



# St Bridget's C of E Primary School

St Bridget's Lane,

West Kirby,

Wirral CH48 3JT

Tel: 0151 625 7652

Headteacher: Mr Neil Le Feuvre

Email: [schooloffice@stbridgets.wirral.sch.uk](mailto:schooloffice@stbridgets.wirral.sch.uk)

Website: <https://st-bridgets.eschools.co.uk/website>



*"Love your neighbour as yourself."*

Luke 10:27

**20/12/12**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Today we wished all of the children a 'Happy Christmas' in assembly and reminded them how they had prepared themselves for Christmas during Advent. They are all very excited and more than ready for a break and some festive fun. We were also able to thank representatives of the PTA for their support and help this year and look forward to some exciting events later on in the year.

Many thanks for all of your support whether it was attending one of our four Christmas services, bringing gifts for the Charles Thompson Mission, providing Christmas hats to support Claire House or sponsoring the teachers for the Sleepout Challenge. Throughout Advent we have been able to share the joy of Christmas preparation and really help the children be considerate towards each other and grow to understand our mission statement of Love Your Neighbour as Yourself.

As part of the assembly the staff shared our fun Christmas video for the children and families of St.Bridget's. [Christmas Video](#). We have also recorded children from across the school reading ["Twas the Night before Christmas"](#).

## Sleepout Challenge 2022

The sleepout challenge was especially difficult this year as the temperature dropped to minus 6. My scarf and jumper that I wore over my face had frozen by 3am. By 6am we were grateful to return to the warmth of school knowing that we would not need to sleepout the following night. In fact the thought of repeating the sleepout even one more night was unthinkable. Our total raised so far is approximately £2500. Thank you for the donations. We will have made a difference for many people at this lovely, but sometimes challenging time of year. I have left the link in case anyone else wishes to donate - [Link for Sleepout Challenge](#)

## Reading Newsletter

It's been a busy term of reading related activities and to keep things going over the Christmas period here is the link to the reading newsletter which can also be found on the website. [Reading Newsletter Link](#)

## School Questionnaire

Our response to the school questionnaire has been extended and I would invite as many parents as possible to fill in our questionnaire which will inform our school improvement. **Thank you for your time. Please use this [link](#) for the Parental Questionnaire 2022.**

### **Punctuality and learning**

Our school is open from 8.45am to 9.05am. We know that these times support all families arriving, especially with the busy roads and limited parking around the school. When children arrive in school there are always activities set up to engage them in their learning. Sometimes this will be something to support learning for the day ahead and other times it will be something to reinforce learning from the day before. We still have some children that arrive after this time and I would encourage all parents to ensure that their children arrive at school promptly each day.

- **Important Notice for lunchboxes - grapes** - We would ask that if children bring grapes into school that these are cut in half.
- **E-safety - new devices**- Just a quick reminder to start learning or keep up to date about e-safety for any new toys or gadgets or mobile devices that your children might receive.  
<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

### **Dates**

Wednesday 4th January - Children return to school

Inset 4 - 19-7-23

Inset 5 - 20-7-23

In the meantime I would like to wish you all a Happy Christmas and New Year.

*Neil Le Feuvre*

Neil Le Feuvre