



# Andreas School

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## **An End of Term Message**

Today is the last day of term and I would like to take a moment to extend Christmas wishes to each and every one of you. This season brings with it a sense of family togetherness, and I like to think of our school community as one big family.

This week has seen two amazing performances of the Fireside Nativity which were a fantastic end to another wonderful term at our school. It was lovely to receive so much positive feedback, all of which was richly deserved by every single child as they all put so much time and effort into rehearsing their lines and songs over the last few weeks.

I hope that you all have a wonderful Christmas and manage to enjoy a little bit of peace and quiet as well as fun and laughter.

## **New Pupils**

Do you have a child who is due to join us in Reception in September, or know of a family with a child who will be joining us? (Born between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021.) If you do, please can you register their name with Mrs Robinson at the start of next term so that we can start to get a good idea as to how many children will be joining our school community. Please can you let Mrs Robinson know their name by Friday, 23rd January if possible.

## **FAnS Fundraising**

Thank you to everyone who helped to organise the FAnS raffle, donated prizes or simply bought some tickets. Thanks to you we have raised over £2,000.

Some of this money has already been put to good use, covering the costs of the Christmas presents for all the children, the crackers etc for our party lunch and the baking that has taken place in some classes over the last couple of weeks.

Much of the money is spent on covering the costs of trips out, with the cost of a bus or coach for the day now costing over £400. Every child in our school will benefit from the money raised so, on their behalf, Thank You.

I look forward to seeing you all again on Monday, 6th January when we return. In the meantime, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Mr Nelson  
Headteacher

## **Swimming**

Swimming starts again on Friday, 10th January 2025.