



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Right of the Fortnight

Dear Parents,

We are all definitely in the spirit of the season here at school. Children are getting their fair share of Article 31 - 'Children have the right to join in a wide range of activities.

It is difficult to believe that this is our final newsletter of 2024. I would like to take the opportunity to thank all our pupils, staff, parents, governors and directors for the support and commitment they give, making Cleves Cross such a special place.

We hope you all have a wonderful Christmas break with your families and look forward to welcoming you back in the New Year!

Please keep a close eye on our app and website and newsletters to make sure you are fully up to date with events.

Christmas Dinner

Thank you to Mrs Malkin and the school kitchen team for providing us all with a wonderful Christmas lunch last Friday. Almost everyone joined in with crackers and party hats too. Some very colourful Christmas jumpers added to the festive spirit.

Parking and Speeding Concerns

As some of you will be aware, the council have put double yellow lines outside of Cleves Court which means there are further restrictions with parking. I just wanted to remind everyone again to please be respectful to our neighbours when parking and that we do not park in the clearway at the front of school.

Thank you for your support.

A reminder about applying for a school place

If your child is due to start school in **September 2025**, please make sure you have applied for their school place before **15th January 2025**. Please note that if your child attends our nursery, they do not automatically get a place in our Reception class.

Return to school

Just a reminder that we all return to school (children as well) on **Monday 6th January**. It is a good time to remind ourselves of the importance of attending school every day as we do not want to miss learning time and, being punctual. Children can come into school from 8.35am and should be in class by 8.45am. If being on time is an issue, then please try using our breakfast club which starts at 8.15am. This would ensure that children are in on time and ready to learn.

Dates to remember:



****Children return to school on Monday 6th January***

Thursday 16th January - Y2 visit Ferryhill Methodist Church

Thursday 23rd January - Y2 Captain Cook Museum Visit

Wednesday 29th January - Y3 and Y4 Careers Day

Thursday 30th January - Y1 Hopetown Visit

Monday 10th February - Ready, Set, Glow Taster Day

Tuesday 11th February - Safer Internet Day

Thursday 13th February - Y1 Class Assembly 9.15am

Monday 17th - Friday 21st March - Parent Evening Week

Friday 21st March - Red Nose Day

Events will be added as we move into the New Year.

