



Christmas Events

Open Week.

Should you or anyone you know have a child due to start Nursery or Year 1 in September 2023 please let them know we are having an **Open Week 5th-9th December.**

There are **Taster Sessions for families to book:**

Wednesday 7th December-4.00pm

Wednesday 7th December-6.00pm

Thursday 8th December-5.00pm

Alternatively, private appointments can be made with Ms Funston to view the school during the day. Please contact the school office for more information (02882242642)

OPEN WEEK

December Sports

Multi Skills After-Schools

Year 3-5 - Thursday 1st and 8th December 3.00-4.00pm

Swimming

Year 6 Rm 10 -Monday 5th, 12th and 19th December

Sports Network

Yr4&5 -Friday 2nd December 9.45am-12noon

Be Fit for Fun Christmas Party

Tuesday 6th December 10-11am

Nursery Mini Movers

Wednesday 7th December

Christmas Craft Fair

Join us on Wednesday evening (30th November) for our Christmas Craft Fair, 6.00-9.00pm.

Adults £2.50 which includes Christmas shortbread and tea/coffee. Children free.



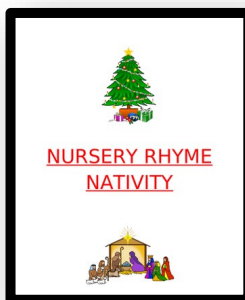
Christmas Performances

Nursery—The Nursery Nativity



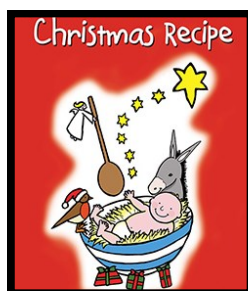
Thursday 15th December
Morning Class 10.45am
Afternoon Class 1.00pm

Year 1—Nursery Rhyme Christmas Story



Friday 2nd December at 1.15pm

Year 2 -Christmas Recipe



Thursday 8th December at 1.15pm

Year 3 Lights, Camels, Action



Wednesday 7th December at 1.15pm

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Carol Service

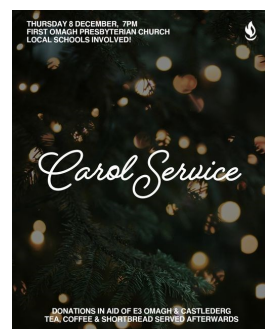
Year 4-7 Christmas Carol Service Night of all Nights



Monday 19th December at 7.00pm in First Omagh Presbyterian Church

Singing in the Community

Year 3 will be going carol singing to: The Coffee Stop and Granard Residential House 14th December, and Hillcrest Care Facility 16th December



The Senior Choir are taking part in the **Scripture Union Carol Service** in First Omagh Presbyterian Church on Thursday 8th December at 7.00pm

Shared Education.



Omagh County PS and Holy Family PS Shared Education Choir have been invited to sing at the Omagh Winter Wonderland on

Tuesday 13th December at 6.00pm.

We are looking forward to participating in the event and sharing





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Advent Christmas Hampers



This year as a gift from one family to another we are asking each child to bring in an item to make up a Christmas Day Hamper. The name of each child in the class will be entered into a draw and one lucky family will win a food hamper full of goodies for Christmas Day. Can we please ask that all food items be brought into school by Tuesday 13th December.



Christmas Woodland Experience



This year as part of our Forest School Programme we are having a Christmas Woodland Experience for the boys and girls from Nursery-Year 7. This will include Christmas Stories under the canopy, making reindeer food, art and craft activities and toasting marshmallows over the open fire pit.

CAMPFIRE FUN AT OCPS



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Daily Mile Santa Run

On Friday 2nd December (weather permitting) we are going to hold a Daily Mile Santa Run. Children should wear their PE kit and may wear Santa hats or tinsel etc. Just don't forget your trainers!!



Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day



The children's Christmas Dinner will take place on **Tuesday 13th December**. If your child wishes to take a school dinner please send in **£2.60** to your child's teacher, in a named envelope, by **Friday 9th December**. Thank you.

The School Council have also organised a Christmas Jumper Day. They would like each child to donate **£1.00** which will go part way for a visit from Jurassic Ark Encounters in January 2023.



December 2022

School Closures

School closes on Monday 19th, Tuesday 20th December and Wednesday 21st December at 12.30pm.

Happy Christmas Everyone!

The new term starts on Thursday 5th January 2023.

Other Diary Dates

- 5th December** Year 7 Cinema Trip
- 6th December** Fit for Fun Christmas Party
- 9th December** Football Competition
- 12th December** Yr 2 Sleigh Bells at Speedwell
- 13th December** Yr 6 SB Shared Ed Trip to Arvalee
- 14th December** Yr 6 and 7 Trip to Drumragh Integrated College—Snow White
- 16th December** Year 1 Polar Express Day
- 20th December** Year 4-7 Movie Morning



PATHS Quote for December Which is your favourite?



"Maybe **Christmas**"
the Grinch thought,
"doesn't come from a store."
"Maybe **Christmas**,
...perhaps...
means a little bit more."
—Dr. Seuss

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when you
choose
joy
You feel good
& when you feel
good, you do good
& when you do good
it reminds others
of what joy feels like
& it just
might inspire
them to do
the same.

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"I don't think
Christmas is
necessarily about
things. It's about
being good to
one another."

—CARRIE FISHER

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