



Howard Headlines:



Christmas Performances Reminder

Just a quick reminder that your children will be performing at the times indicated below.

Assembly Hall:

9.30 am Tuesday 11th December – Reception
2.15pm Wednesday 12th December – Y1
2.15pm Thursday 13th December – Y2

St Andrew's Church:

10.00am Tuesday 18th December - Years 3 and 4
2.15pm Tuesday 18th December – Years 5 and 6



Save the Children

Every year we raise money for the charity Save the Children by participating in the **Christmas Jumper Day**. This year we will be having our school **Christmas lunch** on the same day, **Friday 14th December**. If you wish for your child to participate, please send your child into school in their Christmas jumper with a **donation of £1** which will go to the charity.

This year we are also helping our local community through **Croydon Commitment**. We would like to help this charity achieve its target of delivering 500 Christmas hampers to elderly people in Croydon. If you can help please bring your food donations to the school office. The attached flyer will give details of the kinds of food we are collecting. Your kind donations will let someone know that they are not forgotten this Christmas.



Class parties!

Class Christmas parties will be taking place on the afternoon of **Wednesday 19th December**. Children will be able to **wear their own clothes** on that day. Your child's class teacher will let you know if there are any food or drink items that they can bring in on that day.



Don't forget the Christmas fair!

You may have noticed the wonderful area in our school foyer ready for Father Christmas! Remember to join us if you can on **Saturday 15th December from 11am to 3pm** for an afternoon of fantastic games, activities and of course Father Christmas himself! Please encourage friends and family to come along and support the school this Christmas!



Holiday dates:

Please remember that school breaks up for Christmas at 3.30pm on **Thursday 20th December**. Children return on **Monday 7th January** at the normal time.

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! From all the staff and pupils at Howard Primary!

