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**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December**

**RE: LAST WEEK OF TERM**

Dear Parent/Carer,

The final newsletter of 2021 and what a year it has been! It would be easy to dwell on some of the negatives but as I reflect on the Year, I feel proud and humbled by what we have achieved. We have always remained solution focused, determined to overcome any barrier. Just this last week, Mrs. Asani has been self-isolating but that did not stop her teaching her Maths group!



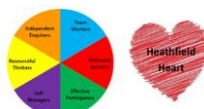
Year 5 and 6 had to close again and switch to remote learning; this was done swiftly (despite some staff being poorly) and the engagement from the children was excellent (80% +).

Throughout the year we have worked together to ensure the best for everyone in the Heathfield family. For me, it is a privilege to work at Heathfield surrounded by dedicated staff and amazing parents and carers. **So thank you all.**

## **PANTOMIME**

We have done our best to keep the Christmas spirit in school – children enjoyed the panto on Monday, we had Christmas lunch on Tuesday, we have done short Christmas performances which I know many parents/carers have enjoyed and Friday will be our Christmas party day!

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## PERMISSIONS

Please can you ensure we have the most up to date information, particularly around photograph and video permissions? For example, if you have previously requested that you would not like your child to be videoed but have now changed your mind, email [parents@heathfield.bolton.sch.uk](mailto:parents@heathfield.bolton.sch.uk) Thank you.



Thank you to all the parents/carers that collected Morrison vouchers for us. We have been able to submit a good order and to use the equipment in the spring term.

### Basket

Here is everything in your basket, have you chosen everything you wanted? Remember to use all your Grow Tokens!

|   |                         |              |     |                 |   |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|-----|-----------------|---|
|  | Child's Hand Trowel     | 20 in Basket | - + | 800 Grow Tokens | × |
|  | Child's Rake            | 1 in Basket  | - + | 415 Grow Tokens | × |
|  | Child's Hand Rake       | 1 in Basket  | - + | 40 Grow Tokens  | × |
|  | Watering Can            | 1 in Basket  | - + | 330 Grow Tokens | × |
|  | Children's Digging Fork | 1 in Basket  | - + | 415 Grow Tokens | × |
|  | Stainless Steel Dibber  | 1 in Basket  | - + | 255 Grow Tokens | × |

Total

2,255 Grow Tokens

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## FAMILY REWARD

Tim Berners – Lee family won the family reward this term. They had a great time on the fun bus!  
(Early Years had some time on there too!)



## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Christmas hamper raffle will be drawn Friday afternoon. Purchase your tickets via Parent Pay by 12pm tomorrow! £1 per ticket!



All money raised will go into school fund to support with the cost of visitors that come into school

## KEY DATES

|  |                            |                                   |
|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER</b> | 10:00am Year 4 performance | <b>11:00am Year 6 performance</b> |
| <b>FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER</b> | 2:00pm Year 5 performance  |                                   |

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**FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**

Party day (Children can wear party clothes)

(Food will be supplied by school using the £1s from Christmas jumper day)

**FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**

End of term **3.15pm finish**

**TUESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY**

Start of the spring term 8:55am

**TUESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY** Big Question launch (History and Geography)

**FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY** Year 4 play in a day Octagon theatre (Please give permission and make payment via Parent Pay)

**MONDAY 10<sup>th</sup> JANUARY** Year 5 Sale Sharks 5 week programme – Positive mental health and resilience through Tag rugby

**I hope everyone has a restful break.**

**Merry Christmas and a happy new year.**

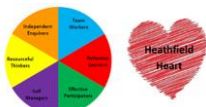


**Yours sincerely,**

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