



# Armley Park Primary School

8 December 2023

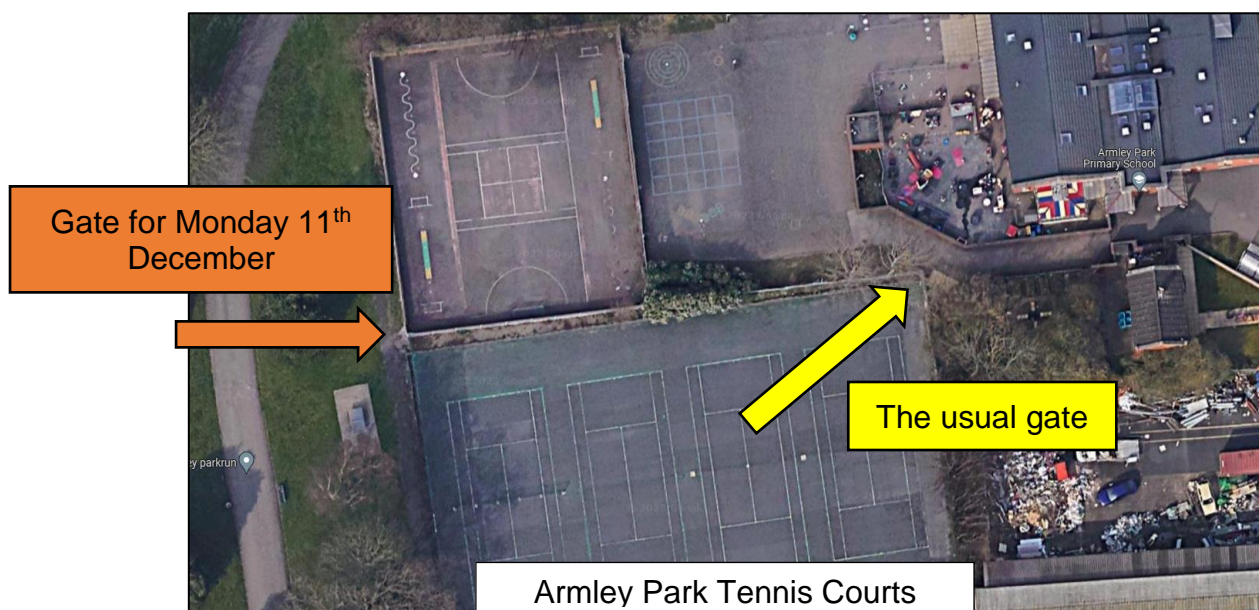
Dear parents and carers,

We are close to the end of a very long Autumn term, just two more weeks to go! It was great to see lots of children in their Christmas Jumpers yesterday, we will send all the money donated to Save the Children charity and thank you for your donations of bottles and chocolate for the Christmas Fair.

Before we finish for the Christmas holidays, there are lots of things happening...

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December – flu immunisations. If you want your child to have a flu immunisation, please complete the information which was emailed to you. Without this being completed in full, your child will not receive the immunisation.

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December – the tennis courts in Armley are being cleaned so will be closed. If you travel to school through the park, you will not be able to use the usual gate but we will open the one which leads onto our ball area instead.



Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Lunch. If your child usually has a packed lunch, please complete this form to order a Christmas lunch: <https://forms.gle/dWtS1E4hrs6yPYQX8>

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30 - Nursery and Reception Nativity Performance.

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Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December. Year 1 and Year 2 will be opening the Christmas Fair with a Festive Sing-a-long at 2:45 and then the fair will be open from 3.00 until around 4:30. If you have not already done so, we would be really grateful for donations for the stalls at the fair – any bottles or chocolate. The money raised from this fair will be donated to charity. Thank you!

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December – Year 3 trip to Nell Bank. Please complete the form to give permission for your child to attend the trip: <https://forms.gle/5pRPiC6XNMSntYSt8>

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December – reward for the House who have earned the most house points. This will take place during the school day.

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December – last day of term. School finishes at 3.15 as normal but there is no After School Club so please do not try and book on for this day. School reopens on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at 8.40.

Extra-Curricular Clubs:

As there is a lot happening over the last two weeks of term, some of the after school clubs cannot take place. If your child currently attends one of these clubs, please check the grid below, if it has been crossed out, it has been cancelled so please collect your child as normal at 3.15.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week beginning 11.12.2023</b>	Movie Club	Dance Club	Arts and Crafts Bench Ball	<del>Science Club</del> Arts and Crafts	Rugby Club
<b>Week beginning 18.12.2023</b>	Movie Club	<del>Dance Club</del>	Arts and Crafts Bench Ball	Science Club Arts and Crafts	<del>Rugby Club</del>

If you have any questions about clubs this term, please contact the school office. We are currently planning the clubs we would like to offer next term so when they are finalised, we will email you the details so you can book places if you want to.

Attendance:

Thank you to all the families who have made a big effort to improve their child’s attendance at school recently. There are still some children who are not attending school regularly and this is not acceptable. If you need support with improving your child’s attendance, please arrange to meet with Mrs Cliff.

**Reminder: School starts at 8.40 each morning.** It is expected that children are on the playground by 8:40 every day so they can line up with their class when the bell is rung. This allows the children to go into class with their friends and start their learning. Children who are regularly late are missing out on learning and this will lead to gaps in their knowledge and understanding of the curriculum so please help your child to get the most out of their time in school by arriving on time.

Any child arriving after 8.50, needs to come through the main office doors. We understand there may be the occasional reason for being late but it should not happen regularly.

Thank you for your ongoing support this term, I am really proud of our school and what we can achieve by working together to make this the best place it can be to be for all our children!



Emily Caine  
Headteacher