

Mrs Bennett's Blog

Thursday 16th December 2021



Hi Everyone,

My final blog for 2021 as we prepare to close for the Christmas holidays tomorrow. The children have had an absolute ball over this past week with discos, parties, a sensory show, a theatre show, carols and a Christingle!

I want to express my sincerest of thanks to everyone. Thank you to all our families for working with us throughout this festive period as we continue to work with the shifting sand we are all continuing twenty months later to live within. The school team have worked incredibly hard and tried their very best to ensure our children are provided with as much Crossflatts magic as is humanly possible and our children have just taken everything in their stride and refused to let Covid interrupt their Crossflatts Christmas.

I have been instructed by the Department for Education to make contingency plans for January. We have made Plan A to Plan D with hopefully all eventualities covered. I have absolutely no idea what January is going to look like for school and so I am not going to speculate. As I write this, I am looking out of my office, watching the children laughing and playing together with twinkles in their eyes excited for their Christmases with their families. I know one thing for sure, all we can do is stick together, knowing that come what may in the New Year, the Crossflatts family will band together and we will ensure our children are provided with everything they rightly deserve, the Crossflatts show will very much be continuing in one guise or another. On the positive, we are very well versed in this situation now so we are able to mobilise immediately if we are required to do so. I will of course communicate to you during the holidays should the need arise to share contingency plans if we are instructed to action them by the government.

I want to end my blog by wishing everyone a very lovely Christmas, I hope you and your family have some much need time together over the holidays, whilst keeping safe and well, to rest, recharge and repose ready to embrace brighter days ahead in 2022.

Merry Christmas!

Mrs Bennett

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