



NOTICES FOR ALL PARENTS Week ending 12th December 2025

After School Clubs & KOOSA Kids

Please note that there will be no after school clubs next week, and KOOSA Kids will not be running on Friday 19th December.

End of Term

A reminder that school finishes at **1:30pm** on Friday 19th December.

Greensand Job Opportunities

Please [click here](#) for current opportunities within Greensand MAT.

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NOTICES FOR NURSERY PARENTS

Thank you

Thank you for joining us for our Nursery Christmas sing-along.

The children all looked fabulous in their festive clothes, and it was joyful performing for such an appreciative audience.

Christmas Parties

Next week we will enjoy a festive dance/game and watch a short Christmas film with a packet of Pom-Bears and squash. Please see ingredients for the party food below:

Ingredients - Pom-Bears

Dried Potato, Sunflower Oil, Potato Starch, Maize Starch, Maize Dextrin, Sugar, Salt, Potato Protein, Yeast Extract, Emulsifier: Mono- and Diglycerides of Fatty Acids, Potassium Chloride, Paprika Powder

Ingredients - Orange Squash

Water, Orange Fruit from Concentrate (10%), Acid (Citric Acid), Sweeteners (Aspartame, Saccharin), Preservatives (Potassium Sorbate, **Sodium Metabisulphite**), Natural Flavouring, Acidity Regulator (Sodium Citrate), Stabiliser (Cellulose Gum), Natural Colour (Carotenes)

Ingredients - Blackcurrent and Apple Squash

Water, Fruit Juices from Concentrate (Apple 9%, Blackcurrant 1%), Acid (Citric Acid), Natural Colour (Anthocyanins), Acidity Regulator (Sodium Citrate), Sweeteners (Aspartame, Saccharin), Preservatives (Potassium Sorbate, **Sodium Metabisulphite**), Natural Flavouring

Thank you to the PSA for sponsoring our Christmas parties!

NOTICES FOR RECEPTION PARENTS

Thank you

Thank you for supporting our Nativity performances. The children all looked fabulous in their costumes, and we were very proud of the courage and talent they showed during the performances.

Communication, Language and Reading Workshop

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NOTICES FOR YEAR ONE PARENTS

Christmas Performance

We are looking forward to sharing our Christmas performance with you next **Wednesday 17th December at 9.30am at St Mark's Church**. Please ensure that your child arrives at school punctually, **8.45am ideally**, so that we have enough time to change them into their costumes and walk to the church. Please do continue to practise your child's words at home over the weekend if they have brought home a line to learn so that they are feeling confident and ready for the performance. Thank you for your support.

Dip and Do

Your child has been sent home with 'Dip and Do' activities. Please do support your child in completing at least one of these tasks and bring them back to school by Monday 12th January so they can be shared in their class.

Christmas Parties

Next week we will enjoy a festive dance/game and watch a short Christmas film with a packet of popcorn and squash. Please see ingredients for the party food below:



'Proper Corn' Sweet and Salty popcorn: caramelised popcorn seasoned with sea salt.

Ingredients: Wholegrain corn (63%), rapeseed oil, demerara sugar, glazing agent (isomalt), sea salt.

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Hever Castle Visits

In the spring term we will be visiting Hever Castle as part of our history learning. Hedgehogs will be visiting the castle on Tuesday 17th March and Owls and Otters will be visiting the castle on Wednesday 18th March. The children will enjoy a tour of the castle and take part in a workshop. We will be asking for volunteers to accompany us. All volunteers must have a valid DBS for our school. If you think you would like to offer to accompany us on the trips **and** have a valid DBS check, please ensure that you keep it updated by arranging with your child's class teacher to come into school to hear readers. More details about the trip, and how to offer your help, will follow in a letter home in January. Thank you.

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Early Morning Club Bookings – Spring Term

Bookings for Early Morning Club for the Spring Term will open at 9:30am on Wednesday 10th December. How to book:

- Bookings must be made via [Scopay](#) and can be completed up until midnight the day before the session.
- Important:
Please ensure a booking is made before bringing your child to Early Morning Club. There is a maximum capacity to maintain staff ratios, and without a booking, your child may not be able to attend.

- Payment options:
If you wish to pay using childcare vouchers, please contact bookings@holmesdale.surrey.sch.uk.
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For any previous notices please refer to the [Holmesdale School website](#)