


## KEEPING SAFE



Lots of films on the Internet can make you very unhappy - sensible people don't watch

If you're worried about something you see tell an adult

Watching some films can get you in a lot of trouble

**Watch or Not?**

NEVER feel you must watch something you don't want to

Some films are frightening and can affect you for a long time

Lots of things you find on the Internet are simply NOT TRUE!!

**Be Brave - Say NO!**

## KEEPING HEALTHY

Help us to  
**Stop the drop**



# Goodrich Church of England

### Attendance

7<sup>th</sup> Edition 2016-17 16<sup>th</sup> December 2016

### Termly House points

Reception	99.4%
Year 1	98.1%
Year 2	93.2%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	100%
Year 5	95.4%
Year 6	96.1%
TOTAL	97.1%

### Christmas Blessing



May the humility of the shepherds, the perseverance of the wise men, the joy of the angels, and the peace of the Christ-child be God's gifts to us and to people everywhere this Christmas time. And may the blessing of the Christ-child be upon us always.

Amen



Goodrich Church of England Primary School

### Collective Worship

At this time of year we think about  
**Advent & Christmas**



We are organised and we value peace.

'Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you.'  
(John 14:27)



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# Primary School Newsletter

## Notices

- Yellow House are the House points' winners for the Autumn Term. Congratulations for all of your hard work! You will have a non-school uniform day on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> January. The School Council are also considering whether to change/ add to the winning house reward.
- A huge thank you for all the PTFA support at school over this term but especially in the last few weeks. It is very much appreciated by everyone at school.

SEASONS GREETINGS AND CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS TO YOU, AND ALL YOU LOVE AT THIS MAGICAL TIME OF YEAR.



## What's Going On?

Forest School	Celebration Worship	Other dates
	16/12/16 Christmas Carol Service followed by refreshments	15/12/16 Panto & Christmas Party Day- Non uniform
		16/12/16 Autumn Term Ends
		17/12-31/17 Christmas Holiday
		18/12/16 St Giles Carol Service 15:00
		3/01/17 INSET Day
		4/01/17 Spring Term Begins
		05/01/17 Yellow House Non-School Uniform
		25/01/17 Bag 2 School Collection

	Class News	Class Superstars
<b>Wrens</b>	This week, Wrens have been getting into the festive spirit. We have been using lots of different materials to make Christmas crafts and of course lots and lots of glitter! We also have used our knowledge of 2D shapes to design Christmas tree decorations and wrote all about our trip to the Dean Heritage Centre.	Alfie, Sophia, Barnaby, Jacob
<b>Robins</b>	This week Robins have been learning all about shape through our Christmas craft. We have been looking for shapes in everything! We have also been practicing our Maths skills on Mathletics. Our usernames and passwords will work until the end of this week, so keep practicing at home until then, to earn your points and credits.	Alan, Arthur, Emma
<b>Woodpeckers</b>	This week, we have been continuing our work on non-fiction writing including recipe writing. In Maths, we have been reviewing calculation skills and applying them to Christmas themed questions. We have also been busy thinking about how people celebrate Christmas when singing songs and making Christmas crafts.	All of the Woodpeckers!
<b>Owls</b>	In Owls this week, we have been busy plotting co-ordinates to reveal a complex Christmas picture. As part of our RE topic on Hindus, we have been finding out how rangoli patterns are used to decorate and protect Hindus homes during the Diwali festival and creating our own rangoli patterns. We have also had the glitter and sequins out to make some Christmas crafts!	Mara, Seth T Fred, Jack
<b>Peregrines</b>	This week, we have started to write our playscript based on Ancient Greek myths and legends and in R.E we wrote a newspaper recount about the birth of Jesus. For the Christmas carol service we have made origami angels, with glitter added as a finishing touch!	Calvert, Charlie Sol, Jessica

### We have introduced a new app service to the school.

OurSchoolsApp is a personalised app for our school and will allow us to keep you all updated with school information, news, calendar events and contact information.

If you have a smartphone (Android or iPhone) you can download OurSchoolsApp from Google Play Android or the Apple Store for FREE. Access is also available on a tablet and iPad by following the same download process.

When we update OurSchoolsApp with new information or news about the school, a push message notification will automatically be sent to your device to inform you of this update. You can then view the notification which will then take you directly to our app.

#### Instructions for download:

1. Using your device (iPad, iPhone, smart pad, tablet or android phone), visit the relevant marketplace for your product (Apple Store or Google Play).
2. Search for '**OurSchoolsApp**' and download the app.
3. Once downloaded, use the search bar within the app and enter the postcode or the name of the school.
4. Hit the search button.
5. Once you see the school name displayed, just touch the screen on the school name.
6. Confirm your choice by pressing 'OK'.
7. You will now be presented with the correct app for your chosen school which contains news, information, calendar events, contacts and any other relevant details.

