

FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA



**'Life in all its fullness'**

(JOHN 10:10)



Weekly newsletter  
Friday 20th December 2023

Dear parents and carers,

Well that's it! We've come to the end of the first term of this academic year. It's been filled with so much brilliant learning, and many wonderful performances, workshops and trips. Our new teachers have settled seamlessly into life at Emmanuel, and we've welcomed some new teaching assistants too who've brought a lot of energy to our team. I also want to say thank you for how much you have welcomed me and Mrs Hall into the school. We're so looking forward to serving the needs of our community in the term and years to come – after a bit of sleep and a few mince pies!

### **Christingle**

Christingle was an absolute highlight and I can see why the families love it so much. The children sang beautifully and took very seriously the ceremony of collecting their Christingle and reflecting on its meaning. Please see below for some lovely photos, taken by our very talented Ms Forte.

### **Sharing Assemblies**

Years 1 to 6 will present a sharing assembly in the Spring term, with more details to follow about Reception and Nursery. We have chosen Wednesdays this time around, to share out the days that we are celebrating. We very much hope you are able to join us.

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January: Year 6

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January: Year 3

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February: Year 4

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February: Year 1

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March: Year 2

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March: Year 5

Wishing you all a very restful and relaxing Christmas, however you are spending it this year,

Miss Roscoe and the Emmanuel Team

## [Diary Dates](#) – click here for our school calendar

- 08/01/24**      0:00am – 11:00pm  
INSET day - no children in school  
[New Calendar](#)
- 09/01/24**      All Day  
Children back to school  
[New Calendar](#)
- 11/01/24**      All Day  
Brass starts  
[New Calendar](#)
- 12/01/24**      9:30am – 10:30am  
Prospective Parent Tour  
[New Calendar](#)
- 19/01/24**      All Day  
Reception, Year 1 and Year 2  
Drama Workshops  
[New Calendar](#)

### Attendance

Our school target for attendance is 96%. This week, well done to Year 1!

Class	Attendance
Nursery	82.9%
Reception	91.7%
Year 1	97.8%
Year 2	99.2%
Year 3	96.5%
Year 4	92.7%
Year 5	97.5%
Year 6	85.8%
School	91.3%

# CHRISTINGLE 23





## School visionaries

Congratulations to these children for showing our school vision and values this week:  
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Ali and Ava in Nursery  
Zaid and Max E in Reception  
Vinnie and Mikael in Year 1  
Cali and Thejan in Year 2  
Kim and Angelica in Year 3  
Ida and Eric in Year 4  
Alex K and Alex Z in Year 5  
Emma and Annabelle in Year 6



Let's talk

Supporting our pupils' Mental Health and Wellbeing

Support available from our school MHST Practitioners

## INCREDIBLE YEARS PARENTING PROGRAMME

AN EVIDENCED BASED GROUP INTERVENTION FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

The Incredible Years programme supports parents/carers to feel less stressed and become more confident in managing their child's behaviour. The group provides the opportunity to meet other parents and learn positive parenting strategies to help reduce negative behaviours and increase positive child behaviours.



Our wellbeing provision at Emmanuel is strengthened by the Mental Health Support Team based at the Tavistock. They provide many programmes and webinars to support parents/carers and are currently advertising for any parents that would like to join their next Incredible Years Programme (group support) or Personalised Individual Parenting Training (PIPT - one to one support). Further details are here. If you feel that this would benefit you and your family and would like to be referred for this support, then please contact our school ELSA, Mrs Watkins at [wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk](mailto:wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk).

## Personalised Individual Parent Training (PIPT)

Would you like support to manage your child's challenging behaviour?

Would you like to find new ways to build on your relationship with your child?

Is your child aged 3 to 10 years old?

PIPT is an evidence based parenting programme to support parents/carers in their parenting journey. The programme is 6 to 10 session. Sessions are up to 1 hour.



Having quality time

Supporting emotions

Setting boundaries

Camden Mental Health Support Team  
Tavistock Centre  
120 Balsize Lane  
NW3 5BA

