

Etonbury Academy Weekly Update – 2 December 2016

All Years

- **Lunch Menu** - Next week's lunch menu is WEEK 1. Please [click here](#).
- **Christmas Jumper Day (Fri 9 Dec)** - £1 donation for non-uniform (with a Christmas jumper if your child has one). The money will be going to 3 charities that are being supported by our Marathon running teachers (Kidney Research, Children with Cancer and Hertfordshire Community Foundation).
- **EACA Christmas Disco (Weds 14 Dec 6pm – 8pm)** – Please [click here](#) for more information and reply form.
- **Inter-House Great Etonbury Bake Off (Mon 12 Dec)** - For more details please [click here](#).
- **Asthma Inhalers**- Please can you make sure that all asthma inhalers are clearly named.
- **Christmas Dates for your diary** – Please [click here](#).
- **UPDATE Christmas Market (Fri 9 Dec)** – The Christmas Market will be taking place in the afternoon (1.30pm - 3pm), please [click here](#) for more information. Due to the interest of our local community, parking can now take place on the school playground from 1.15 pm. Please support the Christmas Market by donating any of the following:
 - Toys/Games/Puzzles
 - Christmas Gifts
 - Hair/Beauty/Toiletries
 - Bric a Brac/White Elephant
 - Bottles (alcohol/soft drinks)
 - Stationery
 - Soft Toys
 - Sweets
 - Chocolates
 - Jam Jars
 - Books
- **Christmas Market Soft Toy Stall** – We would be very grateful for any soft toy donations for our stall at the Christmas Market. Please could all donations be in good, clean condition and brought into Mrs Ashby's tech room. Thank you.
- **EACA Christmas Raffle Tickets** – Please [click here](#) to view letter.
- **Christina Marks Dance/Winter Wonderland (Tues 6 Dec)** - If your child takes part in Christina Marks Dance club, the club will be on as normal before the performance on Tuesday 6th December.
- **Winter Wonderland Tickets on General Sale** – We still have a few tickets to sell to the general public, these will be allocated on a first-come first-served basis. Please reply to etaconsent@bestacademies.org.uk with your ticket requests. [Click here](#) to view the poster which includes ticket and price details.
- **Future Culture challenge Data Sheet – Christina Marks**
Your child needs to return their CULTURE CHALLENGE DATA SHEET to Mrs Limb by 5th December at the latest. You will have been directly e-mailed about this if your child is involved.

Year 5

Year 6

- **Alice in Wonderland** – A big thank you to all the parents/carers and grandparents who came to support our Wow afternoon, it was great to see you all there.
- **Harry Potter Studio Tours Trip** – Please [click here](#) for final details of the day. If your child is NOT on the trip then they are to come to school as normal and they will

follow an alternative timetable that day. Where all the lessons will be linked in some way to Harry Potter or magic.

Year 7

Year 8

- **Year 8 parents/carers** -With Year 8 options taking place after Christmas there has been some small amendments to the school calendar that impact Year 8 reporting and parents evening. Reports will now be issued on the 3rd of February and parents evening/options evening will take place on Thursday 9th February.

This bringing forward of dates will enable parents/carers to discuss options with relevant teachers before half term and their child over half term, before coming up with final choices.

Year 9

Other Items of Interest

- **Literacy and numeracy volunteers** – We would welcome volunteers in to school to help with our literacy and numeracy homework club. If you, or a member of your family, can spare a regular hour a week after school, and have experience of teaching or supporting in these areas please contact tsquires@bestacademies.org.uk
- **Etonbury Vacancy** – Farm Manager, [Click here](#) for further information.
- **BEST Vacancies** – Second in Mathematics, English Teacher, MFL Teacher, Science Technician, Midday Supervisor, and Governor Please [click here](#) for details.

Diary Dates

Tuesday 6 December – Winter Wonderland Performance
Wednesday 7 December – Year 6 Harry Potter Trip
Thursday 8 December – Christmas Dinner
Friday 9 December – Christmas Market/Non uniform Day
Monday 12 December – Inter House Great Etonbury Bake Off
Wednesday 14 December – EACA Christmas Disco
Friday 16 December – End of Term

Let us know what you think about these emails. Have you got any suggestions? Please email etaoffice@bestacademies.org.uk