



Discovery Primary Academy



Friday 6th December 2024

Dear Parents/carers,

December is off to a festive start, and we are thrilled to share the highlights and upcoming activities for this busy and exciting month!

Highlights from This Week

• Year 2 Theatre Trip

Year 2 had an amazing time attending a special performance of The Snowman and the Snow Dog at the New theatre. The children were captivated by the show and represented our academy beautifully.

• Year 2 Musical Talent

We are so proud of our Year 2 students who contributed to the performance with their musical talents. Their hard work and practice truly shone through! We would like to thank Mrs Barnes for involving our children in the performance. We will be sharing an extract of this on Class Dojo next week.

• Cinderella Pantomime

This week, the entire academy enjoyed a fun and lively performance of Cinderella in our Simmonds Hall. The laughter and excitement filled the halls—it was a treat for everyone!

• Christmas Jumper Day with Chocolate.

It was lovely to see so many Christmas jumpers in the academy yesterday. Thank you for your chocolate donations for the Christmas Fair next week.

Next Week's Events

• Christmas Dinner- Thursday 12th December – with all the trimming, crackers and music

• Christmas Fair- Friday 13th December.

Stay tuned for more details about this much-anticipated event at the beginning of next week! Your chocolate donations will help make it a success.

Thank you for making this season so special for our children.

Attendance Matters!



This week the overall academy attendance was **94.4%**. Well done to **Carpathia** who achieved the highest at **99.6%**

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

[Discovery Primary Academy - Afterschool Clubs](#)

The academy girls football team have had a very busy week! On Tuesday that competed in the Premier League Primary Stars Girls Cup at the Peterborough United training ground. They played against 16 other schools from around the city and came third place. Then on Wednesday they played their School Games girls football league matches at Jack Hunt School.

With Mr Diehm as their coach, they have worked so hard in the lead up to these competitions and equally as hard on the days - well done girls, what great ambassadors you all are for the girls football game. We are all very proud of you!



Year 3 Dance Festival

The children really enjoyed the morning on Wednesday when they went to a Dance Festival organised by Mrs Torrens, taking place at AMVC.

They had worked very hard in creating 2 different dance routines in their PE lessons with Mr Diehm. Each class used a piece of music to design dance moves linked to their learning about the Stone Age in History.



A piece of science

On Wednesday afternoon, Year 6 had a fantastic time taking part in a heart dissection to support their science learning all about the circulatory system. Staff and Sixth Form students from Queen Katharine Academy delivered the session for our children and were blown away by our Year 6 pupils' expert knowledge!



Dates for Your Calendar

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

