



Ironville and Codnor Park Primary School

Newsletter

9th December 2024

Believe Achieve Succeed

Reception, Year One and Year Two Christmas Performance

There are a limited number of tickets still available for the performances on Wednesday. Please see Mrs Moore at the School Office if you would like some more.

For the 5:00 p.m. performance please can you bring the children back to school at **4:15 p.m.** If you are not attending the evening performance your children will need to be collected after the performance at **6:00 p.m.**

Christmas Assembly

This **Friday at 2:15 p.m.** the staff and children are holding a Christmas celebration assembly where they will sing a few songs and the results of the Christmas stocking event will be announced. We still have a few seats available if you would like to see Mrs Moore in the School Office. We are not expecting a fire drill, so if you do hear the fire alarm please leave the school by the nearest fire exit and line up a 'V' on the school playground.

Wrens and Shining Start Visit

On **Thursday 19th December** Wrens and Shining Start children are going on a visit to Derby Theatre to watch 'Chicken Licken'. The children will be leaving in the morning and arrive back in time for lunch. Please can children wear their school uniform.

PE Competition

Last Tuesday afternoon Mrs Hosie and Mrs Nicholson took a team from Key Stage One and Two to a Multi-Skills festival at Heanor Leisure Centre. The children believed, achieved and succeeded! Well done!

Wednesday 18th December

Wednesday 18th December is Christmas jumper day and Christmas lunch in school. Children are welcome to come to school in their Christmas jumper. Please wear school uniform trousers, skirts or dresses. There will be two sittings for parents/carers and children to have Christmas lunch 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. and 12:45 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. Mrs Moore will send you a message on Monday 16th to let you know which one you are asked to attend. If you haven't heard from Mrs Moore by Tuesday morning please contact her in the School Office.

Autumn Birthdays Non-uniform Day

As a little treat for the children and staff who have had a birthday between 1st September and 31st December they are allowed to come to school on **Thursday 19th December** in non-uniform so everyone in school can wish them a happy birthday.

Christmas Carols

We would love you to join us for our annual carol service on **Friday 20th December at 10:00 a.m.** in the church. Everyone is welcome and it is a lovely way to celebrate Christmas as a school community.

Diary Dates

December 2024

11th EYFS/KS1
Christmas performances
13th Homework finishes
13th After school clubs
finish
13th Christmas
Assembly
18th Christmas art day,
Christmas jumper day,
Christmas lunch
19th Autumn birthdays
non-uniform day
19th Wrens and Shining
Start trip
20th Christmas carols in
church
20th Christmas movie
afternoon
20th Pizza award for the
best class attendance
20th Finish for Christmas

January 2025

6th INSET day
7th School reopens

Christmas Fair

An amazing £1473 was raised at the Christmas fair and raffle. All monies raised by the PTA is spent on trips, books and events for our children, so to raise such a great amount is amazing. Thank you to all who attended. A huge thank you to all the staff who helped and Mrs West's continued support with the PTA.

Headteacher's Award
Ethan Saunderson

Believe Achieve Succeed
Wrens - Ruby Robinson
Robins - Lucas Daniel
Kingfishers - Blake Coals
Kestrels - Esme
Eagles - Eduard Astaneí

Wonderful Writer
Frederick Shaw

Creative Christmas Afternoon



Didn't we have a lovely Christmas Craft afternoon! Thank you to all who came to enjoy the stocking challenge! Results will be announced at the Christmas Assembly on Friday. Good Luck!
[Photographs 2024 - 2025 | Ironville and Codnor Park Primary School](#)

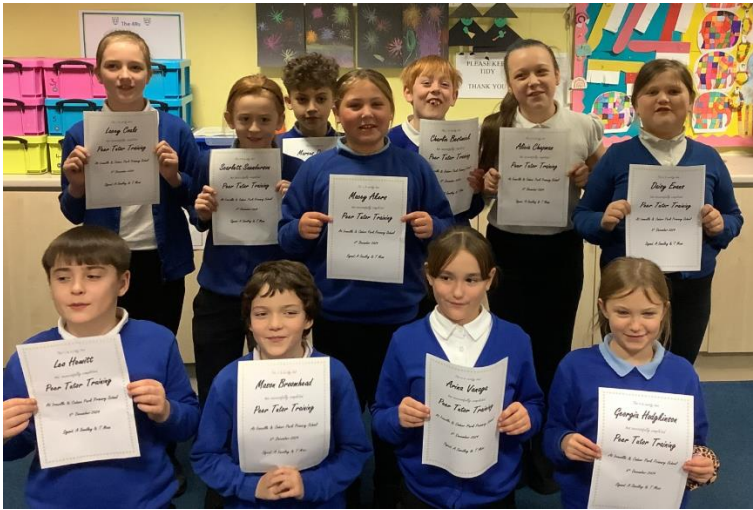
	Attendance National 96% 😊	Lates
1st	Shining Start 100% 😊	0
2nd	Robins 96.15% 😊	2
3rd	Kestrels 96.13% 😊	0

96% to 100% - Good
Best chance of success

90% to 95% - Worrying
Less chance of success

Below 90% - Serious concern. Not fair on your child

Peer Tutors



Well done to some of Year Five children who have volunteered to be peer tutors. They have completed their training with Mrs Smedley and Mrs Moss and now are ready to support younger children with reading.

Safeguarding
If you have a concern regarding child protection or safeguarding please contact:

The Senior Designated Safeguarding Lead – Mrs J Grundy and Mrs Bowler (Fridays)

The Deputy Safeguarding Lead – Miss K Sharpe and Mrs J Coulston

The Designated safeguarding leads – Mrs L Bowler, Mrs S Nicholson, Mrs Moore and Mrs Hosie

Family Support Workers – Miss K Sharpe and Mrs J Coulson

Starting Point (For all Safeguarding Concerns) 01629 533190

NSPCC Helpline: 0808 8005000

