

**Executive Head Teacher**

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Head of School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Please see below important dates and information that you may find useful.*Please also note the dates for School Christmas events below - don't forget to add them to your diary!***Home Learning can be found every week on our School website or [here](#). -****Dates for the Diary**

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| 29 th November | PTA Wreath Making Workshop |
| 6 th , 13 th , 18 th and 20 th December | Christmas Jumper Days (look out for a JustGiving link nearer the time) |
| 2 nd December | Year 1 and 2 Multi skills Festival at GTS |
| 5 th December | Class F (Nursery and Reception) Nativity in the school hall 9.45am |
| 6 th December | PTA Christmas Bingo |
| 9 th December | KS1 and KS2 Nativity in the Parish Hall 2.30pm |
| 10 th December | Music sharing assembly (children who have lessons with Ania) 9.30am |
| 11 th December | KS1 and KS2 Nativity in the Parish Hall 3.45pm |
| 18 th December | Christmas Dinner |
| 18 th December | Christingle 5.30pm (see poster below) |
| 20 th December | Last day of the Autumn Term |
| 6 th January | First day of the Spring Term |
| 3 rd - 4 th April | Y5 Residential to London |
| 22 nd - 25 th April | Y6 residential to St Georges House |

Please see the new Autumn-Winter 2024/25 menu on the school website or [here](#).**Children in Need**

Thank you for your very generous donations to BBC Children in Need. We know that your money will be put to great use supporting children across the UK. So far, we have raised an amazing £140



NSPCC and Anti-bullying Week

This week, the children took part in NSPCC assemblies and follow up lessons with Buddy, the NSPCC mascot. These experiences helped them to understand different types of abuse and how to ask for help when they need it, including how to access Childline. It has also been anti-bullying week and the theme for 2024 is 'Choose Respect'. In assemblies and class activities, they have learnt about what bullying is, how to choose respect (even when they disagree), how to support each other to try and prevent bullying and identified trusted adults they can go to for help. The children have really engaged in the learning and shown great maturity and care in their discussions.

As part of this, Year 3 and 5 created a Langtree acrostic poem showing all the skills we use to show respect and keep each other safe.

Listening

Acceptance

Nurture

Gratitude

Trust

Respect

Equity

Encouragement

Welcome to our new staff



We would like to welcome Ms Stowell and Miss Montague, who will be joining us in Key Stage 2 early next week. We will also be welcoming Mrs Daniel to Class F later in the week.

Goodbye to Miss Weeks

We celebrated her time at Langtree and said goodbye to Miss Weeks this morning in a special assembly. The children shared memories and wished her well for the future. Thank you for the contributions made towards her leaving gift; flowers, prosecco, chocolates and a voucher. We wish her all the best for the future!

Remembrance Day - 11th November

Thank you for your support with raising money with our poppy appeal. Ruth kindly led a Remembrance Day assembly for the children after which the school council laid a wreath of remembrance at the memorial in the Parish Hall Car Park.



All things Christmas!

Christmas Jumper Days - 6th, 13th, 18th and 20th December

We welcome everyone to wear their Christmas Jumpers every Friday during December (dates above) and also on our **Christmas Dinner Day which is Wednesday 18th December.**

PTA Wreath Making Workshop

□ Join Us for a Festive Wreath-Making Evening! □

Get into the Christmas spirit and unleash your creativity at our Christmas Wreath-Making Workshop! Whether you're a crafting pro or a total beginner, you'll have a fantastic time making a beautiful wreath to take home and proudly display.

What to expect: A Glass of bubbly on arrival Refreshments provided by the PTA Mulled wine, mince pies, and festive music. - A relaxed, fun evening with friends or family!

□ Date: 29th November

□ Time: 7pm - 9pm □

Location: Langtree School Hall

Please note: Wreath bases and foliage are supplied, but please bring your own secateurs and decorations.

Spaces are limited, so don't miss out on the chance to make something truly special this Christmas!

Book your tickets here □

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/langtree-pta/t-yayjpvx>



LANGTREE SCHOOL
PTA

CHRISTMAS WREATH MAKING WORKSHOP

NOV | 29 | 7-9PM

£25 PER PERSON

AT LANGTREE SCHOOL.
REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED.



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CHRISTMAS JUMPER SWAP SHOP

Bring a Christmas Jumper that is
in good condition, and swap it
for free.

Or purchase a Christmas
Jumper for the upcoming
Christmas Jumper days at
school for £1 each

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CHRISTMAS BINGO NIGHT

Get ready for a festive and fun-filled Christmas Bingo Night!
Gather your friends and family for an evening of laughter,
joy, and exciting bingo games with a holiday twist.

GREAT PRIZES AND FUN FOR ALL



Friday
6 December 2024



Langtree Parish
Hall



Arrive 7:00PM
Eyes Down: 7:30PM



£6 Book
£3 Half Book
£2 Adult Flyer
£2 Child Flyer
Raffle £1 Strip

Registered Charity Number: 1071251



Langtree Community School

Christingle



Wednesday 18th December
Langtree Church of All Saints
at 5.30pm

**Children to sit with their
parents/carers**

(parents are responsible for their
children holding lit candles)

**PTA Coffee and mince pies
afterwards**

Have a great week!