

# Royston Weekly



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Friday 20th December 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Merry Christmas! What a run up to Christmas it has been- we have packed in so much throughout December. The pupils have been amazing and are a credit to school and yourselves at home. Thank you again for all your support through the year so far; St John's is a special school for so many reasons and its community are part of that. We have purchased a new sound system for school that we used in our concerts with part of the money we took from the Christmas Fair; raffle tickets have been drawn and prizes will go home with pupils tonight.



## Year 3

We would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs. Butters for everything she has done for our school. We wish her well in her new role- she will still be a familiar face in the St John's community. From January, Miss Donougher will take on the role of Year 3 Class Teacher.

## Year 6

After Christmas, Mr. White will be taking two weeks paternity leave as he and his partner welcome their second child. During this time, I will be teaching Year 6 as much as I possibly can to support the children in SATs preparations. We wish Mr. White the best of luck with his new addition. On the run up to SATS Year 6 will only have one PE session a week to enable us to cover the curriculum areas we need.

Mr. White and I would like to take the opportunity to thank all staff in school for everything- they do go above and beyond for the pupils of our school.

## Year 4 Lego Explore sessions

Year 4 will be starting Lego Explore sessions in the new year. These will be held at Royston Library and organised by a STEM specialist. Pupils will go every Thursday afternoon leaving after lunch and will be back for 3:30pm. Pupils will only have one PE session during the Spring Term to allow for this addition to their Year 4 experience.



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**Lego session dates:** 9/1/25, 16/1/25, 23/1/25, 30/1/25, 6/2/25 and 13/2/25.



## PE Days

Year Group	Day of the Week
Reception	Tuesday
Year 1	Monday and Wednesday
Year 2	Monday and Friday
Year 3	Tuesday and Friday
Year 4	Friday
Year 5	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 6	Monday

## DIARY DATES

### February

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February Young Voices (school choir)

### March

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March – Year 5 Creative Writing Workshop in school

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March- class photos

As always thank you for your continued support,

R. Steele

Acting Headteacher