



# Cowes Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

## **Christmas Arrangements for Events**

In light of the most recent updates from both the Government and Public Health, I would like to share with you our plans for the next few weeks. As Christmas was pretty much cancelled last year, we very much want to continue with our events, whilst keeping everyone as safe as possible.

### **Christmas Fayre Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2.00pm – 3.30pm**

This will take place outside the front of the school. There will be children's crafts stalls, a range of games, a raffle, tombola and refreshments. This will be weather dependent, if the weather prevents us from going ahead, we shall let you know in the morning.

Please pick up your child/ren from the main playground at 2pm. Early Years children can be picked up from outside the Early Years classroom. Once you have collected your child, they do not need to be returned to the class at the end of the day and are your responsibility.

For any children not being picked up at 2pm, staff will supervise them and take them around the fayre, until sending them home at the usual time of 3pm. Please collect from the playground as usual at 3pm if not at 2pm. Early Years can be collected from outside their classroom on this occasion. Crew Club will be available as usual.

### **Christmas Carol Service and Nativity Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December 10am**

This will also take place at the front of the school around the tree. Please bring your own chair and a blanket! Refreshments will be available. This is again dependent on the weather, so we shall let you know as soon as possible if the arrangements change.

### **Christmas Fun and Play for Pre-School children Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 10am and Wreath Making Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 7pm**

These events will still take place as planned as they are much smaller events. If you are attending and wish to wear a mask, please do so. Hand sanitiser will be made available and the venue will be ventilated.

The school has undertaken a detailed Risk Assessment for these events in line with government and Public Health guidance, to try and reduce Covid 19 transmission. Obviously it is your choice whether you wish to attend any of these events, if you do have any symptoms of Covid19 please do not attend, thank you. We look forward to hopefully sharing some Christmas fun and cheer with you.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the office.

Kind regards,

Mrs Praetig  
Headteacher