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Dear parents/carers,

The Christmas season is finally upon us and we have reached the end of the Autumn Term! I would like to say a huge thank you to all the parents, families and friends who have supported the school in so many ways over the term. I have been thrilled to see so many of you attend the various nativity and Christmas performances. This is something close to my heart and in 2025 we will look for even more opportunities to invite parents and families on site so we can share our joy of working with the children. We will also be looking to hold various workshops for parents in our school in January - please look out for information to come on this.

There is a great deal to look forward to in 2025. As you know, our school is on an improvement journey to enable all the children to flourish even more. We have ambitious plans ahead, which include improving the playground and upgrading our provision in Early Years. Most of all, we want to improve the quality of education we provide to the children and see our school progress and attainment scores increase. We want to deliver the best possible education for every child! We will be starting January with a training day for teachers (Monday 6 January) and school will reopen for the children on **Tuesday 7 January at 8.50am.**

I wish you and your families a very happy Christmas and health and happiness for 2025. Thank you as always for your wonderful support.

With best wishes,

Mr. Walters

'Unlocking the potential in every child'

Headteacher's Awards

A huge 'well done' to the pupils who have received Headteacher awards this week and last:

Averie - Wolf

Ronan and Sarah - Hummingbirds

Artur and Stefan - Koala

The whole of Dolphin and Tiger Classes!

Oliver - Toucan

Gracie - Penguin

Phoebe - Kangaroo

Faizan - Toucan

Thakshara - Husky

Esmay - Leopard



KEY DATES: Autumn Term

January

Mon 6 INSET Day

Tues 7 Return to school

February

17-21 HALF TERM

Mon 24 INSET Day

Tues 25 Return to school

Attendance Award

The class with the highest attendance this week is **Year 4** once again with 95% attendance!



Congratulations!!

For more information:

Please see our new, revamped website at:

www.tweeddaleprimary.sch.uk



We can also be found on Facebook!

Christmas performances

A huge thank you to all those who came to the Christmas performances. They were wonderful and we look forward to inviting you to more events in 2025!