



# The Friday Flyer

## John Bunyan Primary School & Nursery



Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2021



### Reminder

**Last day of term:** Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021  
(normal collection time)

**Back to School:** Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022

### Christmas cards

Post boxes are still available in classrooms if children would like to send Christmas cards to their classmates.

### KidAround Magazine

KidAround Magazine's festive issue is here. You can download it straight to your phone or device ready to read whether on the go or with a warm cuppa at home.



If you are having trouble with the image link please copy and paste this link into your browser: <https://anyflip.com/btwyj/wdsn/>

### Online Performances

All Christmas performances will be available online from next week.

### Year 6 Residential Trip

Don't forget you can pay for the Year 6 residential trip by small instalments over the coming weeks. Please note that full payment of £211 needs to be made by 25<sup>th</sup> February 2022.

### School Dinners

Week commencing Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December – Week 1

Please note changes to the dinner menu on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> for **Party Day** and Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December for our whole school **Christmas Dinner**. The menus on those days will be as follows:

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December – Party Day:  
A choice of cheese, ham or tuna sandwich  
Packet of crisps  
Selection of salads from the Salad Bar  
Jam doughnut  
or  
Fresh fruit  
with  
Apple juice, orange juice, milk or water

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Dinner Day:  
Roast turkey and chipolata sausage  
or  
Quorn roast and vegetarian sausage  
Yorkshire pudding  
Mini roast potatoes  
Seasonal vegetables  
Gravy will be available  
and  
Seasonal dessert  
or  
Fresh fruit



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Copies of the school dinner menu are always available to view on our website [www.johnbunyan.co.uk](http://www.johnbunyan.co.uk) and paper copies are available from the school office.

### School Applications for Reception Year

You can now apply for a school place for your child to join us in Reception Year in September 2022. Applications are open until 15<sup>th</sup> January 2022, via [www.essex.gov.uk](http://www.essex.gov.uk)

### Christmas jumper/wear something festive day

There were some fantastic festive jumpers being worn on Christmas Jumper Day today.



Donations can still be made to Save the Children online at

[www.savethechildren.org.uk/donate-here](http://www.savethechildren.org.uk/donate-here)

### Sponsored Hair Cut for Charity

- Ellie-Mae in Cedars class and her elder sister Katie will be having their long hair cut for charity and will be donating the hair to Little Princess Trust. Little Princess Trust is a charity that provides real hair wigs, free of charge, to children and young people who have lost their own hair through cancer treatment and other conditions. If you wish to make a donation, you can do so at [www.justgiving.com/katieandelliemae](http://www.justgiving.com/katieandelliemae)
- Well done girls, we are looking forward to seeing your new shorter hair styles after the Christmas holidays!

### Home School Agreement

If you haven't already added your agreement, please go onto ParentPay and do so.

### Year 3 Egyptian Day

As part of their studies, Year 3 will be having an Egyptian day on Thursday 13th January. Further details on ParentPay.

### Headlice

Please remember to check your child's hair regularly and treat the whole family if you see signs of headlice.

### ParentPay Items

Please remember to check your ParentPay items regularly to see if you need to add consent to any events.

## Diary Dates

**\*\*Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December – John Bunyan Community Carols at St Peter's Church CANCELLED\*\***

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December – Party Day lunch

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December – Whole School Christmas Dinner

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December – Last day of term, break up for the Christmas holidays

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022 – Back to School

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> January – Ancient Egyptian Day for Year 3 pupils

Week commencing 31<sup>st</sup> January – Termly Learning Conferences

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> February – Space Dome in school for Year 5

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February – Half Term holiday

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – Visit from an author for World Book Week

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April - Last day of term, break up for Easter holidays



### Term Dates for 2021-2022 Academic Year

**Autumn Term: Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021 – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021**

*Half Term Holiday Monday 25<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021*

*Non-Pupil Days: Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September, Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November*

**Spring Term: Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022 – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022**

*Half Term Holiday Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022*

**Summer Term: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022 – Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022**

*Half Term Holiday Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022*

*Non-Pupil Days: Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April, Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>*

We wish all our families a safe and very happy Christmas and we look forward to seeing you back in School in the New Year!