



# WIDNES ACADEMY

## NEWSLETTER

WEEK ENDING 12<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2025

### CHRISTMAS BREAK

School closes next Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December for the Christmas break at 1.30 pm. School re-opens on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January.

### NATIVITY

The nativity for Years 1 to 6 takes place on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December at either 9.30 am or 4.00 pm. In the Church hall. Please remember to bring your tickets with you.

### CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

The Christmas raffle will continue until after the Nativity on Wednesday when further tickets may be bought. The numbers will be picked after the 4.00 pm nativity.

### CLUBS

The only club that is on next week is Dance on Monday. Parents of dance club are invited to come in 15 minutes earlier than pick up to watch a short performance.

### EYFS NATIVITY

The nativity for Nursery and Reception will take place on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 10.45 am in the school hall. Tickets are not required, however, priority for seating will be given to parents, other relatives may have to sit towards the back.

### BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Breakfast with Santa will take place on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December. We have a few tickets left in the office if anyone still wants to book.

### SCHOOL MEAL PRICE

We have been advised by the Catering Company that the cost of a school meal will be increasing to £3.05 per day from January 2026.

### SCHOOL MEALS

Menu for 5<sup>th</sup> December is below (week 1):

Monday – Veggie balls in tomato sauce with rice or veggie lasagne.

Tuesday – Lasagne or veggie burger

Weds – Pork sausage or veggie sausage roast dinner.

Thurs – Chicken biryani or BBQ sausage pasta

Friday – Fishfingers or cheese and bean pasty and chips.

(Jacket potatoes available as alternative each day)

### BIRTHDAYS

Many happy returns to Zamaad in Y3 who celebrates his birthday this week.

### SCHOOL PANTRY

A reminder that our school pantry is open for anyone needing a helping hand – we have food, household, toiletry and clothing available. Please contact the school office if you would like to visit the pantry.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tues 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Breakfast with Santa
Weds 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Breakfast with Santa Nativities for Years 1 to 6 9.30 am and 4.00 pm church hall
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	EYFS Nativity in school hall 10.45 am
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> Dec	School closes for Christmas break 1.30 pm
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> Jan 26	School re-opens

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