

St James's Jotter



20th December Key Stage 2 Carol Service 9.30am in Assembly Hall.

20th December Half day 12 noon finish for Christmas holidays.

6th January 2020 School closed for staff training.

7th January 2020 School reopens.

7th January 2020 Nursery and Year 1 admissions portal opens for applications.

9th January 2020 Stay and Play for Nursery children in Mrs Magill's classes who will be going to Year 1 in Sept 2020.

9th January 2020 Nursery and Year 1 Admissions Support Sessions 10.00am and 2.30pm.

10th January 2020 Stay and Play for Nursery children in Mrs Higgins's class who will be going to Year 1 in Sept 2020. Nursery and Year 1 Admissions Support Session 10.00am.

15th January 2020 Service of Commitment and Light for Year 7 children making their Confirmation - 7.00pm, St Mary's, Star of the Sea, Whitehouse.

31st January 2020 Grandparents' Day – Grandparents are invited to visit their grandchildren's classes. Details will follow.

Please note that dates may change.

On behalf of the Governors and staff, I would like to wish all our children, parents/guardians and friends a very happy Christmas and best wishes for 2020.

Paula Cunningham

The Nursery and Year 1 admissions criteria will be published on the EA website on the 19th December. The admissions portal is open for applications on the 7th January. Please visit www.eani.org.uk/admissions.

We will have admissions support sessions on the 9th and 10th January. If this does not suit, please contact the office and we can arrange an alternative time.

We send our best wishes to Miss Morrow who has been seconded to the Education Authority to work on the Shared Education Signature Project. Miss Morrow starts her seconded post in January. Miss Claire McErlean will be teaching our Year 1 class and we welcome her to our school.

In order to develop our Special Educational Needs provision, Mrs Hinds will be released from class from January 2020 and Mrs Cross will teach her Year 3 class on a full time basis.