

Sylvester Primary Academy

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SYLVESTER NEWS

Dear parents & carers,

This will be the last newsletter before Christmas. It has been very "different" in school this term, with the run up to Christmas being much lower key than normal. Everyone looks great today though in their Christmas jumpers, so we are starting to feel festive at last. Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

*Ms Harrison
Principal*

Autumn Term Dates

17.12.20	Christmas lunch and parties
18.12.20	Christmas movie day
18.12.20 (12.45 - 1.15pm)	Finish for Christmas
4.1.21 (8.45am)	School re-opens

Please inform us if your child is unwell and can't attend school on their first day of absence. It is really important that you provide a reason for their absence at this time.

You can call us on :

0151 477 8320

Or email Sylvester@knowsley.gov.uk

If you are awaiting the results of a COVID test at any time and you receive results, please email us at

sylcovidresults@sylvesterprimaryschool.co.uk

This email address will be monitored during Evenings, weekends and school holidays, so please email results as soon as you get them.

Many thanks



Christmas at Sylvester

- This year Christmas will be a very different for all of us. However, at Sylvester we still want to celebrate. The children have been working hard on their class Christmas performances and the video of "Christmas at Sylvester" will be available on our YouTube Channel at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCy6UsG0SVJKwIDY5UMu_wdw next week.
- Christmas party day on Thursday 17th December. On this day we will be providing party boxes for all children at lunchtime, so children who normally bring a packed lunch will not need to on that day. Children can wear their own clothes on that day.
- Friday 18th December is Christmas movie day. Children can come into school in pyjamas if they want to, but please ensure that they wear shoes and not slippers. School will close at lunchtime next Friday. Please see opposite for the time that your child's class will leave school on that day

Finishing times on Friday 18th December

Reception: 12.45pm Year 1: 12.55pm

Year 1/2: 1.05pm Year 2: 1.15pm Year 3: 1.15pm

Year 4: 1.05pm Year 5: 12:55pm Year 6: 12:45pm

If you have children in more than one class, please collect them together at the earlier time.

There will be no afternoon nursery on Friday 18th December.



Class Superstars this week

Reception: Heidi B

Year 1:

Year 1 / 2: Harry J

Year 2: Faith J

Year 3: Sofia Q

Year 4: Amelia B

Year 5: Sarah M

Year 6: Freya C-R



Dojo Champions this week

Reception: Rosie D-R

Year 1: Charlotte M

Year 1 / 2: Quinn C-C

Year 2: John B

Year 3: Emily H

Year 4: Matilda B

Year 5: Finley H-N

Year 6: Georgie Mc



Happy 'December' Birthdays

Faye – Mrs Hayes – Mrs Ely-Morris – Louie –
Isabelle – Lola – Carl – Epona – Isla – Nathan –
Miss Stanley – Mrs Cavanagh – Lukas – Caitlyn –
Christopher – Sienna – Mrs Cook – Mohammed –

New Start and Finish times in January

In January we will be changing the times that some classes will be starting and finishing school. These revised times will mean that gates will close at 9am every day and not open until 3pm . Please see the table below for the new start and finish times. If you have children in more than one class, please drop off and collect at the earlier time.

Class	Start time	Finish time
Nursery (am)	8.30am	11.30am
Nursery (pm)	12.30pm	3.30pm
Reception	8.45am	3.00pm
Year 1	8.55am	3.10pm
Year 1/2	8.55am	3.05pm
Year 2	9.00am	3.15pm
Year 3	9am	3.15pm
Year 4	8.50am	3.05pm
Year 5	8.55am	3.10pm
Year 6	8.45am	3.00pm