



Blanford Mere Nursery and Primary School

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Christmas Arrangements 2020 Year Rec - 6

We appreciate that Christmas is both a busy and expensive time of year for parents. Every year there are many activities offered by school for children to enjoy.

This year has been extremely difficult for everybody with Coronavirus, many activities have been stopped as a result, causing disappointment and upset to many, but particularly our children. We are trying our best to keep the magic of Christmas 'alive' for your children, and have thought of many ways that children can have a wonderful exciting time in school, whilst we adhere to the Covid guidance that we receive.

In recent years, we have simplified the process for parents by sending out all of the letters that require payment and booking in advance at the same time.

Feedback from Parents said that this process was helpful for the following reasons:

- Enabled them to pay in advance and select which activities they would like their child to take part in
- Deadline dates were helpful to avoid disappointment

We have attached the relevant letters that apply to your child's age group.

Deadlines are final:

Friday 20th November 2020: Film Night, Santa's Grotto and Christmas Lunch - Pre-book on the School Grid app, Christmas Breakfast, DVD of the Christmas Production (for those parents who have given consent for their child to be part of) **Yr 1 - Yr 6 only**

PLEASE HAND YOUR FORMS AND MONEY BACK BY THE ABOVE DEADLINE TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT.

Any money or forms received after the deadline **will not be accepted** as orders need to be placed in advance and cannot be altered.

We try our best to make Christmas a special time of year in school for our children and their families. Since this is in addition to normal curriculum work throughout the school, we would appreciate your support and co-operation in helping to make the events run smoothly and be enjoyable for the children.

Best Wishes

Mrs N J Miller and Miss A Stanton

Headteacher and Deputy Head