



Axbridge C of E Academy

Together We Inspire, Thrive & Excel

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7th January 2025

Dear Families,

A Happy New Year to you all! We hope that you had a wonderful Christmas and that you enjoyed the festivities with your family and friends. The children have settled straight back into their learning and it's been an absolute joy to see their happy, smiling faces in the classrooms today.

Over the holidays we have begun the process of updating the school signage to reflect the new school logo and branding, which we think is looking great! We have also arranged for tree surgeons to undertake further tree work this month, so are hopeful we can see the back of the storm damage and get the Forest School area back up and running.

Our Year 2 and Year 4 children have trips coming up this month, which we know they are looking forward to and will really support with their learning in the classroom. A polite reminder that payment is due shortly, with information around costs found on Parent Pay.

Later this week, a letter will be sent out via ClassDojo, detailing all of the clubs on offer this term, with an online form to complete in order to sign up for these.

A quick reminder that the weather this week is set to be rather chilly, so please make sure you send in your children with appropriate coats, hats etc.

Finally, this week we welcome back Mrs Hector from her maternity leave. She will be teaching alongside Mrs Preece in Chestnut Class and I'm sure you will join me in extending her a very warm welcome back.

With warmest wishes for a wonderful 2025

Mr Dominic Shillabeer
Head teacher



January

Wednesday 21st - Yr 4 trip to Roman Baths

Friday 24th @ 9am - Church Service, everyone is welcome to attend

Tuesday 28th - Yr 2 trip to SS Great Britain

February

Friday 14th @ 9am - Church Service, everyone is welcome to attend

Friday 14th February - school closes for Half-Term at 3:20pm

Monday 24th February 2025 return to school

Attendance for the Autumn Term was 96.4%, which was amazing! Well done ☺

**Our Christian
Values are:**

**Faith
Hope
Love**

**Our Christian Vision for
all of our children is;**

***"I have come so that
you may have life, a
life in all its fullness"***

John 10:10

Our Learning Skills are:

**Thinking
Social
Self-management
Communication
Research**



SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN IS A RESPONSIBILITY OF US ALL

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