



New Road Primary and Nursery School

Headteacher Update

Monday 15th December 2025

Dear Parents, Carers, and Children,

Our children have truly shone this festive season—bringing joy to local care homes with their beautiful singing and performing on stage at our magical Carols by Candlelight concert. They also delighted us with a wonderful Christingle service and charming nativity plays, creating memories that will last a lifetime.



A huge thank you to our amazing staff and talented children for making *Shine Star Shine* such a magical and memorable Nativity performance this Christmas. It was truly wonderful!



Spreading Christmas Cheer

This festive season, our school choir brought joy beyond the classroom by visiting **Aliwal Manor** and **Cedar Court Care Home**. The children sang a selection of Christmas carols, filling the rooms with warmth and smiles. Residents were delighted by the performances, and it was wonderful to see generations come together in the true spirit of Christmas. A big thank you to our staff and pupils!

A list of future term dates is below. Thank you for supporting our school we are proud of your children and all they achieve.

Monday 15th December	Christmas Unwrapped Baptist Church Years 1 & 2
Thursday 18th December	Christmas Lunch
Friday 19th December	Christmas Jumper/Dress Down Day and Class Party - last day of term!
Monday 22nd December	Holiday Club @ Park Lane
Tuesday 23rd December	Holiday Club @ Park Lane
Monday 5th January	Back to School 😊
Thursday 15th January	Straw Bear Visit with musician Kathryn Johnstone
Friday 23rd January	Table Tennis Tournament

Future Dates

Term Dates 2025/2026

<p>1st Term 2025 Monday 1st September Professional Day (Closed to pupils) Tuesday 2nd September Professional Day (Closed to pupils) Wednesday 3rd September – Thursday 24th October Friday 24th October Professional Day (Closed to pupils) Half Term Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October</p> <p>3rd Term 2026 Monday 5th January – Thursday 12th February Friday 13th February Professional Day (Closed to Pupils) Half Term Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February</p>	<p>2nd Term 2025 Monday 3rd November – Friday 19th December Half Term Monday 22nd December - Friday 2nd January</p> <p>4th Term 2026 Monday 23rd February – Friday 27th March Half Term Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April</p>
<p>5th Term 2026 Monday 13th April - Friday 22nd May Monday 4th May (May Day School Closed) Half Term Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May</p>	<p>6th Term 2026 Monday 1st June – Friday 17th July Monday 20th July Professional Day (Closed to pupils)</p>