

# Nightingale Infant and Nursery School

## Weekly Newsletter

### 01.12.2023



#### Toy Donations

As you are aware, we have recently extended our intake to 2-year-olds. If you have any toys in your home that are no longer played with that are suitable for 2-year-olds, we would appreciate any donations. We are particularly looking for very simple puzzles, particularly wooden puzzles with handles on the pieces. Any donations can be given directly to our nursery team or the main school office. Thank you

#### Key Stage 1 – Maths Event

Thank you to everyone who attended our maths event this week, it was lovely to see so many in attendance. The PowerPoint used in the classes will be available on our website. We hope you found it useful in supporting your child's maths at home. If you have any follow-up questions, please don't hesitate to speak to one of the team. Enormous thank you also to Mrs Hart, our maths lead, for organising the event.

#### Kingfisher PE

Please note that there will be no PE for Kingfisher class until after the Christmas holidays.

#### Nuthatch Nursery Christmas Performance (Fledgling's Only)



For our Christmas performance, we will be teaming up with Kingfisher's to deliver you a Twinkl Nativity!

Can we remind Fledgling parents that all children need to bring in gold tinsel (for a headband), white top and leggings to wear. Please pop these in a named bag and bring these into nursery by Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December for us to keep safe. We will get the children changed before their performances.

To ensure inclusivity and fairness for all, please follow the guidelines above and refrain from purchasing a specific star costume. We will be unable to put your child in a costume that does not follow the guidelines above.

#### Christmas Dinner

Please remember to return the booking slips for your child's Christmas Dinner by Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December. Unfortunately, there will be no other lunch option available on this date. If your child would prefer not to have the Christmas Dinner then please provide them with a Home Packed Lunch.

## Menu

Our lunch menu is available on our website, including a downloadable PDF - <https://www.nightingaleinfant.co.uk/parents/school-lunches/>

## Dates for the diary

December 2023

Monday	11.12.2023	Year R – NCMP Height and Weight Screening
Tuesday	12.12.2023	9:30 - Nativity - Come and join us as Nursery ( <b>Fledgling's only</b> ) and Reception retell the Christmas story.
Thursday	14.12.2023	2:00 - Nativity - Come and join us as Nursery ( <b>Fledgling's only</b> ) and Reception retell the Christmas story.
Friday	15.12.2023	2:00 - Christmas story and carols at the church - join us to celebrate Christmas with Year 1 and Year 2
Tuesday	19.12.2023	Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Dinner Day

February 2024

Wednesday	07.02.2024	Scholastic Book Fair
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March 2024

Monday	04.03.2024	Year 1 and 2 Cricket Festival (10 children, names TBC)
Thursday	21.03.2024	Year 1 and 2 Adapted Sports 4 All (names TBC)

April 2024

Tuesday	16.04.2024	Year R - NCMP with Vision and Hearing Screening
Wednesday	17.04.2024	Year R - NCMP with Vision and Hearing Screening

June 2024

Monday - Friday	03.06.2024 - 07.06.2024	Whole School Sports Week (Please come in PE kit all week)
Friday	14.06.2024	Year 1 and 2 Athletics Festival (10 children, names TBC)

July 2024

Friday	12.07.2024	EYFS Tennis Multiskills Festival (10 children, names TBC)
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# Term dates



## Norfolk County Council

# 2023-2024

## Norfolk Model Calendar

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Five staff training days will be selected from yellow dates, we suggest 4th & 5th September, 3 January, 28th March and 22 July. Some may choose to use twilight hours for staff training instead of some or all of these.



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