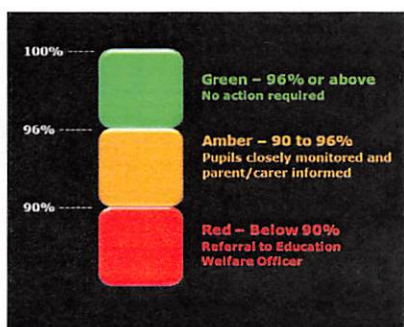


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**WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE  
UPDATE: WE AIM FOR 96.5%**

**OUR CURRENT ATTENDANCE IS  
96.72%**

Check here to see whether your child's class is currently red, amber or green using our traffic light monitoring system. Please remember that the doors open at 8.45am and registers are taken by 9.00am.

Thank you all for your continued support in our aim to get children **Here On Time** and in school regularly.

Attendance 03 Sep - 20 Dec 2018	
EYFS	94.23%
Year 1	97.07%
Year 2	96.42%
Year 3	97.09%
Year 4	96.93%
Year 5	97.32%
Year 6	97.29%



**CLUBS AND AFTER  
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:**

Monday: Tennis KS1 & KS2 3.20-4.20pm  
Yoga Y1-6 3.20-4.20pm  
Tuesday: Cheerleading 3.20-4.20pm  
Wednesday: Martial Arts Y1-6 3.20-4.30pm  
Skipping Y1-2 3.20-4.15pm  
Skipping Y3-6 3.20-4.15pm

Start dates for clubs will be confirmed upon our return in January 2019

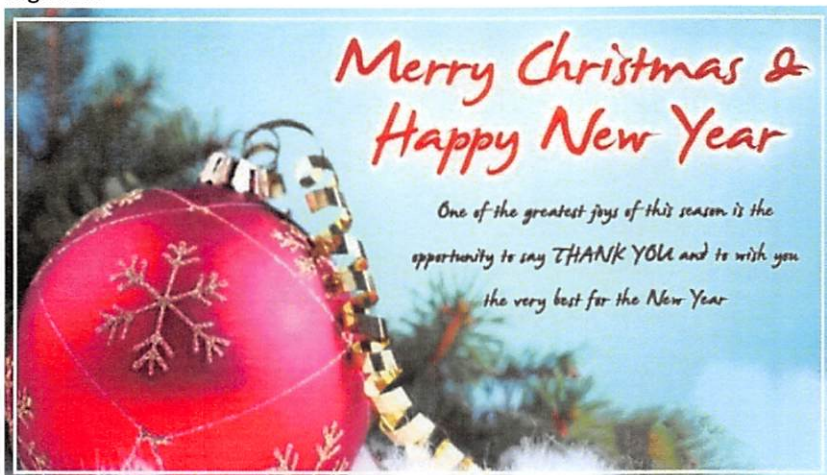
**UPCOMING  
KEY DATES:**

Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	Pupils return to school 8:50am
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> January	Y5/6 Visit to Space Centre, Leicester
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> January	Heights & Weights Check EYFS & Y6
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	3/4R & 3/4S Visit to The Deep (Letter out 23.11.18)
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January	3/4H & 3/4W Visit to The Deep (Letter out 23.11.18)
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> January	EYFS Trip to Lincoln Castle – Letter to follow



## General Messages:

**Headlice:** The school supports the campaign 'Once a Week, Take a Peek'. Please read the leaflet, which can be accessed via the website <http://www.onceaweektakeapeek> and check children's hair weekly. Parents can fight the spread of headlice by working together.



It has been a very busy and successful Autumn term. Thank you all for your support of the academy, which continues to go from strength to strength. The recently published School Performance Tables show that Wybers is performing well both in terms of attainment and progress. Well done to the staff and the children!

Have a lovely Christmas break and a very Happy New Year.

### Key Stage 1 News

What a term in KS1! We have been working so hard in maths, writing, reading and phonics. Remember to keep reading at home over the break! We have also enjoyed the topics Splendid Skies and Moon Zoom.

In January our new topic is Memory Box. It would be great if you could bring to school a photo of yourself as a baby and possibly something you had when you were younger. You could also ask older family members over the break what they used to play with when they were young and what their lives were like.

The KS1 staff team would like to wish you all a very merry Christmas. See you next year!

### Foundation Stage News

Our first term in school is nearly over and the time has just flown by! Our concert showed just how confident and happy at school our children are becoming.

We have completed our phonics checks and reading this week: we very proud that so many children know all of their initial sounds. Please keep hearing them read and practising their words as it makes such a difference.

Letters have gone home this week about our trip to Lincoln Castle, we are really looking forward to our next topic: Tell Me A Story. We shall be sharing lots of traditional fairy tales, this is something families could share at home too. Finally Happy Christmas to everyone's and see you in the New Year!

### Year 3 & 4 News

The last week this year at Wybers has been full of fun. We have enjoyed performing and watching the 'Magical Christmas Jigsaw' and 'Eddie the Penguin Saves the World'.

In literacy we have completed our work on writing adverts and in Science finished off investigating the power of magnets and forces.

We have had a lovely time celebrating Christmas by creating some festive artwork, which we hope you enjoy. Finally, we finished the week partying; having to complete some challenges before receiving a prize in pass the parcel!

We hope you all have a merry Christmas and a spectacular start to the New Year. We look forward to seeing you all in 2019. Happy holidays from all the Year 3 and 4 staff.

### Year 5 & 6 News

Year 5 and 6 have done lots of fun and exciting things this week. First of all we'd like to thank all the Year 6 parents and carers for their support: in providing costumes, attending performances and everything else you did which helped the Year 6 carol concert run so well.

We've been very busy making sure we have finished all our work off in time for Christmas, both year groups have finished writing our diary entries about surviving a natural disaster, which are extremely interesting!

It hasn't all been hard work, Year 5 and 6 have been creative making lots of different calendars and cards ready for Christmas. Finishing off the year, we took part in a festive Christmas quiz, took part in lots of fun games and finally a disco.

We would like to wish all the children of families of Year 5 and 6, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!