

Pegswood Primary School News

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We hope you have had a wonderful holiday and a belated Happy New Year from all at school.

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 - School Dinners on Thursday 16th January

Our termly census takes place on Thursday 16th January and as a part of this census the government collects information on how many children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 have a Universal Infant Free School Meal that day. If your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and is likely to have a universal infant free school meal **at any time during the school year**, we would like them to have a school meal on this day. The more children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 that have a school meal on this day, the more funding we receive and this ensures that our funding covers costs for the remainder of the year. Thank you for your help with this.

Adverse weather arrangements

The weather is extremely changeable at the moment, fluctuating from very cold to mild. However, we would like to confirm arrangements for those times when we need to close school at short notice.

- All parents/carers will be sent a message via Class Dojo.
- A notice will be posted on the school website as soon as possible
<http://www.pegswood.northumberland.sch.uk/website>
- Parents/carers can also check the school closure on the Northumberland County Council website:
www.northumberland.gov.uk
- Parents/carers can also listen to frequent updates on Radio Newcastle

Parents/carers should presume that school is open at all times unless the above information is received.

If you have changed emergency contact details or mobile phone numbers, please keep school informed.

Online Admissions

If your child is currently in the **morning Nursery**, online admissions for a place in our Reception class in September 2020, closes on **Wednesday 15th January**. You must make an application to join our Reception through this process. Any application made after this date will be classed as a late application and may not be processed until all other children have been allocated. Should you require further assistance with this, please ask Mrs Layton or the school office for more details.

Clubs

Most clubs will begin again after half term, although some classes will be notified if clubs are running before half term.

