The Trumpington Federation

Newsletter





News from the Federation 6th December 2024



We just have two weeks of this term left and there is still lots happening for the children. We are excited for the Key Stage 1 Christmas performances to parents that are taking place next week (dates and times below). Don't forget Christmas lunch and Christmas jumper day on Thursday 12th December and the Federation Winter Fayre on Friday 13th December at Trumpington Meadows – all welcome!

I am looking forward to seeing lots of families at these festive events next week. Mrs Calverley

This week at Fawcett

Christmas Recycling Workshop







Year 6 enjoyed taking part in a recycling workshop this week. We learnt why recycling is so important and talked about ways we can try to reduce waste. Our favourite part was when we turned a humble plastic bottle into a funky Christmas tree decoration!

Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance, Wednesday 11^{th} December at 9:15am and Thursday 12^{th} December at 2pm

Please note that this performance is for families who have children in KS1 only. A letter has been sent to families so that they can order tickets for performances as the hall has a maximum capacity.

Christmas lunch and Festive Jumper Day, Thursday 12th December

We are encouraging our community to come dressed festively on Thursday 12 December. Children will also have the opportunity to have a school Christmas lunch, orders for which have been online. The online system has now closed but if you have missed this deadline and your child would like a school Christmas meal, please speak to the office.



Dates and Events

Term Dates

These can be found on our website using the link:

https://www.trumpingtonfe deration.co.uk/page/?title= Term+Dates&pid=133

Wednesday 11th December at 9:15

KS1 Christmas Performance

Thursday 12th December at 2pm

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Thursday 12th December Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch

Friday 13th December, 3:30 - 5pm

Federation Winter Fair

Wednesday 18th December at 2:15pm

Reception Christmas Songs Performance

Wednesday 18th December, 11:45 - 12:45

Nursery Stay and Play

<u>Friday 20th December</u> End of term

Tuesday 7th January 2025 Children return to school

Trumpington Federation Winter Fayre, Friday 13th December 3:30pm - 5pm



Please do join us for some festive fun at our Winter Fayre. There is something for everyone, from games to festive foods and treats. It is a chance for the whole school community to come together and share good cheer.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO SIGN UP!

If anybody would be interested in volunteering to run an activity or stall, please sign up using this link: https://forms.gle/S871BeEVsEQDvxUu7

If any parent or teacher wants to have a commercial stall at the TF and TDAG winter fair they can email trufed.pta@gmail.com.

The Federation Choir will also be performing at the fayre at 4pm. If your child attends choir on a Wednesday, they should have received an invitation to perform along with a copy of the lyrics, 'Let it snow.'

Cake donations for the Christmas Fayre

We need cake donations for the cake stall at the fayre! If you are able to donate some baked goods, please could you bring them to the school office on the day of the fayre or directly to the cake stall at the fayre.

Rainbow hampers

As the weeks whizz by it is time to start thinking about Christmas! Each year, as part of our Christmas celebrations, we make rainbow hampers. Each class is assigned a colour and we ask members from each class to donate an item in this colour. For example, if a class is purple, children are asked to bring in purple items such as a purple candle, purple, soap or bubble bath, confectionary that may be packaged in purple wrapping etc. When then raffle the hampers at our Christmas Fair. Example hampers are below:



Classes have assigned the following colours:

Nursery – Red Year 3 – Blue
Reception – Orange Year 4 – Purple
Year 1 – Yellow Year 5 – Silver
Year 2 – Green Year 6 – Gold