

# Livingstone Road Primary Federation

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Next week is the last week of this half term. Our last day is Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October and children are invited to come to school in **non-school uniform** in exchange for donations to the PTFA Christmas Fayre. Children will finish at normal time on Thursday. The children are on target for their marble reward but only have 4 days next week to fill the jars!

I am looking forward to seeing you at our Parents Evening on either Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October or Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October. Both evenings will be busy with the PTFA arranging a pre-loved uniform sale rail in each school entrance area, a second-hand book 'help yourself' in the studio, junior school technology block and The Family Information Service being available in the Infant school foyer to give lots of information and support to parent/carers.

**September 2025 Secondary, EYFS and Year 3 Applications** - Applications for secondary schools close on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024 and for EYFS and Year 3, applications close on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2025. For more information on applying for a school place, please click on this link: [Apply for a school place | BCP \(bcpcouncil.gov.uk\)](#). **Tours** – I will be offering small group tours of the Federation on Wednesday mornings. If you would like a tour or know a family who are looking at places in EYFS or Year 3 please contact the office to book in.

### Diary Dates

Parents Evening – **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup>** 3.30pm – 7.00pm **and Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October** 3.30pm - 5.30pm – bookings for parents evening can be made via the My Child At School App or by contacting the Federation office

Non-School Uniform Day – **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October** – Donations for the PTFA Christmas Fayre (Preschool/EYFS – Sweets, Year 1 – Tins/Packets, Year 2 – Bottles, Year 3 – Crisps/biscuits, Year 4 – Party bag fillers/stationery, Year 5 – Chocolates and Year 6 – Bars/boxes of sweets/chocolates

Last Day of Half Term – **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October** (school closed to pupils on 25.10.24)

PTFA Christmas Fayre – **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November** – even Santa will be at the Fayre – more information to follow

A Day in the Life of a Pupil – **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December** – a fabulous opportunity to come into the Federation to see all the amazing learning our children do and experience a day in their life at school. These events run from 9am until 10am. To book onto this event please contact the Federation Office.

Christmas Celebration Week – w/c 16<sup>th</sup> December – a week of Christmas performances (more details to follow)

Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day - **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December**. To order your child festive Christmas meal on this day please follow this link [Dorset Meal Selector | Home](#)

### Attendance

Congratulations to Hazel, Willow, Oak, Blossom, Silver Birch, Beech, Cedar and Sycamore who all had attendance was over 96% this week. There is a new email address to report student absences [student-absence@livingstoneprimary.org](mailto:student-absence@livingstoneprimary.org), please report absences before 8.15am.

I wish you all a wonderful weekend.

**Claire Addis, Executive Headteacher**



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