

PARENT NEWSLETTER



Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Vision Statement

To enable every individual regardless of the challenges they face to achieve their full potential and prepare them for a happy and fulfilled future life.

Our Core Values

RESPECT

Everyone at Baskerville School is encouraged to respect themselves, one another, and their environment.

RESILIENCE

Everyone at Baskerville school is supported to adapt to difficult situations that can't be changed and to develop the skills needed to manage stressful situations.

KINDNESS

Everyone at Baskerville School is encouraged to show kindness in their everyday actions, supporting one another and considering others wants/needs.

ASPIRATION/ HOPE

Everyone is encouraged to cherish a desire to achieve more to make their lives happier and more fulfilled.

INDEPENDENCE

Everyone at Baskerville School is encouraged to develop their skills and knowledge to be as independent as possible throughout their lives. Everyone is encouraged to find creative solutions to problems and be an active participant in their learning.

Message from the Headteacher- Mr. Lacey

Happy Christmas everyone, I wish you a wonderful new Year too. We return on Monday 6th January 2025. The Christmas production is on the website and includes children and young people who performed on the day. The password is snow2024.

Goodbye and good luck! This term we say goodbye to Kay Ford (class teacher) and Yasir Idris (Head of HR). Thank you both for your fantastic work during your time at Baskerville. We wish you all the best in your new roles.

Attendance -Our whole school attendance is improving.

Key events

- **Friday 20th December: Students break up for Christmas holidays.**
- **Monday 6th January: Students return to school.**

We won 1st place in a Christmas card competition



Christmas jumper day

It was Christmas jumper day on Thursday 12th December. There were a range of jumpers and students enjoyed the cake sale.



Parent communication group It was great to see many parents at the communication group. Key issues were discussed and explored. The next session will be in January, date to be confirmed.

Snowdome Trip

Discovery Key Stage 3 went to the Snowdome for Santa's Winter Wonderland. We played in the snow, went on sledges, watched a pantomime of Jack and the Beanstalk and saw animals in Santa's village. Everyone had big smiles and lots of laughter!



See you in 2025!

Attendance

Please see class attendance percentages below.



W/C 2/12/2024

W/C 09/12/2024

Hedgehogs	81.9	Hedgehogs	82.2
Squirrels	93.1	Squirrels	92.5
Rabbits	90.3	Rabbits	97.2
Otters	80.7	Otters	80.7
Cats	93.1	Cats	81.6
Polecats	85.4	Polecats	94.8
Deer's	95.8	Deer's	93.3
Badgers	91.7	Badgers	93.3
Foxes	77.8	Foxes	77.8
Bats	90.6	Bats	86.3
Merlin's	95.3	Merlin's	100
Kites	85.9	Kites	100
Falcons	97.9	Falcons	100
Kestrels	93.1	Kestrels	97.8
Bears	93.5	Bears	88.4
Willows	100	Willows	93.9
Maple	91.1	Maple	84.3
Elms	87.5	Elms	95
Oaks	98.4	Oaks	95
Sycamores	90.3	Sycamores	95.6

Well Done to Willows, Merlin's, Kites and Falcons for 100% attendance.