



Forest Way School Newsletter

December 2023

A Word From Gail

Dear All

As we near the end of term I wanted to extend my thanks to everyone who has supported our recent Christmas Events. The Christmas Fayre was very well attended – we will keep you posted about the total!

This year we split the Christmas Concerts into smaller key stage events which seemed to work well. It was lovely to see so many of you joining in with the signing and singing.

It has been a very successful term and a special mention must go to all of our new pupils who have transitioned brilliantly into their new classes. We are sending home the Learner Passports this week to share with you. These targets are updated regularly and reviewed at your son/daughter's Annual Review. If you want to discuss these or anything else please contact the Class Teacher or a member of the Leadership Team.

We say goodbye to Leadership Team Member Hannah who is leaving us to start her maternity leave, I'm sure you will join me in wishing her good luck and we look forward to meeting the latest member of her growing family.

Everyone at Forest Way would like to wish you and your families a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We will welcome everyone back on 8th January 2024.

Best wishes

Gail

Christmas Carol Concert Quotes

"Acorns 1 enjoyed a Christmas Music and Interaction Session. Parents and carers were invited in for the session which was lead by Ellie from the company 'Ray of Stars'. The pupils enjoyed music, dancing and a Christmas story. Thank you to all parents who joined us for the session."
Teacher Kim

"It was a Christmas Classroom" - Pupil in Acorns 3

"It was fun being a Christmas tree" - Pupil in Acorns 4

"I liked driving the Uber car" - Pupil in Acorns 6

"It was really good, because I liked the dancing!" - Pupil in Acorns 9

"Best singing carol concert ever" – Pupil in Oaks 3

"My favourite part was signing and wearing the beard" – Pupil in Oaks 3

"I really enjoyed making the snowmen for our video!" – Pupil in Oaks 4

"Very funny carol concert" – Pupil in Oaks 7

"I enjoyed it when I was chasing the gingerbread man" – Pupil in O7

"On Wednesday 6th December, Post 16 visited St Michael and All Angels Church in Markfield. Each class chose a Christmas carol to sing and some pupils performed at the front of the church. It was a lovely morning out and all pupils enjoyed visiting the church again." Sam, Assistant Headteacher



Spring Term Dates

Friday, 22nd December	School closes for Christmas
Monday, 8th January	School opens for the Spring term
Wednesday, 31st January 1:00-3:00	Parent/Carers afternoon
Monday, 19th— Friday, 23rd February	Mid-term break
Friday, 22nd March	School closes for Easter