



# Meadowside Community Primary & Nursery School

Attendance

96.3%

**Christmas Newsletter  
8th December 2017**

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[www.meadowsidecpschool.co.uk](http://www.meadowsidecpschool.co.uk)**

## A message from Mr Wright

There's only 2 weeks left until we finish for Christmas and there's still so much happening at Meadowside...

The children have been taking their termly tests over the last couple of weeks and I'm so pleased to say all the hard work they have been putting in every day is paying off. Well done everyone! We have lots going on over the next couple of weeks – including Christmas parties, EYFS&KS1 Christmas performances, Christmas Jumper Day and our KS2 Christmas Extravaganza Assembly on the last day (see below for all dates).

We have a couple of sad goodbyes this term as Mrs Ward and Miss Taylor have been successful in securing new roles. I would like to thank both for the commitment they have shown to Meadowside since they have been here. They will both be missed and we wish them all the best for the future. We also welcome Mr McClafferty to the Year 5 team from January. Mr McClafferty joins us from Beamont Collegiate Academy and I'm sure will be a great asset to Meadowside.

**Final note- Don't forget we finish on Friday 22nd December at 1:30pm.**

## Rights Respecting School...

Following an inspection from children's charity Unicef on Monday 4th December, we have been presented with a Level 1 Rights Respecting Award. The assessor commented "It was a pleasure to visit the classrooms and see how perfectly well behaved the children were. They certainly respect each others learning and were very polite and made my visit to Meadowside so rewarding". We are all proud of this achievement.

## Safeguarding, Welfare & Attendance...

On Monday after school in the dining hall we will be selling nearly new freshly laundered school uniform for 50p per item. We have lots of jumpers and trousers, so come and have a look! Please can you ensure your child comes to school in correct uniform and has shoes that are suitable for the winter weather.

## Upcoming Events...

12th Dec	KS1/Rec Xmas Performance
14th Dec	EYFS Xmas Parties
15th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day
18th Dec	Y3,4,DP2 Xmas Parties
19th Dec	Y5,6 Xmas Parties
22nd Dec	KS2 Xmas Extravaganza

## Class Attendance

1st	Y5 Oak – 97.6%
2nd	Y2 Fir – 97.1%
3rd	Buttercups 96.8%

We are working in partnership with parents to improve school attendance. We would like to congratulate the many parents who make sure their children attend school regularly.