Dear Parents and Carers,

We break up today for 1 week and return on Monday 1st November.

NUT ALLERGY We are still getting nut items brought in inside lunch boxes. (Snack bars with nuts / Snickers / Nutella sandwiches etc). **This is incredibly serious for some of our children. We are a nut free school**. We are checking the lunch boxes and will not allow your child to eat anything that would put other children at risk. We will ring you to bring alternative items so as to make sure that your child has something to eat. **Please check all items that you give your child for their lunch to ensure that they do not contain nuts or traces of nut.** We are also noticing that there are far too many cakes, biscuits and chocolate bars in the lunch boxes. **A healthy lunchbox should contain sandwiches or wraps or pasta/ fruit / biscuit or cake / yoghurt/salad items. Thank you for your support.**

Parents/ Carers' Evening. Many thanks for your online attendance at the meetings. If you have not yet had a meeting with the staff then they will have a chat with you on the phone to discuss your child's progress.

DATES FOR CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLIES We will, hopefully, be able to allow **2 adults** per child in to the School Hall to watch the assembly. If this is unable to happen then we will either Zoom or film the performance.

Nursery	Wednesday 1st December at 9.20am
Reception	Thursday 2 nd December at 9.20am
Y1	Tuesday 7 th December at 9.20am
Y2	Thursday 9 th December at 9.20am
Y3	Tuesday 14 th December at 9.20am
Y4	Wednesday 15 th December at 9.20am
Y5	Thursday 16 th December at 9.20am
Y6	Friday 17 th December at 9.20am

LIBRARY BOOKS Please could you make sure that you return the outstanding library books.

CHRISTMAS CARDS You will have received a copy of your child's Christmas card yesterday. I know that the office sent a text message to explain what to do. All returns must be by 1st November. Many thanks.

Attendance for the half term is 93.8%. Our target is 97%

TRUSSELL TRUST Father Nick has asked us to send our Harvest Collection to the Wythenshawe Food Bank. This does show the work that our school has done to support the local community. **Many thanks once again for your generosity.**

Corornavirus. If you do take your child for a test over the holidays (and it is positive) then please could you email the results to the admin email address so we can inform the class if required.

With prayers for a lovely holiday and thanking you once again for your support and kindness this half term,

Sarah Yates Head Teacher