



THE WEDNESDAY WORD

St Michael and All Angels
CE Primary School

Wednesday 17th December 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I cannot believe we are at the end of the autumn term. For some, the first term ever at primary school and for our year 6 children, the last. On Tuesday during the Christmas Workshop some year 6 children suddenly said to me "Oh no Miss Smith, I just realised this is our last ever Christmas workshop day!" Which made me reflect again on how they have changed over the years they have been pupils in our school family.

Thank you to those of you who came to church today to watch the older children perform their Christingle service. They showed confidence in their singing and speaking giving a clear message of God's love for us all.

There was a lovely atmosphere over lunch time with children pulling their crackers, wearing hats and telling jokes! We would like to say a big thank you to Esme, Indie and Sanjot's parents for providing extra crackers for any children who didn't have any.

I would like to take this last Wednesday Word to say thank you for your continued support this term as we have navigated coming back to our school after our time away. I think we are all hoping that the rain eases off a little over Christmas!

Have a fun filled family Christmas holiday,

Miss Smith

Christmas Workshop Day:

The Christmas Workshop day was a huge success the school was filled with excitement and glitter, lots and lots of glitter!! Over the next couple of days, the children should be bringing home their wonderful creations if they haven't already.



Class Christmas Party:

Reminder: Each class will be having a small Christmas party in class. Children are invited to bring in a small plate of food wrapped with their name on to eat during the party. Food will not be shared in case of allergies. Please see below for your child's party day;

Class 1 – Thursday 18th December

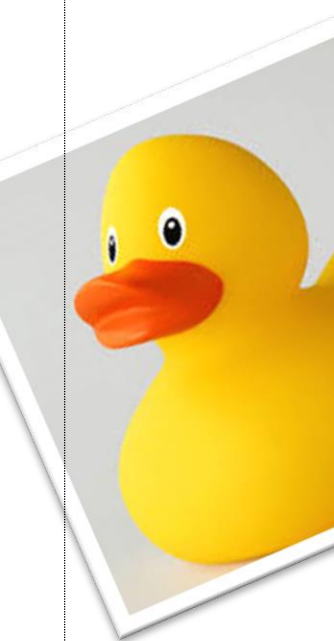
Class 2 – Thursday 18th December

Class 3 – Friday 19th December

Class 4 – Friday 19th December



Children are welcome to come in party clothes on the day of their party.



Boxing Day Duck Race:

Reminder: Ducks for this year's Rearsby annual Duck Race can be purchased from the school office between 9:00am and 3:30pm (Cash preferred). These will be available until Friday 19th December.

Half the proceeds will go towards the school.

For more information visit their Facebook page.



Rearsby's Got Talent:

This Friday pupils will take to the stage for Rearsby's Got Talent. **This is for pupils only** and is held in school. This is a wonderful opportunity for children to show off their unique skills and have fun performing in front of friends and Teachers.

We have had a number of entries and we can't wait to see what the children will perform for us.

"Lights..Camera..Action!!"



Royal British Legion-Poppy Appeal:

Thank you for supporting our Poppy day back in November.

As a school we raised £70.65

The District total was £34,673.46

Thank you everyone!



FCS Afterschool Clubs:

Our Afterschool Club team are running various clubs' afterschool from 3:15 to 4:15 on a Monday through to Thursday. There are plenty of spaces available, please sign up via Arbor. These are likely to change in the new year to something different.

Monday – Football, open to all

Tuesday – Dodgeball, open to all

Wednesday – Multi Skills, open to Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

Thursday – Film Club, open to all (Consent will be required via arbor to allow your child to watch PG films)

A spare change of clothes and shoes will be required for the sporting sessions

Max number of 20 children per club

Class Teacher Email Addresses

- **Class 1** – rsmith@stmichaels.risemat.co.uk
- **Class 2** – showitt@stmichaels.risemat.co.uk
- **Class 3** – mhorler@stmichaels.risemat.co.uk
jhall@stmichaels.risemat.co.uk
- **Class 4** – office@stmichaels.rise.co.uk

Please feel free to contact your child's class teacher using the email addresses above if you have any questions, concerns, or would just like to share information. We are always happy to hear from you and work together to support your child.

Illness in school:

To help keep everyone well, we ask that children stay at home for 48 hours after any sickness or diarrhoea. We know it can be tricky when children are keen to get back to school, but this short time really helps protect others from catching the same bug.



Lost Property:

We have a lot of lost property in school. If your child has lost an item that is not named it is placed in to our lost property boxes based in Class 3 and Class 4. Please ask your child to check these, alternatively parents are welcome to check the box themselves at the end of the school day.



Coming up:

- Class 1 and Class 2 Christmas Party – Thursday 18th December
- Class 3 and Class 4 Christmas Party – Friday 19th December
 - Rearsby's Got talent – Friday 19th December
- School Closes for the Christmas Break – Friday 19th December
 - School Re Opens for Spring Term – 5th January 2026

