



Dear Parents and Carers,

As our first term draws to a close, I would like to thank you all for your encouragement and support during this unusual term. The children have worked incredibly hard, both in their school classrooms and online classrooms, engaging with all of their learning and showing patience and understanding when technical 'hiccups' have arisen.

We have been sad that the pandemic has restricted us from inviting our wonderful school community to join us for Christmas church services, nativity plays and other celebrations of this special time of year. However, at the end of term, a festive video will be arriving in your inbox to bring you some Christmas cheer from the pupils of St Paulinus CE Primary School.

I would like to wish you all a very happy and peaceful Christmas and I look forward to seeing you all again in the new year. ★

Miss Salisbury,

Head of School

For
God so
loved the
world He gave
His one and only
Son that whoever
believes in Him shall not
perish but have eternal life
John
3:16



Wednesday 16th December – School Christmas lunch

A reminder that all children can wear their Christmas jumper to school for the school Christmas lunch.

Thursday 17th December: Last Day of Term

Children will still have lunch at school

Pick up times:

Year 1: 13:20

Year 2: 13:10

Year 5 and 6: 13:10

Year 3 and 4: 13:20

As always, parents and carers with children in more than one-year group should arrive at the earliest child's or KS1 from the front of the school.

There will be no after school club on Thursday - the last day of After School Club is **Wednesday 16th December 2020.**

Covid Positive Tests over Christmas Holidays

If your child has symptoms within 48 hours of last being at school & then tests positive, please email covid@st-paulinus.bexley.sch.uk so we can notify contacts within 6 days of term ending. The school will not be expected to notify any contacts after 6 days ending. The NHS Track and Trace system should be used instead. Thank you.

Recent Fundraising

A big thank you to all parents/carers who donated to our two fundraising Fridays.

£196.80 was raised for Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day last Friday.

£237.45 for BBC Children in Need (Feel Good Friday) on 13th November.

School Meals

School meal costs for next term (January – February 2021) will be £69.60 (29 days) (£12.00 per week). Payment can be made on Sims Pay.

Please let the school office know by email if your child will change for the Spring term.

Date	Event
Wednesday 16 th December	School Christmas lunch
Thursday 17 th December	School finishes from 1.10pm onwards
Friday 18 th December	Staff Training Day
Monday 4 th January	Spring Term starts