



# NEWSLETTER

Selattyn C. E. Primary School

12<sup>th</sup> December 2025

This term's Collective Worship theme is: **TRUST**

## Small School, Big Heart

### Busy week ahead...

We are looking forward to a busy week ahead with something on everyday in the last week of term.

### Monday & Tuesday - Christmas Concert

The Christmas concerts will take place on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 2pm at St Mary's Church. **Doors will open at 1:50pm.**

There are no tickets for either concert, however, please limit each family to 2 seats per performance.

PTA will be serving refreshments in the Church after the concert. Please bring cash as a donation.

### Wednesday – Pantomime Day

The whole school will be going to the pantomime on Wednesday afternoon. Children will have school lunch slightly earlier than usual at 11:30 and will leave school at 12:30.

All children will have an ice cream at the pantomime. Thank you to the PTA who have covered the cost of the ice cream.

**Children are due to return to school at 5:15/5:30. We will confirm via Class Dojo when we are leaving Shrewsbury.**

### Thursday - Christmas Party Day

We have our Christmas lunch and party in the afternoon of Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December. Children can wear party clothes. Please ensure they are practical and suitable for school.

### Height & weight Checks

Height & Weight checks for reception will take place on Thursday. All children will have the check unless you have returned the opt-out form.

### Friday - Christmas Jumper Day

Children can wear Christmas jumpers with their school uniform on the last day of term.

### PTA Christmas Fayre

Thank you to the PTA for organising today's Christmas Fayre. Children have had a fantastic time with a visit from Santa who read a story in each class and brought all children a gift. Children had lots of fun playing games at all the stalls and enjoying lots of refreshments and goodies. Without the support of the PTA and the volunteers helping we wouldn't be able to run such a great event for the children. Thank you to all.

### Selattyn School Facebook Page

We now have a new Facebook page for Selattyn School. Please like and follow us and share us with your friends and families. <https://www.facebook.com/selattynprimaryschool>. There are only a few posts at the moment, so please be patient with us while we start posting more. We will be updating this regularly with all the fun activities taking place at school.

We will continue to use ClassDojo and email as we do now to communicate with you about events and activities. If you wish to contact school you should continue to call or email the office or message teachers using Class Dojo.

#### Diary Dates

##### Next Week

<b>Mon</b>	2pm – Christmas Concert 3:30 – After-school clubs
<b>Tue</b>	2pm – Christmas Concert 3:30 – After-school clubs
<b>Wed</b>	12:30 – Pantomime 5:15 / 5:30 return to school
<b>Thur</b>	Non uniform- Party Clothes Height & Weight checks Christmas Lunch Christmas Party 3:30 – After-school clubs
<b>Fri</b>	9 -10:25 – Little Badgers P.E. Class 3 & 4

#### Future Dates

18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Choir to sing at Oswestry Church
5 <sup>th</sup> Jan	PD Day
6 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Return to school
25–27Mar	Bryntysilio residential



#### Stars of the Week

**Class 1 – Isla**



**Class 2 – Niamh**

**Class 3 – Madeline**

**Class 4 – Rowan**

# CLASS NEWS

## Class 1

We've nearly made it! It's been a hive of activity in Class 1 this week. Year 1 children have completed their half-termly Phonics tests, and Reception have had their end of Phase 2 assessments. We have been practising our Christmas Concert in the church most days and doing lots of Christmas craft, including designing and making Christmas Cards. On Monday, Year 1 children worked together, to perform a Nativity play for the Reception children in class. They picked their own costumes, made their own props and created their own dialogue. The result was a fantastic performance, and the audience loved it! Have a wonderful weekend everyone!

## Class 2

This week has been a whirlwind! The children have worked really hard practising their parts in the Christmas Concert. I am very proud of the effort they have put in. I am sure they will do a great job next week. In between rehearsing, we have been working on different subjects. One highlight was sewing our Christmas pouches and purses in DT. The children have produced some lovely creative designs and started to get to grips with using different stitches and different joining techniques. The week was nicely topped off with Santa's visit to the classroom. The children were spellbound as he read them the Grinch who stole Christmas and had a lovely conversation about the meaning of Christmas. It seems Christmas really is coming! Have a great weekend.

## Class 3

What a great week we have all had in Class Three! We have been working hard preparing for the Christmas Concert with plenty of visits to Church this week! We are greatly looking forward to performing next week as well as visiting the pantomime and party day! We are definitely in the Christmas spirit now! Have a great weekend everybody! We are looking forward to lots of exciting things next week!

## Class 4

Friday again and we're ready for a busy day - Christmas Fayre after school today. We have been busy back and forth to the Church this week practising our Nativity for next week - you're in for a real treat! We have still been fitting in work around our rehearsals and children have been interpreting bus timetables and line graphs in maths. In Literacy we have continued to read our book Tom's Midnight Garden and have looked at how the characters view each other. In History, we have been looking at the Census and discussing how data is collected and how it has changed over time. We have also linked this to our computing work using MS Excel to sort data within a spreadsheet. Have a lovely weekend everyone and I'll see you at the Christmas Fayre later.

# CELEBRATING CHRISTMAS

**Thursday 18th of December**

## **Traditional Christmas Dinner**

Roasted Turkey Slice, Pig In Blanket, Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Peas & Gravy

## **Vegetarian Christmas Dinner**

Quorn Roast, Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Peas & Gravy

## **Dessert**

Christmas Tree  
Shortbread with festive icing



