



The Cedar School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Cedar Updates ... including Covid Plan B

I hope that this finds you well. It is great to see everybody in their Christmas jumpers today! Thank you to you all for looking so festive!

It was WONDERFUL to see and meet so many of you yesterday at our Christmas Extravaganza.

We held the whole event outside in order to minimise any potential Covid risks and the weather was really kind to us.

It was fantastic for our community to come together in this way, it was special to see the smiles on the children's faces and it was lovely to meet so many of you. Thank you to everyone who supported this event. Huge thanks to the Friends of the School group for the hours of organisation which they had put into making the event such a success.

I am delighted to share that, together, we raised a grand total of **£950.85** for the school! **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

The money raised was as follows:

Raffle	£643.45
Tea & Coffee	£99.30
Pancakes	£34.10
Cupcakes	£120.00
Gin No. Square	<u>£54.00</u>
	<u>£950.85</u>

We will use this money to improve and develop opportunities/resources for the children. Again, thank you!

Yesterday followed on from a very successful visit to St. John's Church in Rownhams last Thursday. Again, the weather smiled on us and it was so good to see the children enjoying and learning from this experience. The team at St. John's put on a puppet show which the children found really engaging. My thanks to them and to our RE Leader, Hannah Muldowney, who organised the whole event.

The Cedar School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children and young people. It expects all staff, volunteers and visitors to the school to share and embrace this commitment.

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Covid-19: Plan B

You will be aware that the government is introducing 'Plan B' across England. Under Plan B, schools continue to operate as usual so life at Cedar will continue as normal next week (although with some added end of term Christmas glitter!). The government requirement is that children continue to attend school as normal. We will, though, be working in single class bubbles in order to minimise risks even further ahead of the Christmas period. Everyone will stay in their single class bubbles for Christmas Dinner and for our traditional end of term singalong too. As always, please do let Cesia or me know directly if you have any questions or if you would like further clarification. Thank you.

I will close with a photo of Father Christmas taken in our magical school Christmas grotto at yesterday's Extravaganza!



Take care, everybody!

On behalf of Cesia, myself and the whole Cedar team,

Neil Revell

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