

HAZELBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2025



As we come to the end of another busy and rewarding term, I would like to thank everyone for the enthusiasm and commitment shown across our school community.

We were delighted by the confidence and enthusiasm shown at the Year One singing performance, and we hope parents enjoyed seeing the children perform with such pride and joy. Our Reception children have also thrived in our new Forest School sessions, introduced weekly this year, building independence, teamwork and a love of the outdoors.

Our Hazelbury Sustainability Committee have shown fantastic leadership this term. They recently met with pupils from across the Connect Education Trust, working collaboratively to share ideas and develop meaningful initiatives—not only for our own school, but also exploring how, together as a Trust, we can make a positive impact on our planet.

I would like to extend a huge thank you to our families and wider community for their incredible support during our festive Winter Fayre. Together we raised just over £3000, which will go towards purchasing new musical instruments to resource our wonderful music room—where classes enjoy music lessons, our school band rehearses, and children have the opportunity to learn to play instruments individually.

The term was rounded off wonderfully with nominated children receiving a special Headteacher shout-out. It was a pleasure to award the children and they should be incredibly proud of their efforts, attitudes and achievements.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. I wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Laura Pearce, Headteacher

REMINDER: School CLOSED on Monday 5th January
School opens on Tuesday 6th January

MAGICAL PERFORMANCES AND MUSICAL DELIGHT



It's been a term full of magical moments and musical delights, as our pupils have had the chance to experience a variety of inspiring performances! Our KS2 pupils were absolutely thrilled by our children's piano recitals, showcasing their hard work and musical talent. Earlier in the term, our early years children were captivated by a magical performance of Sleeping Beauty by the incredible London Rainbow. Even more exciting, some of our little stars had special guest appearances in the show! Adding to the festive spirit, our school was also treated to a wonderful performance by the Toscana Strings Quartet. Their inspiring and joyful music filled the hall, creating a truly memorable experience for all.



HAZELBURY SPORTS NEWS



Some of our Year 5 and Year 6 pupils had the exciting opportunity to visit the Tottenham Hotspur Training Ground to take part in the NextGen Football Festival. This inspiring event focuses not only on developing football skills but also on building confident, capable individuals and supporting mental health and well-being.

Meanwhile, our Year 1-4 pupils have been thoroughly enjoying their football lessons this half-term, delivered by the brilliant NextGen Spurs coaches. They've been busy developing their skills, working as a team, and having a fantastic time on the pitch!

KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE

As we approach the holiday period, please remember that we all have a responsibility to keep the children in our school, our local area and our wider community safe from neglect, abuse and trauma in whatever ways we can. In most cases our children are safe, healthy, happy and thriving, but we must always be vigilant to protect those too vulnerable to protect themselves. If during the holidays, you believe that a child is at risk of immediate harm or danger please phone 999 and advise the police of your concerns. Your information may help that child and family receive the help and support that they need to keep them safe.

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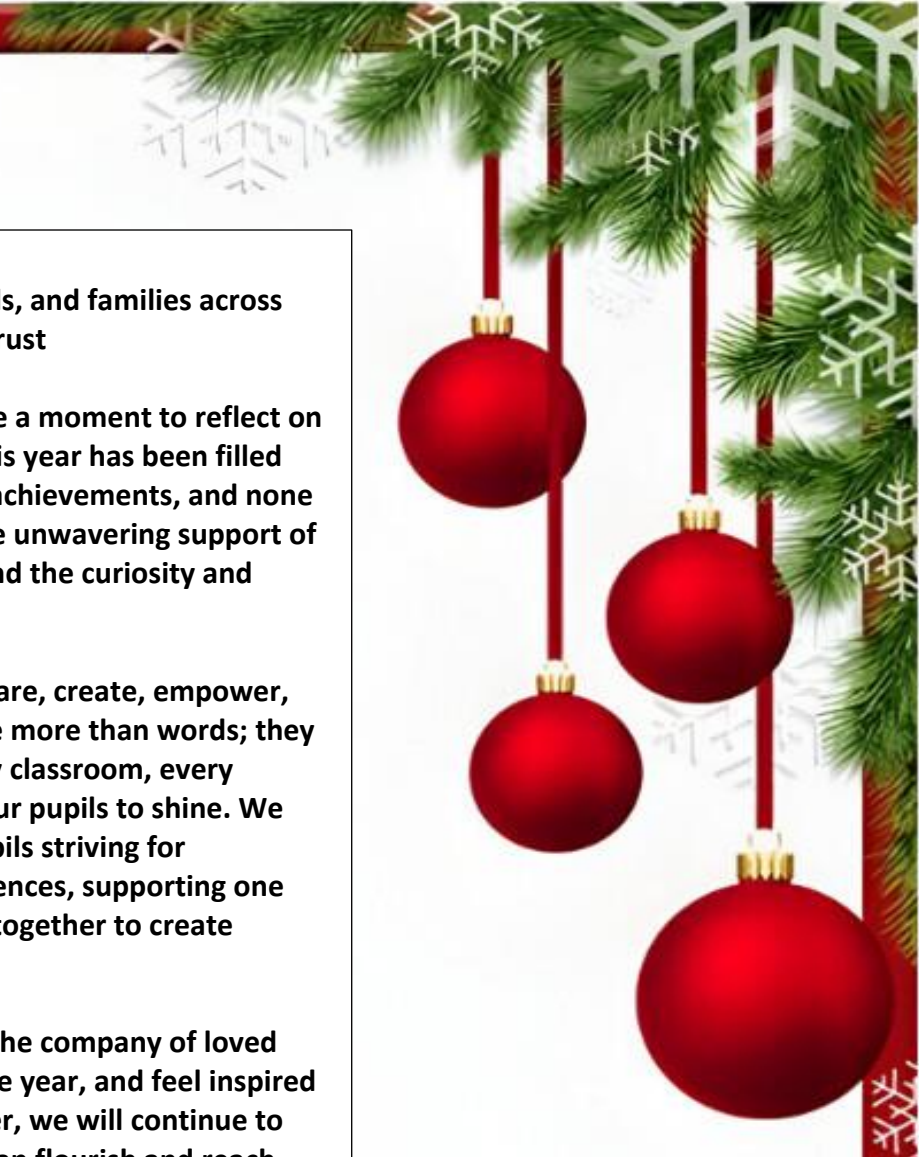
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**Season's Greetings to all parents, pupils, and families across
Connect Education Trust**

As the year draws to a close, I want to take a moment to reflect on the incredible journey we have shared. This year has been filled with challenges, growth, and remarkable achievements, and none of it would have been possible without the unwavering support of our families, the dedication of our staff, and the curiosity and resilience of our pupils.

At Connect Education Trust, our values—care, create, empower, through excellence and collaboration—are more than words; they are the guiding principles that shape every classroom, every conversation, and every opportunity for our pupils to shine. We have witnessed these values in action: pupils striving for excellence, celebrating each other's differences, supporting one another through challenges, and working together to create thriving school communities.

This festive season, I hope you find joy in the company of loved ones, take pride in the achievements of the year, and feel inspired by the promise of the year ahead. Together, we will continue to nurture environments where every child can flourish and reach their full potential.

Wishing you a peaceful, joyful holiday season and a happy, healthy New Year.

Warmest Wishes Androulla Nicou - CEO

Please also see how we are Creating Remarkable Futures for all our children across Connect. <https://heyzine.com/flip-book/ea39dad367.html>