



Friday 19th November 2021

A **Beyond** ACADEMY
SCHOOLS TRUST

Important Dates:



Year 6 heights and measures— Monday 22nd November

Trust staff development day— school closed to pupils:
Friday 26th November

Friends of Balfour Christmas Market—
Friday 3rd December

Christmas jumper day and Christmas lunch for pupils—
Wednesday 15th December

Last day of Term 2—
Friday 17th December (school finishes at the usual time)

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Christmas jumper donations



If you have any pre-loved Christmas jumpers that you no longer need, please donate them to school so we can sell them on our Christmas Market stall. Donations can be sent in with your child or to the school office by Monday 29th November and you can visit the Christmas Market on Friday 3rd December to buy a Christmas jumper from the stall.

School dinners

If you go down to the woods today... you'll find some delicious food! The pupils enjoyed a woodland themed lunch on Thursday, with sausage and cheese & onion pinwheels and chocolate muffins. As the colder weather arrives, children really benefit from a hot meal at lunchtime, remember that you can order on the day and don't need to book lunches in advance.



RHS Award

Congratulations to Mrs Atkins and our wonderful gardening club, who have achieved the Royal Horticultural Society School Gardening Awards level 2. They have grown a range of different fruits and vegetables in their garden, including pumpkins, cucumbers, beans, carrots and potatoes and have developed their growing skills. We can't wait to see what they will grow next!

Children in Need



Thank you for supporting Children In Need this year through buying Pudsey merchandise, taking part in the raffle and wearing spots to school today. Congratulations to the winners of the raffle prizes and the lucky winner of the main prize is Victoria in Year 3. Well done Victoria!

Yellow Caps

We are very excited to share the return of the Yellow Caps! They are responsible for litter picking and will be helping to keep our school looking clean and green! Look out for them around school and help them out by trying to make sure your rubbish always goes in the bin.



Mobile Phones

If your child travels to school on their own and they bring their phone to school with them, please remind them that it should be switched off when they are on the school premises. This is to prevent photos and videos being taken of other pupils and being shared without consent.

Achievement Award



Well done to the following pupils for receiving this week's Achievement Award!



3L— Scarlett	3M— Zack	3P— Prisaya	3H— Kaycee
4H— Zahra	4O'K— Aamir	4T— Harley	4B— Eli
5C— Esha	5H— Finley	5K— Tommy	5R - Sidney
6K— Phieron	6L— Michael	6Ma— Leiyah	6Mo— Saoirse

