



# Sunnybrow News

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Welcome to the final Friday Flyer of the year!

It's been a busy term at Sunnybrow and it really has been a pleasure to see all of the hard work come together and watch your children make so much progress and really enjoy their time in school. We've had author visits, musicians playing, trips to Beamish, lots of continued sporting success, parties, discos and most importantly a whole lot of fun and laughter along the way.



The school Nativity was a great way to end the year, especially seeing so many different ages of children taking part. I find it hard enough to get up in front of you all, but to that at such a young age and sing too was just amazing to watch! It goes without saying that none of this would be possible without our fabulous children, parent support and our wonderful staff. They

really are working their socks off to help me realise our school vision of every child having the chance to shine!

Goodbye Mrs Smith!

Our lovely Mrs Smith leaves us tomorrow after 12 years. She will be a huge miss and is loved by all the children and staff, but we all wish her the best for her retirement.

I hope you all have a magical Christmas. Rest, recharge and we will see all back in school on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2024!

### Online Safety:

With Christmas right around the corner, millions of families are excitedly anticipating the chance to spend some quality time with each other over the festive season. When everyone's engrossed in their phones or glued to their games consoles, however, genuinely meaningful moments with loved ones can often be difficult to orchestrate.

The National Online Safety's #WakeUpWednesday guide will lend a hand: providing some advice on helping young people to set aside their



Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January-Teacher Training day

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January-School re-opens to children

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January-Class 2 parent event

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February-School closes for half term

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February-School closed for Teacher Training day

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February-School reopens



School attendance for the year:

Class 1: 95.2%

Class 2: 95.2%

Class 3: 95.3%

Class 4: 94.9%

**Safeguarding:**

Worried about a child out of school hours?

- If a child is in **immediate danger or at risk of immediate harm**, you should contact the **Police on 999**.
- If you are **concerned** about a child you should share your concern with the **First Contact Team on 03000 267 979**.

devices for a while and live in the moment. Even if going full tech cold turkey feels unrealistic, implementing just a few of these tips could still decrease the amount of screen time in your home this festive season – enabling everyone to make the most of it.

- You can also contact the **NSPCC** for advice on **0800 800 5000** or email [help@NSPCC.org.uk](mailto:help@NSPCC.org.uk)
- If you have **non-urgent** information about the safety or welfare of a child to share with the safeguarding team at Sunnybrow Primary School please contact **Mrs Sim** on 01388 746 413 or [sunnybrow@durhamlearning.net](mailto:sunnybrow@durhamlearning.net)



Headteacher's Award: Layton-James

	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4
Most progress	Darcie	Daniel	Ben	Max
Most Eager	Mia	Dominic	Tianna	Kai
Exceptionally Talented	Ellie	Bailey	Eric	Sangari
HEART award	Alexander	Gracie	Evie-Grace	Aaliyah

Honest Empathetic Ambitious Respectful & Resilient Trustworthy