

Weekly Newsletter Upcoming Dates

December

3rd Reception 'Simply The Nativity', 13.30, Hall

4th Reception 'Simply The Nativity', 9.15, Hall

4th Year 4 Visit to Methodist Church

5th Year 3 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford

5th 4L Flute Concert, 9.00, Music Room

8th 4J Trumpet Concert, 9.00, Music Room

9th Key Stage 2 Carol Service, 18.00, Methodist Church

10th Year 4 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford

11th Christmas Jumper Day

11th Christmas Lunch at JCG

12th Year 2 Production - Children of the World,

9.00 & 13.30, Hall

16th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall

16th 6J Carol Singing at Sandybrook

17th 6P Carol Singing at The Hollies

18th Christmas Party Day

18th Last day of term

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Thank you to all parents who shared feedback regarding the exit from the car park underpass and the need for additional safety measures around the new road crossing. Your observations were greatly appreciated and have helped to shape our next steps. You will have seen that work has been taking place over the past few weeks to install a new safety barrier, designed to prevent anyone from running directly onto the road. We are pleased that this improvement will support safer movement across the site for all members of our school community.

Year 5 have enjoyed a particularly busy and memorable week. Their science session at JCG gave them the opportunity to explore forces through a range of hands-on activities, and they returned full of enthusiasm for what they had learned. Later in the week, the pupils stepped back in time for Victorian Day. The children arrived in an array of brilliantly thought-through costumes, from chimney sweeps and maids to stern-looking scholars, and spent the day fully immersed in the routines and expectations of a traditional Victorian classroom. This included wearing a dunce's cap, reciting by rote, and even experiencing the threat of the cane for classroom misdemeanours. The pupils embraced the experience with enormous humour and curiosity, gaining a vivid insight into what school life was once like.

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Year 1 have continued to make the most of their Thursday afternoons in the outdoor environment. The children have been developing their gross motor skills through climbing, balancing and exploring, while also engaging in imaginative play that encourages teamwork, communication and confidence.

Year 2 have been learning about healthy diets this week. They have been thinking carefully about the different food groups and have created their own healthy food plates. The children showed excellent understanding and enjoyed discussing the choices that help us stay fit and well.

Rehearsals for our Christmas performances are now well underway across the school. There is a wonderful sense of excitement as pupils prepare their plays, music and poems, and we are all very much looking forward to sharing these with you in the upcoming weeks.

Wishing you a lovely weekend.

Mrs Precious

SCHOOL DECO DAY

This coming Monday, 1st
December, pupils will be involved
in making their classrooms
festive! They are invited to bring a
Christmas accessory (hat,
headband, etc.) to wear with their
school uniform on this day.



Sharing of Images & Recordings

With a number of festive performances coming up we would like to remind parents not to share film clips or images of children that are not their own. We have arranged for all the relevant year groups to be sent a link to a recording of the Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 performances. This will also be for personal use and not to be shared on social media.

Christmas Cards

As the festive season begins, we would like to remind you that in line with our ECO ethos and code, we ask that your child does not bring Christmas cards into school to give out. We want to try and reduce the amount of paper wasted.

JCP CHRISTMAS LUNCH CELEBRATION THURSDAY 11TH DECEMBER

Further to the recent letter please don't forget to let us know if your child will be having a hot Christmas lunch on the 11th - when we all go across to JCG - or whether they will be bringing their own packed lunch to the celebration.

Please let us know by Wednesday 3rd December by completing **this form**













THURSDAY 11TH DECEMBER



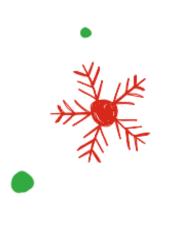
*Roast chicken OR

*Vegetarian pie served with pigs in blanket, sage & onion stuffing, roast potatoes, carrots, peas & sprouts, cranberry sauce and gravy



*Christmas Shortbread biscuit











A reminder that we are taking part in Christmas Jumper Day on Thursday 11th December.

Children are invited to come to school wearing a Christmas jumper and/or dress down. There's no need to buy a new jumper. you could just up cycle an old jumper, get crafty or head to your local charity shop to buy a pre-loved festive knit. Alternatively non-uniform will be fine. We would be grateful to receive any donations. Please follow the link below.

Click here to donate

SCHOOL UNIFORM REMINDER

Please could you ensure that children bring their school coats every day now that the colder weather is upon us.

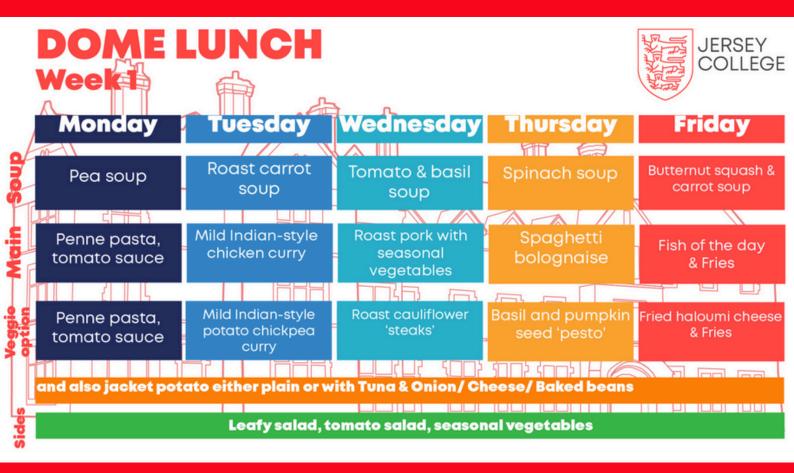
Also, a polite reminder that the children should only wear the correct school uniform as specified in the uniform policy, which includes the correct coat, winter hat and gloves. It is important that the children represent our school in the correct uniform.

Our school uniform is available from Lyndale Sports.

We really appreciate your support in this.

School Uniform Policy

KEY STAGE 2 HOT LUNCHES NEXT WEEK



We're pleased to let you know of the following additional options:

Tuesday - there will be pizza available as an alternative to curry Wednesday - Roast pork or roast beef on offer; vegetarian option of Cauliflower Cheese

Friday - sausages will be available again, in addition to fish









How to support your child's wellbeing both online and offline



This is an interactive session delivered by CAMHS and supported by NSPCC Jersey. The workshop is aimed at helping parents/carers to support their child's developing mental health and wellbeing needs in a digital world.

The session will cover:

How children use the internet and technology

 Explore how offline wellbeing supports online safety

Take away practical strategies and resources

Monday 12th January 5.30pm-6.30pm @ JCP





SCIENCE NEWS

On Tuesday, as part of their Forces topic in Science, 5CJ investigated air resistance. Working in groups, they chose a variable to change—such as parachute size, shape, or material—and explored how it affected the time it took for their parachute to reach the ground. The class were all excited to visit the JCG science labs, where they designed, created and tested their parachutes with great enthusiasm.









ECO CHRISTMAS TREE FINAL DONATIONS PLEASE

Our Eco Team at JCP have been very busy arranging your generous and kind donations on our Freeda 'Give Back!' Christmas tree!

Thank you so much for helping our school to support others in need at Christmastime!

Please continue to donate until the morning of Wednesday 4th December before our tree makes it's way to the forthcoming St Peter's Church Christmas Tree Festival!





Music Clubs



Monday

Ukulele Club	15.00-16.00	Garden Chalet

Tuesday

String Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room
Senior Choir	15.00-16.00	School Hall

Wednesday

Junior Choir (Year 3 & 4)	12.30-12.55	Music Room	

Thursday

Wind Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room
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MUSIC NEWS

All year groups are busily rehearsing their many songs for Nativities, concerts, productions and Carol Services — along with the choirs and the orchestra. It is officially the busiest time of the year in the music department! You may already have heard some of the practice at home... possibly several times... possibly daily! We do hope you're looking forward to seeing your child perform this Christmas.

Year 4 Instrumental Projects

We are very much looking forward to welcoming parents from both Year 4 classes to hear the children share their learning on the flute (4L) and the trumpet (4J). Rumour has it that even the teachers have been practising at home in preparation for the concerts — brave neighbours all round!

- 4L Flute Concert: Friday 5th December at 9.00am
- 4J Trumpet Concert: Monday 8th December at 9.00am

Please refer to your emails for further details.

Clubs Next Week

Due to Nativity performances and concerts, Signing Choir and Orchestra will not be running next week.

Mrs Tieppo



S Clubs



Monday

Year 3 & 4 Football Club	12.30-12.55	Hall
Year 6 Netball Club	15.00-16.15	Netball Court

Tuesday

Year 2 Just Dance Group 2	12.00-12.30	Hall

Wednesday

Year 3 & 4 Multi Sports Club	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 & 6 Football Club Group 2	15.00-16.15	Heathfield
Year 5 & 6 Hockey Club	15.00-16.15	Claremont Astro

Thursday

Year 2 Football Club	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 Netball Club Group 2	15.00-16.15	Netball Court





FOOTBALL

On Wednesday, JCP hosted some Football league matches against La Moye school. The children were very excited for these matches and participated with great enthusiasm. There was some great team-work on display, and both matches created lots of learning opportunities.

The JCP A team faced a tough La Moye team, who they defeated on penalties in the recent ESFA competition. Both teams played some lovely football, with some great dribbling, passing, tackling, shooting and goalkeeping on display. The game was a very even and tightly contested affair, with La Moye having the slightly better goal scoring opportunities. JCP found it difficult to break through a resolute La Moye defence, which made it difficult to score, even though they had some great passages of possession. Phoebe also made some excellent saves in goal. Well done to all involved.

Score: JCP A 0-2 La Moye A

Player of the match: Charlotte & Phoebe



FOOTBALL

The JCP B team started their game a little cautiously, but gradually grew in confidence as the match progressed. Both teams had short spells of possession, with La Moye managing to work the ball well through the JCP team. JCP found it difficult to move the ball forward at first, but by the end of the match, created a couple of opportunities to score. Well done to all involved.

Score: JCP B 0 - 5 La Moye B

Player of the match: Ellie





HOUSE FOOTBALL





On Wednesday, Year 6 competed in their first House sports competition of the year - House Football.

All the Year 6 children were involved in this competition, which took place at Heathfield. The children enjoyed putting the skills they had been learning in PE, into practise, whilst enjoying some friendly competition against their peers.

It was great to see such enthusiasm for football, and there was some excellent football being played throughout the morning. The House spirit and respect on display was excellent. Well done to all involved.









NETBALL

On Monday our Year 6 B Team travelled to St Michael's for their final match of the season. The team was feeling positive following a run of wins and a strong showing at a friendly tournament this term.

The match started well, with our shooters demonstrating how hard they have been working on finding space in the D and working together. In defence our players worked tirelessly to make it difficult for St Michael's, with the score at 4-0 to JCP after the first third.

In the next phase of play we challenged our players to make sure they were making accurate passes, defending tightly and reading the game well. They stepped up to the challenge and showed how receptive to feedback and motivated they have become as a team.

The final score reflects a dominant game, with all players working hard for a great result. League results will follow next week when all the scores have been received. Well done B team, what a great term!

Final Score: JCP B 14 - 2 St Michael's

Player of the Match: Alix





Jèrriais Carol Singing

You are warmly invited to join the Jèrriais Teaching Service at the Simply Christmas Market in the Royal Square for Jèrriais Carol Singing on Saturday 13th December at 1.30-2.20pm.

All very welcome!









We are pleased to invite you to a Wreath-Making with JCG's Textiles Assistant, Workshop Olivier!

📅 Date: Thursday 11th December 2025

Time: 17:30-19:30

Location: Jersey College for Girls

Cost: £65 per person (includes all materials as

well as a glass of bubbles or a soft drink)

fresh, seasonal greenery and a selection of Christmas-inspired decorations, you'll discover simple techniques for shaping, layering, and styling your wreath to suit your personal taste.

Whether you prefer a classic, rustic look or something more modern and decorative, you'll leave with a unique, handcrafted piece perfect for your home or as a thoughtful gift. This workshop is suitable for all skill levels—just bring your enthusiasm!

<u> Book your space now!</u>



Ad hoc sessions

As the festive period approaches and families will be busy preparing for them, we are pleased to introduce ad hoc sessions at Little Leopards. Even if you are not booked with us on a Friday, as long as your child is registered with Little Leopards, you can book for your child to be looked after from 15:00 to 17:30 for the cost of £15. The team has planned a series of festive-themed activities, including Christmas crafting, snowmen, paperchain decoration, cards, paint as well as sensory activities.

To book, please ring the Little Leopards number (07797 919255) or email littleleopards@jcgfoundation.com before 12:00 on the relevant Friday.

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Years 1 to 3: Mini Music Makers

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A chance to develop vocal skills and perform more complex pieces whilst having fun!

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