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Dear Parents/Carers,

Last week was a very busy week with Year 3 going to Creswell Crags and the whole school madly learning songs and lines in anticipation for our Carol Concert. Thank you to everyone involved in making Christmas such a magical time at Cavendish.

Snacks

We have started to notice a number of sweet snacks coming into school. As a Healthy School, we do encourage fruit at break times, and there are plenty of snacks available to buy from the Tuck Shop. We ask that you support us in continuing to promote healthy snacks.

Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Jumper Day is **Friday 14th December**. This is always a fun day and gets everybody into the festive spirit. Please note, Friday is not a non-uniform day, we ask that the only change in uniform is their Christmas jumper. Please bring a £1 donation to participate in this fundraising day. Thank you in advance for your support.

Homework Exhibition

I'm sure many of you are already madly designing and creating Homework projects. Our exhibition will take place on **Tuesday 18th December after school**. This is a great opportunity to come into school and for your child to share their learning with their peers and with you. As this is my first experience of the homework exhibition, I cannot wait to see just what our pupils are capable of both inside and outside school - I hope to see you there.

Safeguarding

The dark nights are upon us and Christmas will soon be here. This is also a time of year where brand new devices and gadgets find themselves under the Christmas tree. Please remember to be vigilant for your child's online safety and report anything inappropriate. If you have any concerns or worries, please don't hesitate to contact school, who can provide you with further information.

Road safety is also something I would like for us to keep at the forefront of our minds. This week, your children will have reminders in assembly about staying safe on the roads and the importance of looking twice before crossing roads.

Attendance

Last week our attendance was 97.4%. It is most certainly the time of year where colds and feeling under the weather is a common occurrence, but please make sure that you continue to send your child to school. I assure you, we will contact you if we feel your child is too unwell to attend.

Thank you for your continued support.

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