

## This Week

**Christmas Trees:** If anyone has any Christmas trees (not real trees please) that they would be happy to donate to school, please send them in for the attention of Rosie.

**Christmas Jumper Day:** We are having our Christmas Jumper Day next Friday, 10th December. Everyone in school is invited to wear a Christmas jumper for the day.

**Seniors Carol Concert:** As we are sadly no longer able to invite you to join us in person for the Seniors Carol Concert, we will be filming it instead. The video will be available to watch on both our website and Facebook page after the event.

**Primary Christmas Show & Nativity:** These are also being filmed, there will be a DVD available after the event. Full details have been sent home this week.

**Breakfast Club:** Our Breakfast Club is now running on weekdays from 8am. If you are interested in your child joining the Club, please contact the School Office.

**After School Club:** Our After School Club for Seniors students is now running on Thursdays after school. If you are interested in your child joining this Club, please contact the School Office. (Please note that, after our recent enquiries to parents & carers, there was insufficient demand for us to run an After School Club for our Primary students.

**Parent Questionnaire:** Our Parent Questionnaire is ready for you to complete online. We really value your input, so please do take a few minutes to fill it in. It can be accessed by [clicking here](#) or using the QR code shown on this page. Please complete it by the last day of this term, Friday 17th December.



**NATRE Spirited Arts Winners:** Congratulations to last year's Cherries Class, who entered the NATRE "Spirited Arts" Competition in July and were one of the winners, with their book telling the story of Noah's Ark. You can learn more about this in this week's Newsround video.

**First Central Group Laptop Donation:** We would like to say a huge thank you to First Central Group, who donated twenty-five laptops to us! This means our laptop trolley is now full with up-to-date, matching laptops for all our students to access AND we've been able to replace some of our most worn-out computers in classes too.



## Yoimoji of the Week: Zigzag

ZigZag is a Patient Goat. We are using "Yoimojis" in our Assemblies, to help with learning and celebrating OFSTED's Fundamental British Values.

Yoimoji is a blend of the Japanese words "yoi" (good) and "emoji" (slang for character.) You can see our Yoimoji posters on our website's news pages.

## Letters Home

**Primary Classes & Beachcombers:** QEII Connections Letter (in bags.)

**Balloonists:** Riding Letter & Consent Form (in bags.)

**Primary Classes & Beachcombers:** Nativity DVD letter (by email.)

## Class News from Adventurers

This week we have been working on evaluating others' work. We shared what we liked about it and how it made us feel. We also started making Christmas presents in ASDAN and Amelia had a fantastic hydro session. We are enjoying practising for our carol concert next week.

