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Issue: 14 Principal:

Miss Rebecca Smith

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Hello,

It has been a busy week at Knighton Mead, with lots of preparations underway for the Nativity shows and Christmas Carol Concert. We are also very excited for our upcoming Winter Fayre. Thank you in advance for all of your attendance and thank you for your support with chocolate and toy donations.

Parent Survey.

Please complete this survey. It is really important that we have your feedback regarding how the Trust supports and collaborates with Knighton Mead and its community. There is also the opportunity to win a £20 voucher.

Parents survey link: https://www.qdpsurvey.co.uk/OnlineQuestionnaire?code=56494-65408-32999274

Online Safety.

TikTok is a free social media platform that lets users create, share and watch short videos ranging anywhere from 15 seconds to 10 minutes in duration. The app gained notoriety for its viral dances, trends and celebrity cameos and can be a creative, fun platform for teens to enjoy. Now available in 75 languages, it has more than a billion active users worldwide (as of spring 2022) and is most popular with the under-16 age bracket. In fact, a 2022 Ofcom report found TikTok to be the most-used social media platform for posting content, particularly among young people aged 12 to 17.

Please see the attached guide with more information around TikTok. The recommended age for using TikTok is 13+.

Festive Celebrations:

We are looking forward to the last week of term and having some opportunities to celebrate all of the hard work over the past term. Here are some key dates for your diaries.

- Wednesday 18th December Christmas Dinner and Christmas jumper day please order your dinner on MCAS as soon as possible.
- **Thursday 19**th **December** Christmas Party Day non-uniform come to school in your party clothes and bring a snack to share. Remember, we are a no nut school!
- **Friday 20**th **December** Carol Service at the Church of the Nativity 9:30am parents arrive from 9:15am. Parents to be seated

SEN Website Details:

Please see the poster below for more information on the SEN website and how to access the features. Follow this link for the website: Knighton Mead Primary Academy | TMET Leicester MAT

Have a great weekend,

Miss Rebecca Smith.



Search: KnightonTMET https://twitter.com/knightontmet

Please make sure that you follow us on X formerly known as Twitter to keep up to date with news and events but also see what your children are up to whilst in school!

Enquiries: office@knighton-tmet.uk





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Friday 13th December – Winter Fair – 2pm – please see the poster attached.

Wednesday 18th December –

Christmas Dinner and Christmas jumper day

Thursday 19th December – Christmas Party Day – non-uniform – party clothes Friday 20th December – Carol Service at the Church of the Nativity – 9:30am Tuesday 7th January – school opens for children.

Attendance



A huge congratulations goes to Lansdowne, for amazing attendance and to Hughenden for excellent punctuality this week.

Please remember that gates open at **8.40am** and children must be in class by **8.50am**. Also, please familiarise

yourself with NHS guidance on when to keep your child from school.

<u>Is my child too ill for school? –</u> NHS

Thank you,

Miss Key.

Class	Attendance %
Hawkins	93.9%
Bloomfield	96.6%
Macaulay	95%
Lansdowne	98.7%
Richmond	93.5%
Hughenden	92.8%
Lothair	91.4%
Whole	
School	94.5%
Attendance	



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Christmas Card Post Box

The Christmas Card Post Box is now open.
Thank you to our wonderful Year 6 PLT
members who have decorated it so beautifully.



Please ensure that the name and class of the child is on the front of the envelope. Last day for collections is 18th December.

Character muscle of the week

Creativity:

Forming new ideas, images or thoughts. Thinking outside of the box.





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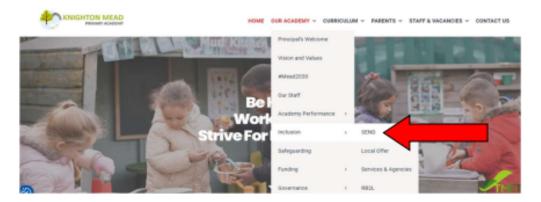


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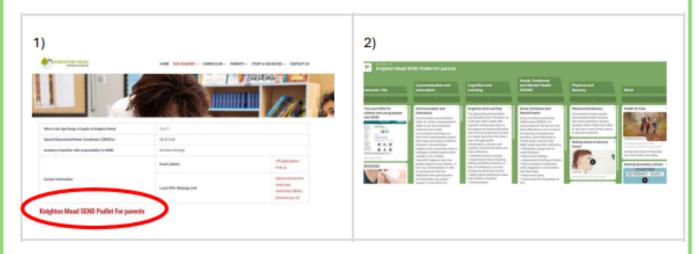
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<u>Website</u> - Did you know that there is a wealth of information on the school website to aid in supporting those with Special Educational Needs?

Go to the website <u>Knighton Mead Primary Academy | TMET Leicester MAT</u> and open the SEND page.



- 1) At the bottom is a link Knighton Mead SEND Padlet for parents.
- 2) This will take you to a Padlet page for each area of SEN. You can scroll though these areas to find information and signposts to support.



Questions - If you have any questions related to the website or have any ideas about information you would like to include here, please contact the school office and they will pass on a message to Mrs Cook (SENCO)



Wednesday 18th December MAINS

Roast Turkey

Squash, Spinach and Cream Cheese Filo Bake

SIDES

Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli, Sausage wrapped in bacon Stuffing and Gravy

DESSERTS

Festive Chocolate and Ginger Cupcake Chocolate Pinwheel and Vanilla Ice-Cream



What Parents & Educators Need to Know about

WHAT ARE THE RISKS? TikTok is a free-to-use social media platform that lets people watch and share short videos of up to ten minutes in length. Its memes, trends, and celebrity comeos have made it erormously popular with an estimated 1 billion users worldwide –but its algorithm that surfaces videos based on users' activity can make the app seriously addictive.

AGE-INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

DANGEROUS CHALLENGES

CONTACT WITH STRANGERS

IN-APP SPENDING

MISINFORMATION AND RADICALISATION

Advice for Parents & Educators

ENABLE FAMILY PAIRING

MAKE ACCOUNTS PRIVATE

RAME

LIMIT IN-APP SPENDING

DISCUSS THE DANGERS

READ THE SIGNS

Meet Our Expert

Alan Martin is an experienced technology journalist who has written for the likes of Wired, Technolog, Tom's Guide, The Evening Standard





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