

Frances Olive Anderson C of E Primary School

Snippets

Academic Year 2023/24

20/12/2023

Happy Christmas to you all!

We have had a wonderful end of term with great events to celebrate the special time of year.

The singing in Church this morning was beautiful.

All the staff and governors at Frances Olive Anderson wish you all the best and look forward to seeing you in the new year.

This is the prayer that Daniel read in Church today:

Dear God,

Thank you for Christmas,
Thank you for all of the fun and happiness.

It's good to share food, games and presents.

Thank you for the special times with family and friends.

But most of all, we want to
Thank you for giving us Jesus.

The greatest present ever.

Your son, part of you, to be with us.

Thank you for loving us that much.

Help us to remember you this Christmas.
Amen.

Well done to everyone who has been nominatted to receive a governor certificate this term.

For displaying the value of Courage:

Zara, Frankie, Eric, Thea B, Edward, Charley, Zara

For displaying the value of Honesty:

Abigail, Ellie, Olivia, Miya, Freddie, Max R, Ella

For displaying the value of Friendship:

Louie, Imogen, Betsy, Joey, Lilly S, Leona, Dylan

For displaying the value of a Commitment to Achieve:

Romanie, Archie, Elliot, Sera, William, Brooke, Ruby

For displaying the value of Respect:

Phoebe, Nina, Ruby, Obi, Freya, Oliver, Dougie

Tully Cup

This term we will be choosing pupils who have shown that they are: 'Being the best they can be.'

The Tully Cup was presented to:

08.12.23

Olivia – Year 2
Zara – Year 6

15.12.23

Ruby - Year 5
Jessica - Reception

A few Goodbyes

We have had a few goodbyes this year.

Mrs Kirby has retired from her role as School Business Manager, but we are pleased to let you know that she is our new Clerk to Governors. Mrs Watson has now joined us as Bursar in the office.

Mrs Stanton is leaving the area and will not be returning after her maternity leave – we wish her and her young family all the very best for their future.

Finally, Mrs Cullum will be leaving us shortly after the holiday; she is very sad to leave us, but a job opportunity has been offered to her that she can not turn down. We are sure you will join with us in saying goodbye and good luck.

Upcoming events.

Date	Class
Wednesday 3 rd January 2024	Children return to school.

Tuesday 23 rd January	Fire Safety Talk Y2
Wednesday 24 th January	Dealing with our emotions workshop Y2
Thursday 25 th January	Looking after our money workshops Y6, Y5, Y4, Y3
Monday 29 th January	Cresswell Crags trip Y3
Wednesday 31 st January	Collection Day Project
Wednesday 7 th February	Governor certificates
Thursday 8 th February	Young Voices
Friday 9 th February	END of TERM
Monday 19 th February	Return to school

Please note, we return to school on **Wednesday 3rd January 2024** after Christmas.

If you have any worries or concerns, or positive feedback, your first point of contact is your classteacher, but please bear in mind that drop off and pick up times are really busy.

If it is something urgent then email the office and the message will be passed on, or see a member of the senior leadership team on the gate as you leave, alternatively, contact the office to make an appointment.

You can also communicate with your class teacher via Seesaw, but once again please respect that they may not respond straight away, especially if this is after 'normal' working hours – whatever these are!

We would also welcome positive comments and compliments on what we are doing well.

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