

# NEWSLETTER

18<sup>th</sup> December 2020

## Attendance

Nursery- 91.8%    Owls - 94%    Year 1 - 86.3%    Year 2 - 93.6%  
Year 3 - 97.1%    Year 4 - 90%    Year 5 - 93.8%    Year 6 - 91.6%    Overall: 92.3%

**Symptomatic cases:** We break up this Friday for Christmas. For the first 6 days (up to Christmas Eve) it is really important that you inform us via the home learning email ([homelearning@st-joseph-pri.notts.sch.uk](mailto:homelearning@st-joseph-pri.notts.sch.uk)) if your child develops symptoms and gets a positive test result. It is vital that we know of any cases so we can inform others to isolate and get a test if required to keep our school community and our vulnerable loved ones safe and protected.

**Christmas performances:** We really hope you enjoyed the virtual performance links you received this week. Today another link has been sent to celebrate the end of term showing all the children getting into the Christmas spirit. <https://youtu.be/MkKSXrlqmec>

**INSET** A reminder we are closed for INSET on Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> January. We are offering a holiday INSET club with Mrs Kerrison for £10 from 8.30am to 4pm. Please book via ParentMail and send children in clothes suitable for both indoor and outdoor play with a packed lunch. School returns as normal on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January.

**First Holy Communion:** Please pray for Shyanne, Enola-Jayne, Antoni and Magda who will make their First Holy Communion tomorrow at St Joseph's church.

## Commendations

It is always wonderful to celebrate the success of our children in class. This week our commendations are for:

Nursery	George P
Owls	Basia S
Year 1	Hannah P
Year 2	Zoey C
Year 3	Harry K
Year 4	Riley F
Year 5	Mia W
Year 6	Maya K

Finally, on behalf of all the staff at St Joseph's Primary, I would like to wish you and all your family a healthy and happy Christmas. We look forward to our adventures together in 2021 where we will hopefully be able to resume some of our normal community activities together. If any of our families are struggling over the holidays with anything, please get in touch with [homelearning@st-joseph-pri.notts.sch.uk](mailto:homelearning@st-joseph-pri.notts.sch.uk) and we will do our best to support.