



Dear Families of Swillington Primary School,

Thank you

Thank you for all your support this week. Monday was not an ideal way to start our week but we managed to get through it as a team.

Parking

Please can I remind you to drive carefully at drop off and pick up times. I am aware some of these drivers are **not** our parents and carers. Please be mindful of children on the path etc. To support the flow of traffic, where possible, please try and park on the opposite side of school (leaving the school side pavement free.) We are hoping our staggered start and end times will help this situation.

School meals/Christmas lunch

Remember you can always order your child a school dinner. Have a look at the menu and, if you would like a school meal, please contact the office before or on the actual day.

If you would like your child to have a Christmas Dinner, please order one of our special meals for Thursday 17th December.

Trim Trail

We are really pleased to share with you that the trim trail has now been installed. Please remind your child not to use this before or after school.



British Values

We have been learning about British Values. Please see the following link which explains one of the values we have been learning about this week-Individual Liberty.

Our Christmas Shop

<https://swillingtonprimary.com/community/the-christmas-shop/>

This has now gone live! We will send out an order form for the items that are for sale.

Attendance

Thank you for following our procedures for attendance. We understand that some pupils are isolating, remember to call the office if your child is absent. This week our attendance was 98 %.

Whole school attendance from September to December 2nd= 97%

Christmas Performance 2020

We are really excited to announce that this year we will have a virtual performance. Every class (from Snow Leopards-Turtles) will be included. The live performance will take place in the last week of this half term over Google Meet and we will offer a morning and an afternoon time on Thursday 17th December. Penguin class will be acting from the main hall then every other class will have a song/dance included in the performance. This style of performance will ensure we can comply with our COVID secure measures.

Staggered start/finish times- Autumn 2

Please remember to arrive/collect at the **start time of your allocated slot**. Thank you.

A-G to arrive at **8.40-8.50** Leave at **3.00-3.10**

H-N to arrive at **8.50-9.00** Leave at **3.10-3.20**

O-Z to arrive at **9.00-9.10** Leave at **3.20-3.30**

Please can I also remind parents about adhering to social distancing whilst dropping off and collecting.

We hope you all have a happy and safe weekend.

Thank you,

Mr M Cahill
Headteacher



