



HIGFORD NEWSLETTER

AUTUMN TERM 1

Key Dates

- **11-15th November-** Parent/ carer consultations
- **12th December-** Christmas fun day-classes 1-6
- **13th December-** Christmas fund day- classes 7-12
- **18th December-** Christmas dinner- Christmas jumpers welcome
- **20th December-** school disco- party outfits encouraged
- **20th December-** last day of term
- **6th January-** first day back at school

Hi all,

I can't believe we are at the end of the first half term of the year already. It has been a great half term with lots of engaging lessons about our topic 'Festivals and Celebrations'.

As a school this term we have really focussed on all of the enriching learning opportunities our students are offered at Higford. We are now able to offer gymnastics at Severn Gymnastics Academy to all of our Key Stage 3 students throughout the year. We have also been able to increase our horse riding offer, with all of our Key Stage 1 and 2 students now doing this for 2 terms each year. These have been really successful already this term and we look forward to keeping you updated on the students' progress.

We are also reviewing how we communicate with parents and you will have already had an invitation to the Isams Parent Portal which we will be fully utilising over the coming weeks. If you have any suggestions regarding parent communication please do let us know.

We have done lots of work with the students around our school values 'Kind, Together, Achieve' and these are now used for our student celebrations each Friday.

Sam



♥ Kind



Together



Achieve





Class 12 really enjoyed their visits this term to a range of religious buildings.



Horse riding and gymnastics



High quality learning in the classroom