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Dear Parents and Carers,

### Class One/Two Christmas Pottery

The children have enjoyed working with potter, Taz Pollard.



### Class Three visit to RHS Garden Rosemoor

Class Three had a lovely day at RHS Rosemoor, taking part in some Christmas craft activities. They also had time to look around the beautiful gardens and appreciate the sculptures currently on show.



## **Christmas Gifts**

At this time of the year sometimes parents and carers send in gifts for staff. We are very mindful that there are so many people faced with extreme hardship and we would like to donate any gifts to the Northern Devon Foodbank.

## **Covid-19 Arrangements from Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

If you need to notify the school of a confirmed positive case of Covid-19 of a pupil during the Christmas holiday period please email: [covid@goodilf.org.uk](mailto:covid@goodilf.org.uk). This mailbox will be monitored from Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> December until 3.30 pm on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> December inclusive.

Should we have a confirmed positive case of one of our pupils or members of staff during the holidays, we will only contact you if you need to self-isolate.

## **School Dinner Payments**

Please send in any arrears and the amount due for the last week of term by Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December as our accounts need to be balanced at the end of each term. If your child has a school meal we ask that their meal is paid for in advance. A school meal is £2.05 per day. Please make cheques payable to Devon County Council, or send cash in a sealed, envelope that has your child's name and the amount of money enclosed marked on it.

## **Free School Meal Applications**

If you think that you may be entitled to free school meals due to a change of circumstance please apply through the Devon Citizen's Portal, it will give you an instant decision, alternatively you can call the education helpline on 0345 155 1019. If you are in receipt of free school meals you will qualify for supermarket vouchers to help towards the holiday meals.

To receive the vouchers you must apply by Friday December 18<sup>th</sup>.

## **Food Bank Vouchers**

We are authorised to issue food bank vouchers. If you are in need of this support, please call us to speak to the Headteacher. We really hope that having this facility in school will help families access this much needed service.

## **Northern Devon Foodbank**

We now have our shopping trolley outside the school for donations of food items for the Northern Devon Foodbank. Thank you for generosity at this time of the year.

Kind regards,

Claire Grant  
Executive Headteacher

## **Diary Dates**

Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Christingle
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	The Big Christmas Sing
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Meal for the Children
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Last Day of Term

