

Merry Christmas

We would just like to take the opportunity to thank you all for your support over this term. As I am sure you will agree, it has been a very different term to any other Autumn term at St Charles, but I am proud to say that, as a St Charles family, we have stuck together to ensure the very best for the education and safety of our children and school community. We hope you all have a very happy and holy Christmas and look forward to the New Year, where we have lots of exciting things planned for the children.



Christmas Dinner and Jumpers

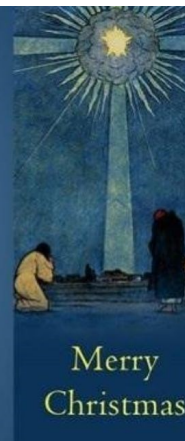
Please remember Christmas dinner will be shared on **Thursday 17th December**. Children can also wear their Christmas jumpers to help them get into the festive spirit.



Thought of the Week

"May we be in this world a ray of that light which shone forth from Bethlehem, bringing joy and peace to the hearts of all men and women."

POPE FRANCIS



Merry
Christmas

Communication



Keeping our families informed with all the most up to date information about what is happening in school is very important to us. Please make sure that we have your current telephone number and email address to help us with this.

We also post any information and letters on our school website and twitter account and are excited to announce the launch of our new Facebook page in the New Year.



More information to follow soon.



Important Dates

18/12/20—School closes for Christmas holidays

04/01/21—Return to school for Spring term

12/02/21—School closes for half term

22/02/21—School Opens

26/03/21—School Closes for Easter holidays

12/04/21—Summer term starts

03/05/21—MAY DAY—School closed

28/05/21—School closes for half term

07/06/21—School Opens

21/07/21—School closes for summer holidays



Contacting School

You can contact school in any of the following ways:



01482 326610



admin@stchull.org



www.stchull.org



@stcharlesvchull

EYFS and Key Stage 1 Nativity Day

Wednesday 16th is Nativity day in EYFS and KS1. The children will be doing lots of different activities about the Nativity story and are invited to wear a Nativity costume for the day. This could be one you already have at home, or a home-made shepherds costumes. Please do not go and buy a new costume.



Christmas Jumpers

Thursday 17th December is Christmas Jumper day! Children are able to come to school in a Christmas Jumper. During the day, they will enjoy carols around the Christmas tree and their Christmas dinner.

If you do not have a Christmas jumper, you can wear red or green instead.

Please do not go and buy a new jumper.



Contacting School over the Christmas holidays

The school office will be closed from 3.30pm on Friday 18th December until 8am Monday 4th January 2021. Should you need to contact school during this time, you can email the office and this will be responded to upon our return.

Please ensure that between Friday 18th December after 3:30pm and Thursday 24th December until 4pm any COVID related matter is reported via email to our central Trust team; the contact details are HR@smchull.org



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 **EAST RIDING** OF YORKSHIRE COUNCIL

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FOLLOW THE ABOVE LINK FOR MORE INFORMATION

Could your child be entitled to **FREE** school meals?

Fill in an application form for your chance to win one of four amazing £50 voucher prizes!

See letter home for more details & eligibility.



Christmas Hamper Raffle

Raffle tickets are still on sale for your chance to win a beautiful Christmas hamper. Tickets are £1 a strip and can be bought by sending money in an envelope with your child's name and class on it.



Staffing



Exciting times are ahead for Miss Prior as she prepares to get married during the Christmas holidays. We are sad however that she will be leaving our school to move away from Hull to start her married life with her new husband. We wish her lots of love and happiness in this exciting next adventure in her life.

We are however, very pleased to have secured Ms Bettany to join our school as the Year 5 teacher. She is an experience teacher who is very much looking



Virtual Open Afternoon

As we are unable to welcome you into our school in person this year, we would like to invite you to join us virtually.

Our virtual event web page will launch on

Wednesday 16th December 2020 at noon

SAVE THE DATE !



Take the opportunity to:

- Meet the Executive Headteacher and our Head of School
- Learn more about our exciting and innovative curriculum
- Get introduced to Foundation Stage staff
- See what our learning environments (inside and out) look like
- Hear about our wonderful Catholic school
- Hear from our students about their experience at our school

If you wish to receive an invitation to this event or if you have any queries please email : admin@stchull.org
www.stchull.org