

Dear Parents,

On the evening of Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December, I would like to invite you to a 'Tea and Tapestry' evening. This is a drop in session where refreshments will be served. It will run from 3:15pm until 5:00pm so please attend at a time which is best for you as there are no allocated time slots. It is an opportunity to look at the children's Learning Journals for Reception and topic files in Y1. Many of these observations are completed using an online package called Tapestry. It is **not** a formal parents' evening as these will take place in February/March time so **no** comments about your child's progress will be given. It is a chance to look at and enjoy your child's learning in the class, add any comments you would like to the observations or add pages to the files from the parent sheets found on Class 1's page of the school website. We look forward to welcoming you then.

This is an extremely busy term in school with lots of events. Some events have been planned for a while and some may happen spontaneously or with shorter notice if new ideas are thought of. To help you with the festive period in school here is a list of important dates for your diary.

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December - Carols around the tree at 4pm. Please join us, St. Michael's R.C. Primary and residents of Esh Village for our annual carol service.

- Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 4:30pm approx. Please join us in school (straight after the carol service) for our very own Lumiere event. The children in all classes have been working hard on their own light installations and each class will look amazing. Refreshments will be served.
- Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December - School Christmas dinner.
- Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December - Tea and Tapestry drop in from 3:15 until 5pm.
- Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December - the school choir will perform some traditional and modern Christmas songs at 5pm in Church.
- Christmas Jumper Day - Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December.
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December - School Christmas Fayre from 2pm in the Parish Hall.
- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December - Class 1 and Class 2 Christmas Nativity performance at 9:30am and 2:00pm.
- Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December - Class 3 and 4 Christmas Show at 2pm.
- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Craft Day (pm)

- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December - School Christmas Party 1:30pm. Children may bring party clothes in a named bag to change into after lunch.
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December - School closes for Christmas holidays.

This letter will be made available on the Class 1 page of the School Website for reference. If you have any queries regarding the events please do not hesitate to ask any member of staff in Class 1.

Kind Regards,

Mrs James