



**School Prayer This Week** Dear God, Thank You for our plentiful world. Remind us not to take more than we need and give the land and nature time to rest and recover. May we always remember that even the smallest helpful action matters. Amen.



## School Diary

4 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 4 class assembly at 2.50pm
5 <sup>th</sup> December	Non- uniform day-bring chocolate
9 <sup>th</sup> December	Nativity – Years 1 & 2, 1.30pm
10 <sup>th</sup> December	Nativity – Reception 2.15pm
11 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Fayre / bingo / Raffle – 2.15pm
16 <sup>th</sup> December	Children's Christmas lunch – wear party clothes
19 <sup>th</sup> December	School closes for Christmas at 1.15pm

## Important Updates

- Quick reminder -please do not park on the zigzag lines outside school. These are there for the safety of our children and all our families. When the work is complete, the school car park gate will be closed between 2.30pm-3.30pm every evening from now on due to cars churning up the grass areas.
- Applications are now open for **September 2026** intake for reception. Please complete any application forms ready for the new school year. This relates to children who were born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021- 31<sup>st</sup> August 2022.
- There will be a flu vaccination clinic on 11th December between 4– 7pm at the Shadsworth Children's Centre. If you would like your child to attend call 0333 358 3397 (Opt 2, opt 2).

## Friday Bake Day

We will be selling cookies/cakes every Friday. This is being done as a treat for the children for all their hard work. They are nut & dairy free but not gluten free.

## Pupil Vacancies in Reception and Year 1

We currently have 3 places available for pupils in Reception and 3 places available in Year 1. If you know of anyone who would like to join our wonderful school. It is rare that we ever have places in our school available for pupils.

## Attendance for the week

Whole school target: **96%**      Current attendance of whole school: **94.6%**

Rec: **93.1%**      Year2: **92.2%**      Year 4: **92.5%**      Year 6: **99.6%**

Year 1: **95.4%**      Year 3: **98.8%**      Year 5: **90.4%**

Overall Punctuality winners.....Reception!

Overall attendance week winners.....Year 6 !



# Christmas Fayre

Thursday 11th December

Parents are invited with their  
children from 2.15pm

Children can bring money into school  
if parents cannot attend the fayre and will  
leave school at the usual time.





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# *Festive Crafts Open Day*

BwD Adult Learning is offering FREE festive crafts sessions for parents and children

**Activities include**

**Sock Penguins**

**Festive Cracker Making**

**Badge making**

**Cake Decorating**

Saturday 6th December

10:00 – 11:30am or 12:00 – 1:30pm

**Bank Top NLC, BB2 1QP**

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