

Wednesday 21st December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am taking a final opportunity to wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas and a great New Year.

We have had a lovely week in school starting with the craft morning on Monday, thank you to those of you who were able to join us. Tuesday saw Christmas party fun being had by everyone and today the children played with their toys and watched a Christmas film. Now they are ready to enjoy their family Christmas events and I know how much they are looking forward to these.

The children return to school on January 5th. The Spring term has a lot happening, not the least of which is the first of our events to mark the 60th anniversary of the school. This will take place on Monday 9th January, the closest date to the original opening day of the 8th. We plan to take the children back to 1963 in their lessons that day, helping them to see how much has changed both with technology and lifestyle. I am certain they will appreciate how much easier decimal money is than its predecessor. There is nothing that you need to do towards this as, having met one of the first pupils at the school, the uniform was very similar to the one they wear now. This is just the first of the events we are planning over the next two terms as we look to Bispham's past and anticipate its future over the coming years.

I will write a full bulletin on January 6th which will give further details of new and returning events, including the start of skateboarding as part of our physical education offer.

I know the staff join me in wishing you an enjoyable and restful festive break.

Best wishes
Andrea Goetzee
Headteacher

