



Parent's Weekly Briefing.
12.12.2025

Dear parents and carers,

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As we approach the end of term, I wanted to take a moment to reflect on what has been a truly joyful and memorable week at Stanley Grove.

Christmas Performances

Our Christmas performances were an absolute delight. The children shone with confidence, enthusiasm and festive spirit, and we are all incredibly proud of how well they did. Thank you for supporting the children so warmly—your encouragement makes such a difference.

Nursery Crib Service

A particular highlight was the Nursery Crib Service at the church. It was a beautiful and very special occasion. We were especially touched to welcome *four generations* of one family who came along to share the celebration—such moments really show the strength of our community.

Community Christmas Sing-Along

Thank you to everyone who stayed after school to join in our Community Christmas Sing-Along. Hearing children, parents, carers and staff singing together was wonderful and helped bring the whole school community even closer.

Christmas Crafts Event in Memory of Mrs Bell

Our Christmas Crafts event was a huge success, with parents, carers and grandparents creating festive crafts alongside their children. This event was held in memory of our dear friend and colleague, **Mrs Bell**, who sadly passed away but continues to mean so much to us. We are proud to share that we raised **over £50** for the charity she championed—an organisation that provides beds for children in need. Thank you for your generosity. Thank you to her daughter and granddaughter who organised the whole event.

Reverse Advent Calendar

Next week we will be running our **Reverse Advent Calendar**. Families who wish to contribute can leave donations for the local food bank **by the Christmas tree next to the path you enter school from**. Your kindness at this time of year is always greatly appreciated.

Christmas Fair Donations

A reminder that our **Christmas Fair** takes place next week. If you are able, please send in donations to support the stalls—we are always grateful for your contributions.

Christmas Parties

Our Christmas parties are also coming up! Children are welcome to come to school in their **party clothes on the day of their party**. We are looking forward to lots of festive fun.



As this is the final parent briefing before the holiday, I would like to wish all our families a **very happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year**. Thank you for your continued support and for making Stanley Grove such a warm and caring community.

Warmest wishes,
Mrs Frost

Diary Dates:

Tuesday 16th December – KS2 Christmas Party (please note recent change of date for this)
17th December 3:15 p.m – Christmas Fair (Please give us time to dismiss the children safely and get onto our stalls prior to us opening. You are welcome to wait in the playground before we open up the fair.
18th December – KS 1 Christmas Party
18th December – Early Years Christmas Party.
19th December – School Closes
5th January – School opens.

