



This is the last newsletter of the Autumn Term, and we would like to wish all children, parents and carers a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year. It has been a very busy term, and we thank everyone for their co-operation and support over the year. School finishes for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 on Friday 21st December at **1pm prompt**, so please ensure you arrange to collect your child on time. Nursery finishes on Thursday 20th December at normal time. Children will return to school on Monday 7th January 2019.

RECEPTION & YEAR 2 APPLICATIONS - REMINDER

Do you have a child that was born between **1st September 2014 and 31st August 2015?** **Is your child currently in Year 2?**
You must apply for a Reception place by **You must apply for a Junior School place by**

Monday 15th January 2019.

Apply online at www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions
 or call the Schools Admissions Team on 01895 556644.



CHRISTMAS PARTY DAY

On Wednesday 19th December, we are having our Christmas Party Day. Children can wear sensible party clothes and shoes that are suitable for the weather. We appreciate all your food contributions but we request that it is brought in when you drop your child off at school.

CLUBS



You will have received a letter about next term's programme of After School Clubs - and we have been receiving lots of applications already, so thank you for returning them! Along with our varied and exciting list of clubs to join, 'Mad Science Club' will begin next term, where the children learn about science by conducting fun experiments that are appropriate to their age.

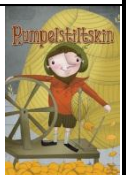


Spare forms are available from the School Office, but don't hesitate - some clubs fill up very quickly so return your application form as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. **However, some of the clubs require you to apply directly to them, so please read the letter carefully before applying.**



TRAVELLING THEATRE SHOW

As a special treat for the children we have arranged for a travelling theatre company, The Globe Players, to perform a production of 'Rumpelstiltskin' on Tuesday 18th December. We hope it will be a lovely experience for them all. Thank you to all parents who have contributed £1 so far - if you haven't yet done so, please send your contribution in a named envelope.



CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

Most of the children have now taken part in their Christmas Performances this week, and we are very proud of the children and their hard work. It is the turn of the Year 2 children to perform on Monday next week - please read the letters for more information and the audience rules which must be adhered to.

HOUSE POINTS

Well done to all children who earned House Points last month. The total stands as follows:

Mars	Jupiter	Saturn	Neptune
395 points - 1st	375 points - 3rd	390 points - 2nd	365 points - 4th

Congratulations Mars House - you are in the lead!



If your child brings a packed lunch or birthday treats, please ensure they **do not contain nuts**, for the safety of children with allergies.



If your child is unwell, please let the School Office know by calling **0203 886 0887** and pressing **1** to leave a message. Please keep us informed of any new numbers or addresses in case of emergency.

DATES FOR THIS HALF TERM

Please make a note of important upcoming dates. Further dates are available on our website (address above). Parents are invited to their child's Class Assembly which starts at 10.15am.

Monday 17 th December	Year 2 Christmas Performance (no babies/toddlers admitted) 2.15pm
Tuesday 18 th December	Globe Players to perform 'Rumpelstiltskin' for children at school
Wednesday 19 th December	Christmas Party Day (children come to school in non-uniform)
Thursday 20 th December	End of Term for Nursery only
Friday 21 st December	Nursery Parent Meetings End of Term for Main School at 1pm
Monday 7th January 2019	Children return to school at normal time