

The Gattons Infant School

Autumn Term Newsletter

24th November 2025

Christmas at The Gattons

The children love to send cards to each other at Christmas and we will be starting delivery of these cards from Monday 1st December. As it is the children who help to sort and deliver them, please make sure that each card has the name of the child (preferably with their surname) and the class clearly written on each envelope. Thank you.



Thank you Assembly

We will be holding a Thank you assembly on Monday 15th December at 9.05am. Please come along and enjoy our assembly if you have been a volunteer this term. Mince pies, tea and coffee will be served afterwards.

Carol Concert - Tuesday 2nd December - Years 1 & 2

We will be holding our Christmas Concert on Tuesday 2nd December at The King's Church. The service will start at 1.45pm. We would ask that parents do not arrive before 1.30pm as there are other events taking place in the auditorium.

The service will be filmed and live streamed on to the main screen so everyone will be able to see the performance wherever they are sitting. We are only able to offer two spaces per family. Younger siblings are welcome to come and there will be a buggy park in the foyer. If you do bring younger children, please keep them with you at all times; if they are noisy then please take them outside for a little while. Please remember to complete the reply form online if you have not already done so - reminders will be sent home to those families where we have NOT had a reply. If you cannot remember if you have completed a form, please DO NOT complete another. We will contact you if we have not had a reply. Thank you.

Reception Nativity - Thursday 11th December

Please remember to return your ticket requests for Reception's Nativity performance on Thursday 11th December at either 9.30am or 2pm. We are only able to offer two tickets per child. If at all possible, we would also ask that you find someone to take care of any younger children so that everyone can enjoy the concert without the distractions which they can cause. If you do need to bring younger children, they will have to sit on your lap during the performance. Please remember to bring your tickets with you to the performance.

'All things Christmas Day' - Thursday 18th December

On Thursday 18th December we will be having our, 'All things Christmas Day'. The children will be having their Christmas lunch. The cut off date for ordering a Christmas lunch is **Thursday 4th December**. Please remember that if you have ordered a different meal for this date, it will have been cancelled and you will need to re-order a Christmas lunch meal if you want your child to have a hot lunch. The children may wear a festive/colourful jumper to school. The staff will be putting on a pantomime. They will also be enjoying an afternoon of OPAL play and party games.

Dates to remember

Tuesday 2nd December
Carol Concert

Thursday 11th December
Reception Nativity

Thursday 18th December
'All Things Christmas' Day

Friday 19th December
Last day of Autumn Term