



Bishop Aldhelm's C.E. Primary School

Loved by God; United in Learning

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*Love, Unity,
Courage
and Inspiration*

Dates - 2023/24

Thursday 7th December

09:30-10:30am: Year 2
Christmas Performance

Thursday 7th December

2:00-3:00pm: Preschool Nativity
event

Thursday 7th December

5:30-6:30 Foundation Parents:
Christmas Story Telling with hot
chocolate

Friday 8th December

09:30-10:30am: Preschool Nativity
event
Early Years and KS1 Father
Christmas Visit

Monday 11th December

9:30-10:30am: Tour for potential
new EYFS Parents 2024/2025

Tuesday 12th December

10am-1pm: KS2 Carol Service
Rehearsal

1-2.30pm: KS2 Carol Service –
St Aldhelm's Church (Pupils
only)

5.00pm: KS2 Carol Service – St
Aldhelm's Church (families
invited)

Wednesday 13th December

Christmas Jumper Day
Whole school Christmas
Outdoor celebration

Thursday 14th December

Christmas Parties in Year
Groups

Friday 15th December

Last Day of Term

2023/24 Term Dates

Spring Term

2nd January 2024—28th March
2024

Half Term

12 February 2024 to 16 February
2024

Summer Term

15th April 2024—23rd July 2024

Half Term

29 May 2024 to 2 June 2024

Our Reflection - 6th December 2023

In our collective worships this week, we have been focusing on the journey to Bethlehem and a feeling of peace. Christians reflect during the time of Advent on the provision of God's care and asking for peace for ourselves and around the world.

John 14:27

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

May God's perfect peace bring us clarity, calm and stillness during a very busy Advent season.

Attendance Matter...

The winter months can bring cough and colds and we totally appreciate it when children are not well enough to attend school. Please ensure that you send your children in to school with warm coats and dressed appropriately for weather conditions. This will help to keep our children fit and well.

The pupils in our schools with higher attendance have a better chance of doing well and this positively impacts their life chances. When a child is in school, we can work to keep them safe and help them to feel valued.

Improving attendance works best if it is a whole school approach. Attendance is a safeguarding matter and is therefore everyone's responsibility. We must work together with our Parents/Carers, partners and communities to develop and maintain a whole school culture that promotes the benefits of good attendance.

The resources included are for guidance and must be adjusted for your school and local area/offer.

Please see our website link for more information.

<https://www.bishopaldhelms.poole.sch.uk/school-information/attendance/>



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Attendance Matters

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