



# Queensgate Primary School Newsletter 21.12.23



We have had a very happy end of term, with lots of festive fun! Thank you for your kind donations for the class parties and for all your support for the children at our various performances and Carol Concerts.

**Well done Y1 and Y3 for your lovely singing and singing last week.**



**Here are Year 2 tucking into their party food before they began partying in the Hall!**



### Plastic bottle lid challenge

As part of a competition run by [Plastic Shed](#) we are going to be collecting plastic bottle lids in January. 250,000 lids from across Stockport are going to be used to create a plastic art installation in the centre of Stockport. Click [here](#) to see which types of lids which can be used. The top three Stockport schools that collect the most lids will win a day of workshops from Plastic Shed. Please keep your lids from over the festive period, wash them and then bring them into school. This will be a great way to remind the children about the turning our waste into something new and creative. The last day to send in lids will be **Tuesday 30th January**.

### House points for the term

Well done to the children in Mandela for topping the House point leader board this term.

<b>Mandela</b> 4190	<b>Curie</b> 3632	<b>Luther King</b> 3593	<b>Nightingale</b> 3991
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### Attendance

It goes without saying that regular attendance is essential to your child's progress and success. We aim for all children to attend well above the national average of 93.8%. This term, our overall whole school attendance figure is **96%**. Well done to **Year 2 Elm** for topping the leader board this term!

Reception 96.2%	Year 1 95.8%	Year 2 Elm 97.5%	Year 2 Oak 95.3%
Year 3 96.9%	Year 4 95.9%	Year 5 Ash 96.1%	Year 5 Birch 96.5%
	Year 6 Cedar 95.0%		Year 6 Pine 96.5%

**Important dates coming up**

**22.12.23:** 10.30- 10.45AM Y4 ukulele mini concert for parents/carers

**\*\*\* 22.12.23: School closes for Christmas holidays \*\*\***

**\*\*\* Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January- School re-opens \*\*\***

All the staff send their very best wishes to all our children and families. We hope that you have a healthy and happy holiday.

Mrs Hitchcock  
**Headteacher**