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Friday 21st November, 2025

Dear Parents,

## **Festive Events at Writtle Infant School!**

As we look forward to the festive season, please find below further details about our advertised events.

Mon 24 Nov	Y1 & Y2	Y1 & Y2: Advent Service, All Saints' Church*
9:30 - 10 am		Please drop your children off as normal at 8.40am then make your way to the church if you wish to attend. Pews will be reserved for the children and staff. Reverend Tony will lead the assembly.
Fri 28 Nov	All	Dress down day - please donate unwanted gifts for our Elfridges store!  Suggested donations (things grown-ups love!): Slippers, gloves, cosy items, smellies, candles, spa packs, chocolate, treats, jars of goodies, jewellery, trinkets, sealed make-up, perfume, aftershave, mugs, gardening sets, puzzles. Don't forget gifts suitable for dads!  Items we can't accept: Alcohol, fiction books, CDs, DVDs, or any used, damaged, or expired items.
<b>Fri 28 Nov</b> 2:45 - 3:10 pm	All	Christmas Storytime*  Open to all parents, please sign up here and arrive at the main entrance for 2.45pm. Parents will be asked to wait on the playground at 3pm while the children get ready for home time, they will be seen out as usual at 3.10pm.
<b>Thu 4 Dec</b> 9:15 - 10 am	Reception	Reception: Christmas Performance*  Costume details to follow. Tickets on sale tonight from 6pm, 2 tickets per family, further tickets may be available in due course. <a href="https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/writtle-infant-school/43">https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/writtle-infant-school/43</a> per ticket, funds raised will replace reading books for the children.
Sat 6 - Sun 7 Dec	All	Writtle Christmas Tree Festival, All Saints' Church All Saints' Church will be filled with Christmas trees, come and see our entry and vote in the competition! Open 10 - 5 on Saturday, 12 - 5pm on Sunday.
<b>Thu 11 Dec</b> 9:15 - 10 am	Y1 & Y2	Y1 & Y2: Christmas Performance 1* Younger siblings are welcome to this performance. Costume details to follow. Tickets on sale tonight from 6pm, 2 tickets per family, further tickets may be available in due course. <a href="https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/writtle-infant-school">https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/writtle-infant-school</a> £3 per ticket, funds raised will replace reading books for the children.
Fri 12 Dec	All	Elfridges Store open Organised by Friends of Writtle Schools, more details to follow!
<b>Fri 12 Dec</b> 9:15 - 10 am	Y1 & Y2	Y1 & Y2: Christmas Performance 2*  Adults only in the audience for this performance please.  Costume details to follow. Tickets on sale tonight from 6pm, 2 tickets per family, further tickets may be available in due course. <a href="https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/writtle-infant-school">https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/writtle-infant-school</a>



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<b>Fri 12 Dec</b> 3.10 - 4.30pm	All	After School Festive Fun Organised by Friends of Writtle Schools, more details to follow!
<b>Sun 14 Dec</b> 10am	All	Messy Church Held at All Saints' Church, all welcome.
Mon 15 Dec	Y1 & Y2	No clubs this week
<b>Mon 15 Dec</b> PM	All	Christmas Pantomime - Snow White and the Messy Dwarves!  During school hours for children only - funded by the Friends of Writtle Schools.
<b>Tue 16 Dec</b> PM	Y2	Y2: Christmas Party  During school hours for children only - snacks, games and party gifts provided.
Wed 17 Dec	All	Festive Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch For children only - festive lunch menu available. Christmas jumpers or festive party tops can be worn with the usual school uniform.
<b>Wed 17 Dec</b> PM	Reception	Reception: Christmas Party  During school hours for children only - snacks, games and party gifts provided.
<b>Thu 18 Dec</b> PM	Y1	Y1: Christmas Party  During school hours for children only - snacks, games and party gifts provided.
<b>Thu 18 Dec</b> PM	Y2	Y2 singing at the Link Club's Christmas Party  Held at the Christian Centre for the housebound elderly of Writtle. Your donations at our  Harvest Festival help to support this annual event.
<b>Fri 19 Dec</b> 3.10pm	All	School closes for Christmas holidays
Mon 5 Jan 8.40am	All	Children return to school

<sup>\*</sup>Parents invited into school

If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact the school office.

We look forward to celebrating the festive season with you!

Best wishes

**N** Taylor

Executive Headteacher

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