



# St John's Highbury Vale C of E Primary School

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**Thursday 21st December 2023**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe the autumn term has come to an end. What a term we have had!

I would like to start this letter by saying a huge thank you to the children, parents and staff for their hard work and dedication to the school. You make this school a unique place filled with love, care and generosity.

St John's fosters a positive and inclusive learning environment where children feel safe, engaged and motivated to excel. The high level of family and community involvement makes this school a special place, and I am so happy to have found you all - Thank you for your support.

Spring 1 curriculum is available on the website if you want to get a headstart. We will send out the leaflet via email on the 8th January.

The key dates for the spring term are attached to this letter. We will hopefully not change the dates, but we may occasionally need to make small changes. We will let you know in advance.

During this season of giving, may the spirit of Christmas bring comfort, warmth, and hope to those facing challenging times. I wish our school community a joyous holiday season filled with warmth, laughter, and cherished moments. May the festive season bring happiness and unity to all. Happy Christmas, everyone. Those families who do not celebrate Christmas, I hope you enjoy your family time and have a restful holiday.

**See you all in 2024!**

Yours faithfully,

Ms H Khan  
Head of School





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## Spring key dates

Monday 8th January - School opens  
w/b Monday 8th January - After School Clubs will commence  
Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January – Fluoride Varnish Reception – Y2  
Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January – Parents evening (**3pm to 6pm**)  
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January – Parents evening (**3pm to 6pm**)  
Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January – Y5 PGL parent meeting (**3pm**)  
Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February – St. Paul's Cathedral Annual Service  
Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February – NSPCC Number Day  
w/b 5<sup>th</sup> February – Children's Mental Health Week  
Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February – Safer Internet Day – parent workshop (**9am and 3pm**)  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February St. John's Careers morning  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> February – Y5 Shakespeare Performance  
Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> February – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February – Y5 PGL  
Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February – Y4, Y5 and Y6 Guildhall Careers event  
Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February – Book Fair  
Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March – CSI Road Safety Workshop Y5 and Y6  
Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day  
w/b 11<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Week  
Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March – Prom Praise at the Royal Albert Hall (choir) - **until 10pm**  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March – Red Nose Day  
Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Bonnet Parade (**1:00**)  
Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March – School ends **1.30pm**

## Class Assemblies

### 2. 50pm

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February – **Year 2** Sharing Learning  
Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February - **Year 5** Sharing Learning  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March - **Year 4** Sharing Learning  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March - **Year 3** Sharing Learning  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March - **Year 1** Sharing Learning  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March - **Year Rec** Sharing Learning

