

Monkspath NEWS

THE NEWSLETTER FOR MONKSPATH JUNIOR & INFANT SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

December 2016

A final update from me before we all break up this week for a well-earned rest.

I am sure like me, you were over whelmed with the most beautiful singing that took place over the last week from all of the children. The fun and laughter that the children have had during their Christmas parties has been ringing throughout school, a sure sign that the Christmas festivities are officially upon us!

As we lead up to the Christmas holidays, I wanted to take the time to wish you a very happy and peaceful Christmas. I hope you get the opportunity amongst the frenzy, to spend some precious time with your families and friends.

It has been an extremely busy term and I am sure the children are looking forward to having time off so that they can recharge their batteries before they return to school on **Wednesday 4th January.**

On behalf of all of us we would like to thank you for all your kind wishes, cards and gifts. You are all very generous in what is a very expensive time of year.

W J Hutchinson Headteacher

> Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of us here at Monkspath School





SCHOOL TERM HOLIDAY DATES 2016 - 2017

AUTUMN TERM 2016

Monday 5th September – Friday 21st October

Half Term Monday 24th October – Friday 28th October

Monday 31st October - Friday 16th December

Christmas Holiday Monday 19th December 2016 – Monday 2nd January 2017

SPRING TERM 2017

Tuesday 3rd January – Friday 17th February

Half Term Monday 20th February – Friday 24th February

Monday 27th February - Friday 7th April

Spring Holiday Monday 10th April – Friday 21st April

SUMMER TERM 2017

Monday 24th April - Friday 26th May

Half Term Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June

Monday 5th June - Tuesday 25th July

REMAINING IN-SERVICE TRAINING DAYS YEAR 2016 - 2017

Tuesday 3rd January 2017 Friday 30th June 2017

Mayoral Election Day closure Thursday 4th May 2017

EMAIL ADDRESSES

IT IS ESSENTIAL WE HAVE A CURRENT EMAIL ADDRESS FOR EVERY PARENT WHO WISHES TO BE KEPT INFORMED ABOUT SCHOOL EVENTS. WE ARE A PAPER FREE SCHOOL FOR WRITTEN HOME/SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS. IF YOU HAVE ANY DIFFICULTY WITH THIS PLEASE ENSURE YOU CONTACT THE SCHOOL OFFICE WHO CAN HELP YOU TO ACCESS INFORMATION VIA SCHOOL.

