



At St George's we are proud to be one family of lifelong learners who know that they are special to God. Our family is built upon a strong sense of belonging and mutual respect. Our community gives our children the freedom to flourish and succeed.

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Newsletter - Friday, 17th December 2021

A flourishing fellowship; learning today with God by our side

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

It has been another term full of challenges, fun learning, laughter, children showing plenty of resilience and adaptability. As always the children have shown plenty of perseverance this week and we have all managed to make this last week of term a special one. The reception and KS1 children made Christingles in the beginning of the week and were heard explaining the significance of the orange, the red ribbon and the sweets to their parents on the way home. A big thank you to Pip and Lyndsay for organising this event. Although we had to cancel our church service on Monday all the children in KS2 conducted their own class Christmas service this morning; doing the readings and a sing off could be heard down the corridors as they sang the carols with gusto. The children have enjoyed their class parties, a Christmas disco, and all the Christmas activities the teachers have organised for them. Year 6 and Year 5 children have created some beautiful Christmas cards, written some very heart felt messages inside to be sent to our local care homes as they reflected on how lucky they are to have families to share their Christmases with. Whereas Mrs Hatton's class discussed the importance of families and how all our families have superheroes in them sparked because Beau brought in the medal his great, great grandad was awarded during WW1. He was extremely proud to show it off and tell the class all about it. Also well done to 1H as they won the best decorated Christmas door competition too. We wish you all a very restful, joyous and fun filled Christmas with your families. Thank you from all the staff for your gifts, kind words and cards. We thank you for all your support, and valued partnership this term. We look forward to seeing you all again and welcoming our children back on Tuesday, 4th January 2022.

Diary dates

5 th Jan	Viking workshop Y6
10 th Jan	Achievement assembly EYFS/KS1
12 th Jan	Achievement assembly KS2
17 th Jan	Positive relationships & problem solving workshops Y6
28 th Jan	Parent Forum
8 th Feb	Parents' Evening
10 th Feb	Y1 PE Enrichment day Parents' Evening
11 th Feb	Inset day - no pupils in school
14 th Feb to 18 th Feb	Half term

Bromley Library visits are organised for all classes during the week of 10th January and week of 17th January

Football tournaments

Years 3, 4, & 5 have been playing football tournaments in PE this week. Mrs Desborough was very impressed with the goal scoring. Here's to plenty of goals being scored once we have sorted our football teams in the NY.

Friends of St George's

A huge thank you to all our wonderful Friends 'parents' who have arranged a variety of events this Autumn term ranging from cake sales, to uniform sales, a quiz night, Thanksgiving breakfast and a most successful Christmas Fair. During this term they have raised around £4000. We will share with you in the new year how much was raised at the Christmas fair. The money raised this year will be paying for enrichment activities for all of our children. The Friends have paid for PE enrichment days for every single year group and planned History workshops too, so far this year. These enrichment activities enhance the children's learning experience and are so beneficial.

Book recommendation

Throughout December all of our children have really enjoyed our Christmas Reader advent, where they have been read a different Christmas story each day by a mystery guest. One of their favourites and our recommendation this week is 'The Night Before Christmas' by Clement C. Moore. This timeless classic brings the wonder and anticipation of Christmas Eve, through rhythmic poem and beautiful illustrations. Look out for it in our school library!

Advisory Aquinas Council

Please find attached a copy of our termly AAC newsletter, for your information, written by Mr Kenny.

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