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# Brabourne CE Primary School



Newsletter 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2020

## **2021 Primary Admissions**

If you have a child due to start school in September 2021, please do make sure you have completed the online application process before 15 January 2021.

## **Food Donations**

Many of you will be aware that the local churches are collecting food donations, to assist families over Christmas. We will be having a collection box in each class and, if you would like to donate any tinned or dried food items, please do send them in with your child.

## **PTA Fundraising through Amazon**

As mentioned in earlier messages please shop through [smile.amazon.co.uk](https://smile.amazon.co.uk) (see link) for the PTA to receive 0.5% of any purchases.

<https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1082333-0>

## **New Caterlink Menu**

Please view the new Caterlink menu attached and advise Mrs Mac, by email, if your child would like to change the days they have school dinner.

## **Mars Class**

Mrs Miller has asked if all children in her class could bring in an empty, clean tin (baked bean/tinned tomatoes type) with the label washed off please. This is for a Christmas project.

## **Christmas jumper day**

On Monday 7<sup>th</sup> December, the children may come into school in non-school uniform. They may wear a Christmas jumpers or something festive. Please do not go out especially to buy a jumper, as any non-school uniform is fine and we won't be asking for donations this year.

Mrs Miller would like Mars class children to also wear festive headgear if possible (hats/reindeer ears).

## **Christmas cards**

Due to regulations this year, we are asking the children to send Christmas cards only to pupils in their class. Each classroom will have a place for the cards to be kept and we do need all cards in by Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December.

## **Christmas events**

Each class is preparing a short play/nativity or service for Christmas and we hope to record these for parents to be able to view at the end of term.

## **Teachers2Parents**

Just a reminder that our texting/email service cannot accept replies – please do phone or email the school with any replies to messages.

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### Reminders

- 1) All children should bring a water bottle into school please – they are now required for lunch times (to avoid the need for plastic cups).
- 2) Please make sure your child has coat/hat/gloves in cold weather.
- 3) **Clothing Bin** The clothing bin (by the bicycle rack) will be emptied this Friday – if the bin is full, please leave any items, in bags, to the side.

**Andrew Stapley**  
**Headteacher**

### Dates for diary

Tues 15 Dec – Flu immunisation

Weds 16 Dec – School Christmas Dinner

Thurs 17 Dec – Term 2 ends