



Christmas Special 2025

December in School



The term ends on Friday 19th December at 3.30pm and reopens to all children on Tuesday 6th January.

Friday 5th December: Christingle Service

We will be holding our Christingle service in Church at 9.05am. The children will make and light a Christingle which they will then bring home. We will be using a battery candle in Church but they will be bringing home a real candle for you to light together. Ask your child if they can tell you about the components of the Christingle. Parents are welcome to join us for this service.

Don't forget to return your filled donation candles to school by Friday so we can send these off to The Children's Society.

Tuesday 9th December: Pantomime trip

Whole school trip to see Peter Pan at the Royal & Derngate Theatre in Northampton. We will be leaving school at 10.00am for an 11:00am performance. Any hot meals already ordered have been cancelled. Your child will need a **bottle of water and a sandwich** to take for the interval. Children will also be given a bag of sweets as per the consent form. They will eat the remainder of their lunches when we get back to school.

Thursday 11th December: Christmas Lunch

If you would like your child to have a Christmas lunch, please book via your Kingswood account **by midnight, Wednesday 3rd December**.

Monday 15th December: Christmas Production - Dress Rehearsal

There will be a dress rehearsal for the Christmas Productions on this day. You will have been notified if your child requires a costume from home. **Please ensure all costumes are in school by Thursday 11th December** to allow for any last minute tweaks! **If you do not give permission for your child to have face paint/makeup for the performance, please let the office know.**

Tuesday 16th December: Christmas Production

Tickets are attached for the performances :

Simply the Nativity (estimated running time 40 minutes)

(Yrs R, 1, 2 & 3) 1.00pm and 6.00pm (children will need to be back at school at 5:30pm)

A Hint of Snow White (estimated running time 90 minutes)

(Years 4, 5 & 6) 1.45pm and 6.45pm (children will need to be back at school at 6pm)

Each family will receive two tickets for each performance they have a child in. You are welcome to swap tickets amongst yourselves. You will need your ticket to attend the performance.

As we have fewer children in Blue class, there will be some spare tickets available for both performances of 'A Hint of Snow White.' There may also be some spare tickets for the invited guests performance on the Wednesday. This will be to see both performances. Please contact the office if you would like to be considered for these tickets.

We respectfully request that parents and visitors park sensibly, having regard for our neighbours – please do not block driveways or stop in the narrow part of Church Lane as buses will not be able to get through. Parents and visitors may not park in the staff car park.

Pre-school Children

Pre-school children are welcome to attend. They will either need to sit on your lap or have a ticket of their own. Your children have worked really hard to learn their words and put on a show for you. We therefore expect pre-school children to sit quietly for the length of the performance. They should not be moving around or distracting our young performers as this is unfair on everyone. If you are bringing pre-school children, we ask that you sit near the exit so they can be taken out if necessary. We thank you for your support in this.

Wednesday 17th December: Christmas Production

Performances for invited guests, starting at 1.15 pm. People will be expected to watch both performances. **If you know any older people in the village who would like to come, please let us know.**

Friday 19th December: Carol Service

We will be going to Church for the Carol Service at 9.05 am which will be led by Year 6. All families and friends welcome to join us. Refreshments will be served after the service.

Friday 19th December: Christmas Party

We will be eating together in the hall but will not be serving a Kingswood hot lunch. You can order a packed lunch from Kingswood or bring your own. This will be followed by a Christmas Party afternoon with a special visitor! Children do not need to bring anything else with them to school on this day.

Live Nativity: Christmas Eve

St Mary's Church in East Haddon will be holding the Live Nativity this year, starting at 3 pm in St Mary's Church before moving down to the stable at Gilly Wrathall's farm, next door. Any children who attend will be able to sing two songs that they have practiced in school, as part of the Angelic Choir. Remember to wear warm clothes!

We hope you all have a Joyful Christmas and a Peaceful New Year.