



A message from Mrs Jones



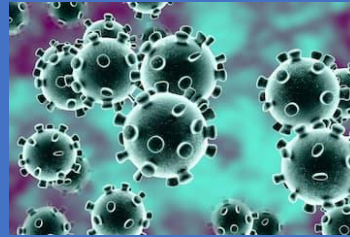
Hello everyone, once again it's Friday I can't quite believe how quick the weeks are rolling around!

These next two weeks are notoriously the busiest in the school year so please make sure you are getting all the communications we are sending out.

Oh fun times ahead!

New Covid Variant

We are receiving some advice and guidance about the new variant and we are continuing to being vigilant in school. We are making sure our risk assessment is up to date and we will be sending this out to you next week.



Safety Squad and Eco Warriors

Please find our half termly newsletters from two of our pupil voice groups.

They are full of ideas and initiatives and they are excited to get started.



Children's charity work

We are so proud of our children and the charity work they are doing out of school. We have heard about children having their hair cut for charity (Emily in year 6), taking part in starlight hikes and Santa runs and organising litter picking. If your child has done something charitable we would love to hear about it and celebrate it in school. Please email the school office with information.



Winter weather

Please make sure you are sending your child with the right clothing for the winter weather – ALL NAMED.

Please also look at our winter weather and closure policy on the website <https://www.oxenhopeprimary.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/Winter-conditions-and-gritting-procedure-Dec-2020.pdf>

DECEMBER

Key Dates

- Friday 3rd** – Anxiety Workshop 9.15
- Tuesday 7th** – Years 1 and 2 Nativity – Morning and afternoon
- Wednesday 8th** – Year 3 Class Assembly and parents morning 9.15am
- Wednesday 8th** – Secret Santa
- Thursday 9th** – Year 5 puberty workshop
- Monday 13th** Friend's Winter Wonderland Experience
- Tuesday 14th** – Reception Nativity – afternoon
- Tuesday 14th** – Christmas Dinner Day
- Tuesday 14th** – Christmas Jumper Day (moved from 10th December)
- Tuesday 14th** – Year 6 Singing to Manorlands (Virtual)
- Wednesday 15th** – Year 4 singing to Lindisfame care home
- Wednesday 15th** – Reception's Christmas Party
- Thursday 16th** – Christmas Service at Church – No parents unfortunately
- Friday 17th** – Year 1,2,3,4,5,6 Christmas Parties in the afternoon
- Friday 17th** – Break up for the holidays

RETURN TO SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAY 5TH JANUARY