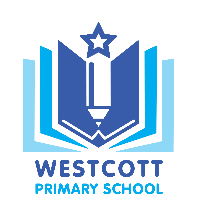
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**Christmas at Westcott Primary School**

Dear Parents/Carers

We are now entering that very busy time of year in the run up to Christmas. In school, as well as at home, it is incredibly busy as we try and make sure the children have as many opportunities as possible to celebrate Christmas. We are also busy in school as we have to ensure all autumn term data is collated and analysed.

To help you navigate through the next four weeks please find a list of events and the details overleaf.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at our forthcoming Christmas celebrations.

Also, we are looking for items to decorate Santa’s Grotto. If you have any spare Christmas decorations please bring these to the office.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Miss D. Tague

Headteacher

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| Date | Who? | Event detail |
| Monday 2nd December | Whole School (except 4KJ & 5MG) | **Parents Evening**  3.30pm -5.30pm  Usbourne Books/refreshments in the hall |
| Monday 2nd December | Choir | **Schools Gotta Sing**  Middleton Hall 6.30pm |
| Tuesday 3rd December | 5MG | **Parents Evening** |
| Friday 6th December | Whole School | **Christmas Fayre**  3.30-5.30pm  Christmas market stalls, Raffle, Santas Grotto, food, mulled wine and much more! |
| Tuesday 10th December | Whole School | **Panto**  Tailgate Theatre coming into to school to perform Aladdin  PTA to provide interval refreshments |
| Friday 13th December | EYFS children | **Nativity performance**  **AM** – whole school to watch the Nativity  **2.15pm** for parents/carers in the hall  PTA to provide refreshments at the end of the performance |
| Friday 13th December | Whole School | **Christmas Jumper Day**  Children wear a Christmas jumper or non-uniform and make a donation to Save the Children |
| Monday 16th December | Whole school | **Carol service at St Columba’s Church 10.00**  Volunteers needed to walk with the children to the church.  Children will sing a selection of carols, selected children will perform readings and perform musical exerts.  We will be presenting Christingles and Rev. Dave will also address the congregation |
| Wednesday 18th December | Whole School | **Family Craft Day**  **Parents/carers are invited to join their children with craft activities**  **1.15pm – 2.45pm**  Children to stay in their own classrooms  PTA to provide refreshments in the hall for parents/carers at 2.45pm |
| Thursday 19th December | Whole School | **Christmas Dinner**  We would like all children to join us for our Christmas Dinner.  This is an opportunity for us to come together and eat the traditional turkey dinner (vegetarian options are available), pull crackers and listen to some festive tunes.  Staff serve the children!!!  More details to follow in a separate letter. |
| Friday 20th December | Whole School | Final day at school  **Class party day**  Donation of 50p per child to be given to class teacher for party snacks |