



CHRISTMAS IS MOST  
TRULY CHRISTMAS  
WHEN WE  
CELEBRATE IT  
BY GIVING THE  
LIGHT OF LOVE  
TO THOSE WHO  
NEED IT MOST.

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Dinner - Week 3

## Stars of the Week



All our pupils are superstars. This week our awards go to .....

Primary 1 and 2 – **Poppy** for excellent phonic work and **FAITH** for great sentence work.

Primary 3 and 4 – **AMY-ROSE** for having a great smile to welcome her classmates and teacher. **Lyla** for showing great perseverance in tasks.

Primary 5 and 6 – **Dylan** for consistent hard work and **Levi** for super sportsmanship.

Primary 7 – **ALEX** for excellent work on suffixes and prefixes.  
**JOSHUAH** for great work on artifacts.

### Christmas Jumper Day -

We had so much fun on our Christmas Jumper Day! It was great to spread some Christmas cheer and support a charity which brings wonderful joy to those families who truly deserve it. Thanks to your amazing generosity our school community, to date, has raised £335 for NI Children to Lapland Trust. Keep an eye out for one last Christmas surprise from the Gorran Staff.

### Gorran Nativity

You are warmly invited to watch Gorran's Nativity 2020. It will be released tomorrow afternoon and shared as a link through our app and on our social media pages. We strongly recommend that, before watching, you pour yourself a cup of tea or mulled wine, open the mince pies and play it on as big a screen as you can. We hope that you enjoy our pupil's reminder of the true meaning of Christmas!



### End of Term

School officially finishes for Christmas at 12pm on Friday. The last week of term is generally a revision week with no new learning and teaching. We realise that some families may be concerned about the risk of being a close contact and missing time with relatives over Christmas. The school will understand that some students may not be able to attend in the last week.

### Christmas Dinner

Thank you to Olivia and Marion for a fantastic Christmas dinner. We know how difficult it is to make Christmas for a family let alone 80+ hungry staff and children. As always they did this with Christmas smiles.

### Finishing Times

School pick up times remain the same next week. However, to help families, for next week only, older siblings may be collected with younger children at 2pm.

### Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December

is a half day – we will have a staggered pick up from 11:30 -12:10. The bus will leave school at 12pm.

