

Pix Brook Academy

Press

Christmas 2019 Issue



Last message of the year from Pix Brook Academy.

I write this as pupils are in their lessons in the last week of the Autumn term. This is always an interesting balance for teachers. On the one hand there is the desire to enjoy the natural excitement children have for Christmas, on the other there is the clear recognition that the Christmas holidays are a few days away and precious lessons cannot simply be wasted. Hopefully we have the balance just right.

In this last week we have had our visit to the pantomime, Christmas lunch and our assembly at St Mary's church. All this before the last day of term when we can look back on a really busy first term at PBA. Between those events, lessons progress normally and the focus remains on learning.

As I reflect on the roller coaster that has been this first term, I want to take the opportunity to thank a great many people. Top of the list are the pupils: they have simply been fantastic. I consider myself to be extremely fortunate to have such an enthusiastic, interested and engaged body of pupils who have made every day different. I have said this to many colleagues: if you can't enjoy your work here you are in the wrong job! Fortunately, the staff here are enjoying every moment and have contributed to the fantastic atmosphere in the school.

Both teachers and support staff have immersed themselves fully into the life of the school and their hard work has really made a difference.

Finally, I'd like to add my thanks to parents and governors. The support you have given to the school is crucial and enables me to develop the school knowing that we will be supported. Schools are all about partnerships and if pupils, parents and the school are working together we can achieve great things.

Please remember that pupils return to school on Tuesday 7th January (staff training day on Monday 6th January)

It remains for me to wish you all a wonderful Christmas. Make the most of these moments with your family and friends and remember how lucky we are to have this time of year.

Merry Christmas!

From Mr Adams and all the team at

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