

Atlantic Academy Primary

Newsletter



Developing Character, Confidence and Commitment

Friday 27th November

Dear Parents,

What a wonderfully enjoyable week we have had. Healthy Living week saw us start everyday with active videos, run miles and have had numerous Healthy challenges along the way.



We've run, hopped, skipped and laughed lots and have had the very best time. I hope your children have all reported the same. After chatting with all the students about what they loved we will be keeping some of our Healthy Habits - the impact daily fitness has had on both student focus and engagement has been beyond our expectations. With this in mind, for the month of December, please can you ensure your child has a pair of trainers (and dry socks) in school every day to allow them to participate in daily activities.

Parents' Evening

Next week sees our first parents' evening of the year. Hopefully you have successfully managed to book an appointment but if you have experienced any problem here please do let us know through the [contact forms on the website](#).

Christmas Events

I've included our Christmas Calendar of events for December with this newsletter. We are committed to ensuring Christmas is the most enjoyable time at Atlantic Academy and have a range of events and activities arranged. We will still be allowing Christmas Cards to be delivered in school, every class will have a drop box outside for students to deliver Christmas cards into. These boxes will be closed on Friday 11th December and cards will be quarantined before being handed out at the end of term ensuring they can be distributed safely.

Have a wonderful weekend - stay safe and we will see you next week.

Miss Heppell

Heroes of the Week

To enjoy our virtual Heroes assembly, [please click here](#)

Congratulations to all our heroes this week - a back catalogue of all our virtual Heroes assemblies can now be found on [our school website](#)



Diary Dates

December

- 3rd - Primary Parents' Evening (Virtual)
- 4th - Celebration Assembly
- 11th - Christmas Jumper Day
- 15th - KS1 Nativity (Virtual)
- 18th - Staff Pantomime
- 18th - Christmas Parties



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An Atlantic Academy Christmas



Monday 30th Christmas Crafts

Class Christmas creative activities begin. Classes will be creating a window exhibition to display in their homes.

Tuesday 1st Christmas card Post Boxes

Call in the Christmas Elves and Posties, our class Christmas card post boxes are open.

Tuesday 1st Laps to Lapland

Each class will run to get their reindeer home to Lapland for Christmas! Make sure you have a pair of trainers (and dry socks) with you at all times to take part in our challenge

Friday 4th Celebration Assemblies

It's time to Celebrate the successes and progress so far this year as we host our first ever Virtual Celebration Assembly

Friday 11th Christmas Jumper Day

It's time to dust off your Christmas Jumper for our annual Christmas Jumper day in aid of Save the Children.

Friday 11th Santa Dash Fun Run

Run your stocks off, we will be joining the Dorset School Games team as they host this years Santa Dash, a 1 mile race to the finish.

Tuesday 15th Nativity Performance

Roll out the red Carpets, the Premier of 'It's a Baby' our Reception and Key Stage 1 Nativity will go live with its virtual screening

Friday 18th Staff Pantomime

It's the staff Pantomime, 'The Big Bad and Hungry Wolf.' Oh no it isn't.... Ooh yes it is!

Friday 18th Christmas Parties

It wouldn't be Christmas with our a Christmas Party! Time to dust off your sparkles and dancing shoes and have the best party of the year with our class parties.

