



Ambition - Community - Equality



# ELMS FARM PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

1st December 2023

ELMS FARM COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL  
IS A 'GOOD' SCHOOL: OFSTED 2021



*Ruby says... Article 29* Your education should help you use and develop your talents and abilities



Dear Parents & Carers

### British Values Week: Mutual Respect & Tolerance

This week we have been focussing on the British Value of 'Tolerance & Mutual Respect'. There has been some superb work across the school to celebrate our differences and further develop our understanding of the importance of tolerance.

### 'No Pens Day'

We all enjoyed a 'no pens day' on Wednesday. This was organised as part of our focus on oracy and vocabulary development.



### Christmas has arrived at E.F.P.S

The E.F.P.S Ambassadors have been very busy this afternoon decorating our Christmas tree in the hall & reception area. Everyone has decorated their classrooms too.

### Key Dates

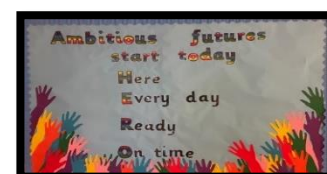
Have you checked the 'key dates' below? It details performances coming up in school for you to forward plan. We also have the Winter Discos, Christmas lunch & Santa visits on ParentPay.

### ParentPay Deadlines

We never want anyone to miss out on key events but we are often asked to extend the deadlines set on Parent Pay for individual children. Deadlines are set in order for us to prepare for events-these include health & safety arrangements that we have to organise before the event. Please check your Parent Pay and complete any orders by the deadlines-it really does help us.

E Baxter, Head Teacher

Class Attendance this week	
Donaldson	88.1%
Ahlberg	73.4%
Cadbury	89.5%
Seacole	83.5%
O'Keeffe	90.7%
Elgar	93.6%
Newton	96.3%
Hawking	91.7%
Lewis	93.2%
Simmonds	93.8%
Shakespeare	83.2%
Bloom	89.6%
Duleep	92%
Barnardo	95.5%
<b>Whole School</b>	<b>89.7%</b>







## Head Teacher Awards of the Week

Well done everyone!

Recep: Donaldson - Santino

Recep: Ahlberg- Riyaan

Y1: Cadbury-Tilly

Y1: Seacole - Suleiman

Y2: O'Keeffe- Lilly-Rose

Y2: Elgar- Aysha

Y3: Newton-Zara

Y3: Hawking- Teddie

Y4: Lewis- Alicia

Y4: Simmonds- Maryam

Y5: Shakespeare- Ayaan

Y5: Bloom - Rokiai

Y6: Duleep- Haris

Y6: Barnardo - Hamza



Key Dates	
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	9.30am Nursery & Reception Nativity performance
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	10.15am Y5 & Y6 Church Performance
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	9.15am Y3 Performance 2.30pm Y4 Performance
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	9.30am Y1 & Y2 Performance
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	CHRISTMAS LUNCH-wear your XMAS jumper! 3.45pm EYFS/ Y1 Y2 Disco
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	Whole School Pantomime 3.45pm Junior Disco
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	Governor's Award Assembly Class parties