

Head of School – Mr James Pritchard

Friday 29th November 2024

#### Dear Parents,

Every moment in school is an opportunity for learning and growth. Greeting all the children at 8:40 when the gates open is a pleasure and an important chance for us to set a positive tone. Being ready to begin the day in classrooms promptly at 8:50, when the gates close, also really matters. Punctuality ensures that all the children are warmly welcomed, interventions can take place, and routines are followed. It ensures the class team can establish a calm and focused environment, support smooth transitions into lessons and maximises valuable learning time.

Children who arrive on time are better prepared to engage, build confidence, and develop habits that will benefit them throughout their lives. While unavoidable issues can sometimes happen, regularly being late - even by just 5 minutes - can impact the social, emotional and mental health of our children.

Please know that we are always here to support you if challenges arise. Being on time truly matters because a great start to the day helps everyone feel **ready**, **safe**, and **together**.







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### Stars of the Week - Our Ways of Learning

Congratulations as ever to our marvelous children who have all shown what it means to be a learner by demonstrating their Creativity, Reflection, Empathy, Independence, Resilience and Curiosity. Your character shines brilliantly among so many stars, embodying our ways of being **Ready**, **Respectful**, and **Safe – Together**. Well done!













#### Reminder, Christmas lunch

It is our Christmas lunch on Wednesday 18th December. In order to get the food order in, we require you to inform us whether your child will be having a school meal that day or not. We do not need you to choose each item, simply indicate if your child will be having a school meal, and whether they would like a meat, vegetarian or pasta option.

Please can you click on the link if you have not done so already and complete the form for each child you have at the Junior school.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=rVOWGVbBBUq60whMGjC2GAi8Bo8xEzpLhnhlHlA1pEhUOVI2VVFZRkEzTVFBUktOWEoxVVhCQ1E3Vi4u

Please complete by **Wednesday 4th December**.

The children will still order in class on the day so if they decide not to have a meal, do not worry, you will not be charged.

If your child is having a packed lunch from home, please select No. Thank you.

#### **PE Days**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 4	Year 3	Year 3	Year 4	Year 6
Year 5		Year 5		Poppy
		Year 6		
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Diary dates				
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Bring a bottle for the PTA Christmas fair  BUDE PRIMARY ACADEMY PTA CHRISTMAS TOMBOLA DONATION  We are looking for donations of prizes for the tombola at our Christmas Fun Day. If you are able to donate one of the following, please send it in to school with your child on Friday 6th December.  Bottle (blubble bath, squash, lemonade, shower gel, no alcohol please).  Unwanted Giffs Soft Toys  Thanks for your support as always. Hope to see you at the Christmas Fun Day!			
Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	BPA PTA Christmas fair			
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Viking Experience morning for Year 4 – donation on ParentPay			
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas dinner day Christmas jumper day			
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	End of term Carol Concert 2.30pm – parents and carers invited to join us  End of Autumn 2			
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January	Children back to school for spring 1			
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 4 Plymouth Residential			
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> – Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Year 5 Carnyorth Residential – more information to follow			
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> – Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Bristol Residential			





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#### Reminder, Autism Café – 5th December

An Autism Café is being held on Thursday 5th December from 9am to 11am at Bude Infants - this will comprise a workshop and a Q&A session. A representative from county's Autism team will be in attendance. The cafe is open to any parent/carer of <u>CURRENT ASPIRE ACADEMY TRUST PUPILS</u> and is an opportunity to share any concerns you have about your child with professionals and to meet other parents in a similar position. To book, please contact **your child's own school directly** and they will reserve you a place. Booking deadline is Monday 2nd December. Many thanks.

#### PTA Christmas fun day





