

CHRISTMAS DIARY DATES 2024



Wednesday 4th December 2024 CHRISTMAS FAIR (including Santa's Grotto) at Grainthorpe School from 2pm until 6pm. By now, you should know what time your child is seeing Santa and how your child is getting home!

We still need donations for the raffle and tombola. Please send/bring any donations (chocolate, wine) into school. Thank you!

CHRISTMAS GREAT BRITISH BAKE-OFF 4th December 2024



As part of the Christmas Fair, we will be selling the cakes entered in the bake-off competition.

Last year, we had some fabulous entries judged by Governors. We hope to have a creative selection this year too!

Please bring in your entries on Tuesday 3rd December.



Winning entries from last year!



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CHRISTMAS DIARY DATES 2024 CONTINUED

Friday 6th December Tree festival starts in St James's Louth - do vote for our tree!

Monday 9th December 2024 Bikeability Week begins at Grainthorpe

Tuesday 10th December 2024 Marshchapel Nativity. Tickets to be distributed next week.

Thursday 12th December 2024 6pm Carol Service at St Mary's Church, Marshchapel. Letters will come home next week so we can organise the children's choir.

Friday 13th December 2024 Christmas Jumper Day and Fenland Federation Christmas Dinner. We hope everyone will enjoy a traditional meal provided by us as a Happy Christmas treat for everyone!

Monday 16th December 2024 Grainthorpe Christmas Performance at the Village Hall

Wednesday 18th December 2024 Farm Kitchen Christmas Dinner - Christmas Jumpers can be worn again!

Thursday 19th December 2024 **BREAK THE RULES DAY!**



On Thursday 19th for 50p a broken rule, children can do all manner of un-school like things - wear nail varnish, temporary tattoos, crazy hair and make up, feet on the desks, eat sweets in class (no gum!), wear what they like and buy unhealthy snacks from the Unhealthy Tuck Shop. The School Councils will be organising the treats on offer, so watch this space!

Thursday 19th December 2024 School term ends for Christmas.

Monday 6th January 2025 Children back to school for Term 3.

If you need any further information, please contact school - everyone is happy to help!



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SAFEGUARDING IN OUR COMMUNITY

If you have any safeguarding concerns to do with children please let us know. Our Federation has a designated safeguarding lead professional (DSL), Mrs Turner and deputy DSLs, Mrs Manders and Mrs Clifford.

Please telephone school on 01472 869075 (M) or 01472 869035 (G).

If you have a safeguarding issue to discuss, you can contact Children's Services directly on 01522 782111.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Well done to everyone for attending school punctually. We know children sometimes are ill and this is a part of life; please let us know as soon as you can if your child will be absent.

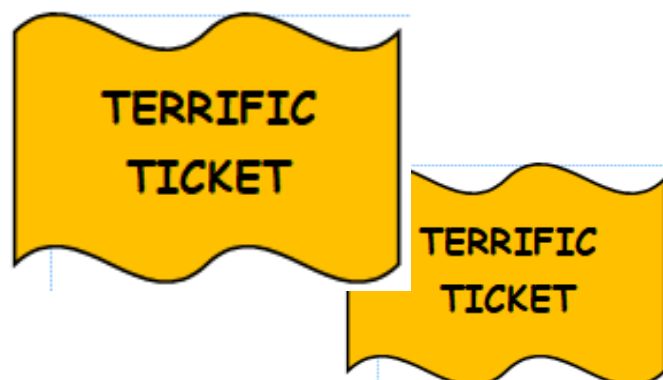
Attendance is monitored by me and I share this with the local authority every term.

At present, Marshchapel is slightly above National attendance figures at 95.61%. Grainthorpe is below National at 93.74%. National is 95.3% for Primary Schools.

If your child's attendance is a cause for concern, you will be receiving a notice to improve letter.

We are thinking about the prize for the Term Two Attendance winners - it could be something festive! Every full week is a Terrific Ticket in the prize draw.

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**





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We have vacancies at our school, so if you have a friend or neighbour who is looking for a new school, why not tell them about us? If you recommend a friend, you will be eligible for a school uniform voucher as a thank you.

Parents can come to visit at a time to suit them.



Marshchapel Infant School and
Grainthorpe Junior School

STAY AND PLAY!

Free!

At Grainthorpe Junior School



Lots of messy play.
Coffee, tea and chat.
Come and join in the fun!

Wednesdays
(term time)
9:00 to 10:30
From 8 January

Babies and little
people welcome!

STAY AND PLAY is taking a break until after Christmas.

Please let us know if the day and time is convenient for you. We want this to be your event and can be flexible with the day so please tell us what works for you:

info@marshchapel.lincs.sch.uk