



'A Caring Christian Community Committed to Achievement'

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COMPASSION COMMUNITY COURAGE CURIOSITY

I spent some time this week talking to children across our school about my learning. I asked the children what they felt I had done really well this term and what could be my learning targets for the new year. I thought I would share some of their responses with you:

We love the way you skip with us outside at lunchtime.
We like it when you come and see us in our classrooms.
We like the way you help us with kindness.

I would like it if you could learn to skip a bit better.
I would like it if you could stay for longer in our classrooms.
I would like it if you could get some food for the poor people.
I would like it if we could talk about the kindness gems in our jar in celebration assembly.

I am going to put my leaning targets outside my office in the New Year so that the children can ask me how I am getting on and what progress I have made.

On behalf of all the children, staff and governors at St Mary's, I would like to wish you all a very happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year.

With warmest wishes,

Sophie Westerwijk

Dates for your diary:

**Monday 7th January
2019 - INSET DAY**

**Tuesday 8th January
2019 - START OF
TERM 3**

**Monday 21st January -
Young Voices KS2**



Invitation to all our parents

We will be inviting you in to school on Tuesday 22nd January 2019 at 7pm to share our revised behaviour for learning and relationships policy with you. I will be joined by my colleague, Andy Baker, who works for our Trust as the lead practitioner for behaviour and pupil engagement.

Carol Service

Thank you to all of our families for supporting our Key Stage 2 children at the carol concert on Wednesday. What a magical celebration it was! I was very impressed with the singing, clear speaking and acting. Well done to every one of our Priory and Conygar learners!

Our Christmas wishes

I read out a letter today in Celebration assembly from one of our children in Sheepway. They had written a letter to Father Christmas asking for three wishes this Christmas. One was for the world, one for their family and one for themselves.

What would your child's three wishes be?

INSET Term 3

Our training day will focus on the following:

Writing assessment
Revising our behaviour for learning and relationship policy
Revising our Feedback policy
Supporting children with Special Educational needs

After School Clubs

Monday

Hockey

Tuesday

Gym

Wednesday

Badminton

Thursday

Football

Friday

Bowls

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