

## Ashbourne Primary School

Headteacher: Miss Paula Whysall

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12<sup>th</sup> December 2018

Dear Parents,

### Dinner Money reminder

In line with Derbyshire County Council, the price of school dinners will increase to £2.10 per day from January 2019. This is £10.50 per week. Please pay in the usual way on ParentPay.

### After School Club

From 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019, we are asking parents to use the new Booking and payment system on Parent Pay. This will allow parents to book and pay for after school club sessions in advance.

Advance bookings are preferred as spaces are still limited but parents can still book on the day if necessary. The deadline for booking on the day is **10.30am and must be done via the school office**. It is really important to book before this time in order for the school to arrange appropriate staffing and food for the evening.

Any bookings must be confirmed and paid for at the time of booking. Failure to do so will result in bookings being automatically cancelled and you will be contacted to collect your child.

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### Diary dates

17<sup>th</sup> December – Infant classes Christmas party  
18<sup>th</sup> December – Y3/4 Christmas party  
19<sup>th</sup> December – Y5 Christmas party  
19<sup>th</sup> December – Choir concert 6pm  
20<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas lunch day and Christmas jumper day  
21<sup>st</sup> December – Year 6 Christmas party  
21<sup>st</sup> December – Christmas service at St. John's Church 10am – all welcome  
21<sup>st</sup> December – Last day of term

7<sup>th</sup> January – children return to school  
17<sup>th</sup> January – 6S Forest school afternoon  
17<sup>th</sup> January – PTA film Night TBC  
24<sup>th</sup> January – 6M Forest school afternoon  
28<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> January – Life Education Bus to visit school (see separate letter)  
31<sup>st</sup> January – 5V Forest school afternoon  
4<sup>th</sup> February – Online safety week  
7<sup>th</sup> February – 5LR Forest school sessions  
11<sup>th</sup> February – PTA disco  
12<sup>th</sup> February – Ashbourne Primary Dance Festival  
14<sup>th</sup> February – 5A Forest school afternoon  
15<sup>th</sup> February – Last day of term

25<sup>th</sup> February – Back to school  
5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> March – INSET days due to Shrovetide

### Online Safety

Please remind your children about talking to strangers online through gaming. Some children believe these people to be 'friends' in an online world. We will continue to reinforce this message in school.

### Safety

If your child rides a bike to school, please ensure that they wear a helmet.

Merry Christmas to all our families



From everyone at Ashbourne Primary!