



Discovery Primary Academy



Friday 22nd November 2024

Front of the Academy

From Monday entry to the academy will be through the Pre-school gate and down the side of the academy. There will be no access to the main reception area. We anticipate this arrangement will be in place all week. The change is to allow Anglia Water to finish the rain garden with the children but also complete any other outstanding work.

As before, staff will come out of the side ramp to meet parents of children that are collected from the front of the academy.

Please bear with us whilst we complete the outstanding work. Thank you.

Attendance Matters!

This week the overall academy attendance was **95.7%**. Well done to **Zeus** who achieved the highest at **99.5%**

Please see the link below, with a list of our current Afterschool Clubs

[Discovery Primary Academy - Afterschool Clubs](#)

Lost Property

We have a lot of lost property at the minute. If your child has mislaid something, could you please ask them to check the last property boxes in the atrium. Any named items will always be returned so please name your child's clothing.

Drop Off and Pick Up

Thank you to everyone for using this area correctly enabling it to stay open

Football

Well done to our football team yesterday who played against another primary school at Discovery. It was a very good game and all the children did exceptionally well. Well played Discovery.



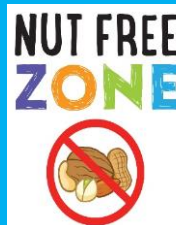
Dates for Your Calendar

- Wednesday 4th December** – Year 2 Snowman Pantomime
- Thursday 5th December** – Panto time & Christmas Jumper Day (Please bring a chocolate donation)
- Thursday 12th December** – Christmas Dinner
- Friday 13th December** – Christmas Fair
- Wednesday 18th December** – Christmas Parties
- Thursday 19th December 2024** – Break for Christmas

- Monday 6th January** – Training Day
- Tuesday 7th January** – Spring Term begins.
- Thursday 6th February** – Disco
- Wednesday 12th February** – Parents Evening
- Thursday 13th February** – Parents Evening
- Thursday 6th March** – World Book Day

Cold Weather

The children are outside at playtimes and lunchtimes each day, enjoying our new outdoor play areas. With the weather being so cold please can you make sure children have a warm coat with them every day, along with a hat and gloves. Thank you.



Christmas Activities

Attached is some information regarding events being held by Barnardos throughout the Christmas Holiday