



# East Sheen Primary School

## Newsletter 10<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – Christmas special!



### Christmas continues!

With one more week to go, children have been enjoying plenty of Christmas festivities in the run up to the end of term. Still to come:

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> – Year 3 carols on the astroturf, 2:50pm**

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> – KS1 singing in the Sheen Playground (Y1 parents at 9:15, Y2 parents at 2:45)**



### Safeguarding and Online Safety

With Christmas approaching, there may be new devices to be explored and set up. While online devices offer many exciting opportunities, it is important to be aware of how to keep them safe for children. At [this link](#) are some guides on how to set up safe controls on devices.



### Silent auction

There are some amazing lots up for grabs in this year's silent auction. See <https://esps-auction.co.uk/> for details and to bid! The auction closes at 9pm on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December.

### Return to school

The spring term begins on **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January**. We would be grateful if all families could **perform lateral flow tests before returning** to school.

### Christmas lunch

Staff and pupils enjoyed a delicious festive lunch. Thank you to Fatima and the amazing kitchen team for such excellent work.



### Attendance and absence

School target: 97%

Last week's total: 94.74%

Classes above target: 1

RF	95.75	1A	92.56	2D	95.97	3C	96.94	4B	95.96	5FH	95.11	6D	94.40
RL	95.04	1C	95.45	2J	96.42	3CR	97.25	4G	98.01	5S	92.10	6S	91.93
RS	94.14	1D	91.71	2R	92.49	3S	96.47	4K	91.25	5T	95.66	6V	95.65



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### Environment

This year's Christmas lunch didn't include crackers. The children were able to discuss how they noticed the huge reduction in waste!

### French Club

There are still places for French club next term. Please contact the office for more information.

### Primary Professors

M and O in Year 5 enjoyed honing their skills in maths and science at St Paul's Junior School Saturday programme.



### Chess Classic

Well done to B, M and R for their amazing performance at the Chess Classic competition. Thank you to Mr Okiki and parents for helping with the day.



### Christmas Jumper Day

This year, we raised £351.22 for Save the Children. The children looked very festive and sparkly! Thank you to everyone who donated and took part.



**See page 3 for photos of the children's magical Christmas hoops!**







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Each yeargroup (and the headship team) have decorated hoops to hang in our hall. This is a tradition that has been running for over 30 years and makes our hall look very festive!

