



# QUEENSMEAD PRIMARY ACADEMY

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## Purple Post

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### Principal's Message

*We want our school to be a place where we are safe: to learn, have fun and work hard. A place where we are kind and mindful of everyone and have positive attitudes for our bright futures.*

*We have finally come to the end of the longest half term in recent history and are ready for the festivities over the holiday. I would like to wish you all a wonderful festive season and hope that you have a great time doing things that you love with the people you love.*

*Merry Christmas from everyone at Queensmead and have a Happy New Year*  
*Liz Latham*

## Winter Fair



**We knew it would be bigger. We knew it would be better but we didn't know by how much! Thanks to your incredible generosity we raised a staggering £1180! All of the money will go towards funding projects in school. A massive thank you to all the staff involved and to you for coming along and making it so successful! Well done everyone!**



## Bored over the holidays?!

### Christmas Holiday Activities

Leicester City Council along with many other private enterprises are offering a huge number of activities to entertain your families over the festive season with many of them completely free!

Please use this link to see if anything takes your fancy:

<https://families.leicester.gov.uk/christmas-activities>

## Dates for your diaries:

School open to children

7<sup>th</sup> January

Pizza Party

16<sup>th</sup> January

F2 Local area walk

16<sup>th</sup> January

Yr 5 Leicestershire Cricket

Taster Day

30<sup>th</sup> January

Yr 1 Botanical Gardens

12<sup>th</sup> February

### Honours Awards – Autumn 2

*Rod Campbell - Alex*

*Sue Hendra - Bailey*

*Julia Donaldson - Harley*

*Mini Grey - Miller*

*Eric Carle - Joshua*

*Oliver Jeffers - Charlie*

*Valerie Thomas - Peter*

*Roald Dahl - Aidun*

*Roger Hargreaves - Lawan*

*Shaun Tan - Mia*

*David Walliams - Olivier*

*SF Said - Patryk*

*JK Rowling - Yasmine*

*Louis Sachar - Tyrone*

*Neil Gaiman - Keeley*

### 100% Attendance Prize Winners

**106 children received a bookmark and certificate for 100% attendance this term. Two lucky winners were drawn out of the hat to win £25 of Purple Pounds to choose items from our The Purple Pound Emporium. Well done and congratulations to all of them. It is important for children to attend to ensure that they don't miss out on their learning.**

### Class Assembly Dates

Here are the class assembly dates for you to plan ahead! Class assemblies are always on a Wednesday at 2.50pm in the main hall.

Shaun Tan

15<sup>th</sup> January

David Walliams

22<sup>nd</sup> January

Roald Dahl

29<sup>th</sup> January

Roger Hargreaves

12<sup>th</sup> February

Oliver Jeffers

4<sup>th</sup> March

Valerie Thomas

18<sup>th</sup> March

Eric Carle

1<sup>st</sup> April

Mini Grey

6<sup>th</sup> May



For the consistently high quality of work in Mathematics throughout the Autumn Term.