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## **Dear Parents and Carers**

I am sorry to announce that due to the COVID outbreak in our school and because of the number of children who will be absent for the next week we will be unable to rehearse for the Nativity in time for the  $10^{\rm th}$  of December. We have also been advised that gathering in the village hall would be unwise for the next few weeks.

We will therefore have to cancel the Nativity but we will aim to do something Nativity related possibly via teams during the last week of the term (to be discussed and confirmed).

We will also have to postpone the pantomime for the same reasons and we have re-booked it for the morning of Friday the 7<sup>th</sup> of January in order to try to secure a COVID free Christmas for us all.

We are all very disappointed about this as the nativity and pantomime are central to our Christmas here in school. We know that the children will be particularly disappointed but I hope you will help them to understand how challenging this situation is.

We would also request once again that you LFT test your child at regular intervals across the week and if they should show signs of any symptoms you PCR test them. Please keep school informed at all times.

Yours sincerely

Louise Wallen

Headteacher

"Your support for your child's education is crucial to their progress. Please tell us if there are any adjustments we need to make to help you support your child, for example: letters in large font; letters in different languages; wheelchair access; explaining things over the phone; a discussion with a school colleague of the same gender."



















