

EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS















Thursday 19th December '24

Reception's Wonderful Nativity Performance



































Year 2's Amazing Performance of Lights, Camel, Action!

Many thanks to Nicky Burke for spending time gathering parents together who were willing to plan exciting events for the children, as well as raising funds for school. So far, they have organised a very successful movie night for the children in Key Stage 2, and a disco/party night for the children in reception and Key Stage 1. Through their fund raising efforts, they have raised a sum of money that has been used to provide Christmas treats for all children in school. We are extremely grateful for their support, and it is lovely to see the Friends of Emmaville once again active.

They have exciting plans for future events; and on behalf of the children and staff, a 'Jolly Well Done' to them all for giving their time to support the children of our school.



As the autumn term draws to an end, I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas; a time for family and friends. Unfortunately, we have to bid farewell to some of our work colleagues, who are also our friends. Mrs Morren, Mrs Lowe and Mrs Evans have been valued members of staff and they are about to venture off to pastures new. As they set off on their new journeys, we thank them for the care and dedication that they have shown to the school, and we wish them the very best of luck for the future.

We shall look forward to welcoming all of our families back to school on Monday 6th January, when we hope to have a happy, healthy, productive 2025.

Avril Armstrong

Emmaville Primary School Christmas Raffle Ticket Winners

> 1st - Food Hamper worth £80 Name: Shaun Webster

2nd – Festive Drinks Hamper worth £60 Name: Lesleyann

3rd - Children's Gift Box to the value of £40 Name: Christopher Morren

> 4th - Beauty Gift Box Name: Lee Birdsall

5th – Cinema Ticket worth £35 Name: Lynn Howdon

> 6th - Christmas Cake Name: Michael Hedley

7th – Christmas Crackers Name: Lily-Mae

We would like to thank everyone who has bought raffle tickets, your support is very much appreciated.

School Attendance -	Week Ending	13.12.24
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Year 6: North America	91.6%	South America	95.2%	
Year 5: Antarctica	97.2%	Oceania	97.4%	
Year 4: Africa	96.6%	Asia	97.9%	Whole school
Year 3: Northern Europe	90.6%	Southern Europe	95.8%	attendance
Year 2: Northern Ireland	95.7%	Wales	98.9%	95.5%
Year 1: England	97.4%	Scotland	92.7%	
EYFS: Gateshead	90.7%	Newcastle	91.7%	
Crawcrook	84.2%			

Well done to Wales for the best attendance last week.

Stars of the Week

Head Teacher - Isabelle (Antarctica) For being such a lovely, helpful girl.

North America - Noah For showing such a great attitude to his learning.

South America - George For his growing confidence and independence with his writing.

> Antarctica - Ella P For amazing attitude to her learning.

Oceania - Maaz For his amazing progress and attitude towards swimming.

Africa - Fraser For his patience and kindness towards his peers.

Asia - D'Arcy For her kindness towards the residents of the care home.

Northern Europe - Esme For her brilliant Ken-te cloth design! Well done!

Southern Europe - Olivia For excellent work in maths this week!

Northern Ireland - The whole class For their amazing performance of 'Lights, Camel, Action!'

Wales - All of wonderful Wales For an incredible performance - we are so proud of all of them!

> England - Oscar For enthusiasm towards his learning.

Scotland - Rosie For her amazing effort with her writing. Well done.

Newcastle - Joshua For fabulous enthusiasm and skill in the drumming workshop.

Gateshead - Elliot For being ready and respectful in school - well done!

> Crawcrook Nursery - Jacob For super drumming in the workshop.

