



Friday 17th December

It has truly been a pleasure to open school fully this term and to offer opportunities for families to be part of daily school life again. Thank you for all your support and we look forward to seeing you all back on **Tuesday 4th January**, Miss Brown.

UPDATES

SWIMMING

Thank you to Year 4 who have been wonderful ambassadors for our school this week! They have had daily swimming lessons and benefitted greatly from this. They really impressed us with their behaviour and attitude towards this.

STAFFING CHANGES

A ParentMail message was sent out this week regarding up-coming staffing changes. Please look out for it, if you have not seen it already.

CONTACTING STAFF

Our staff team have worked their socks off this term to make sure all children have been able to learn and enjoy school in as normal a way as possible. It is now time for them to recharge their batteries and enjoy time with their loved ones too. If you urgently need to contact school, please contact myself at head@harris.lancs.sch.uk, writing URGENT in the subject field. All other emails will be responded to once term begins again on **Tuesday 4th January**.

FESTIVE WEEK

It has been a busy week in school with Christmas Festivities being in full swing! I think it is safe to say the children are all now fully ready for Christmas.

We've had Reindeers, parties, a Santa/ Elf Dash and lots of smiles.

A special well done to those children who were home learning this week – we are so impressed with how they dealt with the changes this week – we did your best to ensure they enjoyed the build up to Christmas too.



COVID

There has been a lot of speculation in the news (and within the local community), regarding the potential for schools to be closed in January. Please be reassured that this currently is just speculation – schools have not received any guidance to indicate this will happen. However, if this does change, you will be notified promptly, through ParentMail.

SPRING 1ST HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

	Before School	Lunchtime	Afterschool	Forest School	PE and Enrichment
Mon			Y5 Dance Y5/6 Rugby	Y2- PM	Y1 Invasion Games
Tues		Y5 Gardening	Y5/6 Netball Y1/2 Multi-skills	Y1-AM Y4- PM	Y3 Gymnastics Y6 Gymnastics
Wed		Y3 Maths Club	Y3/4 Ju Jitsu	Y3- AM	Y2 Invasion Games
Thurs		Y2 Board Games		Y5- PM	
Fri	Y5/6 Cross Country Y2 Minecraft	KS2 Friday Challenge Y4/6 Playground Pals	Y5/6 Football R/Y1 Little Kickers	YR- AM Y6- PM	Y4 Dance Y5 Dance YR Gross Motor/ Multi-skills

Reception Class: School uniform is not required on a Friday.

Children can wear clothes that are suitable for outdoor learning/physical activity.

A letter has also gone out today to Reception Class families about 'Learn to Ride' lessons taking place during the first week back.

All forms for extra-curricular activities have been sent out via ParentMail. You will receive confirmation during W/B 03.01.22