



Learning &
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Dear Parents and Carers,

Christmas Craft Day

What a wonderful day we had in school on Thursday for our Christmas Crafts, jumpers and lunch! It was so lovely to see the children working together in their house groups with the older children helping the young, and many thanks to the parent volunteers that came to join us on the day. The team at Bedale High provided us with a delicious Christmas lunch and everyone looked extremely festive in their Christmas jumpers and outfits!



Festive cheer in the community

You may have seen some of the children's lovely artwork in the window of Masham Cop, if not, it's definitely worth popping up to take a look as they look great. Well done to the children in Cover Class too who asked if they could spread some joy by making and delivering cards to the tenants of Maple Creek.



Mrs Best

Congratulations to Mrs Best who has been appointed as a school administrator at RAF Leeming Community Primary school beginning after the holidays. We are very grateful for Mrs Best's hard work in our school office, in Swinney Class and over lunchtimes for the last few years and wish her every success and happiness in her new role.

Carol service and end of term

Everyone is very welcome to join us on Friday afternoon in St Mary's Church at 1:10pm for our end of term Carol Service. Each class takes part and we will then take the children back to school ready for parents and carers to collect them for the holidays at 2pm.

Wrap around care

A letter will be coming out later this week with information about how to book onto our new wrap-around care service that Mrs Tattersall will be running after Christmas. Resources and equipment have started to arrive and we're excited to get cracking! Don't forget, Acorns will still be running a before school breakfast club should you need to use it.

Safeguarding

As we go into the holidays we are aware that things can be tight financially wise for lots of people. Some guidance is overleaf on where families can seek support should they need to and please remember, you can always approach school, in confidence and we may be able to organise extra help.

Have a wonderful Christmas and New Year and we look forward to seeing the children back in school on Wednesday January 4th 2023!

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Dates for your diary

Blue text indicates occasions where parents and carers are warmly welcomed to attend.

Tuesday	13.12.22	Reception, Year 1 & Year 2	Nativity Performance – 18:00 Masham Town Hall
Wednesday	14.12.22	All	Masham's Got Talent!
Friday	16.12.22	All	Carol Service
Friday	16.12.22	All	School Closes for Christmas 14:00
Tuesday	03.01.22	Staff	Training Day
Wednesday	04.01.22	All	School opens for the children

MASHAM FOOD SHARE Park Street Methodist Church

- **Saturday 10:30am-12:00noon** - At the Coffee Morning (Why not have a tea or coffee at the same time.
- **Sunday 11:30am-12:30pm** - After the morning service
- **Tuesday 2:00pm-4:00pm** - At Knitting Club
- **Wednesday 2:00pm-3:15pm** - At Wednesday Welcome Centre

FREE FOOD

Each day, the Co-op has to dispose of food to make room for fresh stock. We are now able to collect and give away the food so it is not wasted. Some other local shops are also participating.

Please come and help yourself