



## Christ Church CE VC Primary School

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9 December 2020

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing mainly to respond to the news bulletins you may have come across recently – namely the change to the end of this term.

Firstly, it is worth pointing out that the majority of the reporting isn't totally accurate. The DfE have suggested that school use the 18 December as an INSET day, however the day would have to be made up elsewhere in the school year. We have already published out INSET days – we have used 3 and the remaining days are Monday 4 January 2021 and Wednesday 23 June 2021. The day suggested by the DfE is not an extra non-teaching day.

Therefore, our last day of term will be Friday 18 December 2020 and it will be a normal school day. The children will return on Tuesday 5 January 2021.

We also need to ask that should any pupil or staff member test positive within 48 hours of last being in school they need to let the school know. This is because of the track and trace guidance. Therefore, if the school did have a positive case in your child's bubble then we would let you now.

If this is the case, please call 07745781956. This phone will be checked several times throughout the day.

Attached is a poster to help with what to do if your child tested positive.

Yours sincerely,

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