumper Day on Thursday 8th December and welcome any monetary donations in aid of the fantastic Save the Children UK. Children are also invited to bring in any unwanted clean soft toys which will be used for our toy tombola at our Christmas Fayre on Friday 9th December. We look forward to seeing you all there.



Weather permitting, we invite you to join us in the playground for carol singing and mince pies on Wednesday 14th December at 6.30pm. This will help us all to get into the Christmas spirit.



Children, don't forget to come in wearing your party clothes on Thursday 15th for our party afternoon!



As a reminder, we will be offering parents & carers the opportunity to collect their children on **Friday 16th December at 1pm**. We will assume that your child is being collected at 1pm unless you have notified the office of alternative collection time. Lessons will continue as normal for those children who need to stay until the usual time. There will be no after school club provision on this day.

With best wishes,

Mrs Watson



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