



What's happening week commencing 18th December 2017

Focus for the Term – Truthfulness

From the Office at St Michael's VA Junior School

Please note all after school clubs finish at 4.15pm

Monday	Tuesday
<u>Year 4 PE</u>	<u>Year 3 PE</u>
Homework (Lunchtime) <u>Years 5 & 6</u>	3S Swimming
Running Club (Lunchtime)	Homework (Lunchtime) Year 6
After School Dodgeball	

A BIG thank you to the Kitchen Staff for a LOVELY Christmas dinner which was enjoyed by ALL.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 19th December: School finishes for half term.
Thursday 4th January: School re-opens for children.

Happy Christmas
from all the staff at
St. Michael's School



Dinner Menu
Autumn /Winter Menu
Week beginning
18/12/17 - Week 3
See the school's website
for the menu

REMINDERS FROM THE OFFICE




Save the Children
CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY
THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR KIND DONATIONS

Word of the WEEK

Ask your child if they remember the meaning of:

Dazzling – Year 3 **Butterfingers – Year 4**
Shrivelled – Year 5 **Tongue-tied – Year 6**

'The holidays come but once a year. Words last forever'



Mrs Wordsmith.

Details of next term's clubs will follow shortly. There will be some NEW exciting opportunities, watch this space!



We have some important updates on our website which you might want to have a look at. The links are as follows:
<http://www.stmichaelsjuniorschool.co.uk/our-school/policies> &
<http://www.stmichaelsjuniorschool.co.uk/our-school/useful-information>

We would like to thank parents and carers for their support in improving the new weekly attendance awards. More awards to follow! The school would be grateful if parents/carers would call the school on the morning of each day that their child is absent. Unfortunately, if contact has not been made, or an insufficient reason has been provided e.g. feeling unwell or athlete's foot, it will be marked as unauthorised. Where the school is concerned about any period of absence, medical evidence will be required and failure to provide this may result in a fixed penalty notice.



- From 1 September 2017, the criteria for the issue of a FPN is:
- 10 consecutive sessions (5 days) of unauthorised absence where some or all of the absence may be attributed to an unauthorised holiday in term-time (for absences from 1 September 2017); or
 - 15% unauthorised absence (4.5 days) over a period of 6 school weeks for reasons other than unauthorised term time holiday.