

18th December 2023

Dear Hadley Parents,

The Christmas Holidays are nearly here!

It was lovely to see so many of you at our parent meetings this term, and at the Phase 1 Christmas performances.

We have had another busy Autumn term with lots of events taking place including the Hadley Cultural Day, Hadley Careers Week as well as the many interesting and high-profile visitors we have hosted. You can read more about all of this and see the pictures on our website news page [Here](#).

I am delighted to say that our newly formed Parent's Association are planning a family quiz evening on Friday, 26th January 2024. Further details will be coming to you over the next few weeks. We would like to see as many of our families as possible as its going to be a fun event for everyone so save the date in your diaries.

The end of term is Thursday, 21st December as advertised, students will be finishing at the following times:

- Morning Nursery 11:30am - No Afternoon Nursery
- Reception to Year 6 – 12:10pm
- Year 7 to 13 – 12:00pm

There will be childcare available until 3:20pm for parents that request it. If you would like your child to stay until 3:20pm please complete this form [Here](#). After school club will run as usual from 3:20pm until 6pm.

All children will be returning to school on **Tuesday, 9th January 2024** at the usual time.

The holidays are a busy time for families with lots of time for play and rest. Don't forget that all children from Year 1 upwards have an iPad with a special independent learning folder full of interesting and fun learning resources to help develop their knowledge and skills when not at school. We have found that independent learning also makes a huge positive difference to children's test scores and exam results.

Lastly, I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful holiday and a New Year that brings peace, love, and good health to you and your family.

Very best wishes

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Zoë Thompson".

Mrs Zoë Thompson
Principal