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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you have had a good week, please see the latest news and information for the school.



**IT'S DECEMBER!** And we are now looking ahead to Christmas, with lots of festivities planned between now and the end of term, so don't forget to take a note of all the important dates to remember!

Home Learning can be found on the school website or click [here](#)

### New Administrator

We're pleased to share with you that following the recruitment process for a new Administrator at Langtree School - Sarah Wildern has been successful at securing the role.

Many of you will know Sarah, who currently works at the School. She brings a wealth of knowledge and experience as she transitions from her role as teaching assistant. Sarah will continue as one of our Thrive Practitioners for one day a week. During the other days of the week, she'll be based and undertake the Administrator role at Langtree and support across the federation.

### School Dinners



Please do remember to book your child's lunch via School Money/Eduspot. You can log on and order before midnight the night before. Please always remember to 'Check out' (top right basket) otherwise we do not receive your booking. **If you are having any technical issues using Eduspot/SchoolMoney, please contact the School Office.**

### School Email

If you are emailing the school with any correspondence, please can you use the [families@langtree.devon.sch.uk](mailto:families@langtree.devon.sch.uk) email ONLY. This email inbox is monitored more often for parent communication. Please note any absences must be reported via telephone call.

### EYFS Nativity - Wednesday 6th December at 9:30am



We are so very excited to show you our Christmas play (Class F) and cannot wait to see you on **Wednesday 6th December at 9:30am!** We will be holding the Christmas play in the **school hall** instead and welcome you to bring other family members to watch too!

### Christingle - Thursday 7th December at 5.30pm

The Christingle service will be on **Thursday 7th December at 5.30pm** and will be held in the **church**. Your child/ren will sit with you during the service, which will be led by members of the school and church. The PTA will be serving teas, coffees and mice pies afterwards. **Please make sure your child brings an orange to school on Wednesday to make their Christingle.**



### KS1/2 Nativity - Tuesday 12th December

Our KS1/2 nativity will take place in the **parish hall** at **2pm and 6pm** on **Tuesday 12th December**. We can't wait to see you there!

### Christmas Dinner - Wednesday 13th December

We will be having our **Christmas dinner** on **Wednesday 13th December**, don't forget to wear your Christmas jumper too, to help us all feel a little extra festive!



**If your child would like Christmas dinner, you will need to book before Wednesday 6th December via SchoolMoney/Eduspot, even if you have already booked another dinner. Please note Christmas dinner will be the ONLY option for school dinners on this day.**

**Don't forget...DUST OFF YOUR CHRISTMAS JUMPERS!**

As well as on Christmas Dinner day, we will also be wearing our Christmas jumpers on each Friday leading up to the end of term too. Please click [here](#) if you would like to or are able to make a donation to Save the Children. - Thank you.

### Advent Assembly

Reverend Warren will be visiting each week starting this week to hold an advent assembly for the children and light the candles on our advent wreath.



## PTA Christmas Parties



The PTA are holding a Christmas Party on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December**. **Nursery and Class 1** will be held at **1.30pm-3pm** and **Class 2 & 3** will be held at **3.15pm-4.45pm**. *Tickets will cost £1.50 per child and can be purchased via the shop in School money/Eduspot; the tickets include refreshments.* Please also bring along some loose change for the tuck shop and mini stalls. Please collect Key Stage 2 children promptly from reception at 4.45pm.

## Dates for the Diary

- Christmas Jumper Day - Friday 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> December & Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December
- EYFS Nativity - Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December
- Christingle - Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December
- PTA Christmas Parties - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December
- KS1/2 Nativity - Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December
- Christmas Dinner - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December (wear your Christmas jumper too)

Local Christmas Events



CASTLE HILL

# illuminated

This winter, for the first time ever, take a magical after-dark stroll around Castle Hill's illuminated gardens.

8th - 10th & 14th - 17th December

- ❄ Indoor Christmas Market
- ❄ Street Food & Drink
- ❄ Vendors
- ❄ Bar & Mulled Wine
- ❄ Fire Pit & Toasted Marshmallows
- ❄ Festive Music
- ❄ Free Car Parking
- ❄ BOOK NOW peak dates and times are selling fast!

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