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## NEWSLETTER 07 - 17th December 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

## THANK YOU

Firstly I would like to thank all the staff in school. Everyone, from cleaners to teachers, have done their absolute best to keep school as safe as possible for our children and to enable learning to continue at the very high standard we all expect at Hallcroft.

Secondly I would like to thank all of you, our families. Thank you for all your support in returning the children to school in September. Every headteacher in the land worried in late August as we prepared classrooms, corridors, playgrounds and dining halls for the return of the pupils, but we also relied on your support to make it all work and (touching wood!) it did!

Thank you for working with us through these difficult months, without traditional events like Books & Biscuits, face to face parents' evenings or even the school nativity it's felt harder than ever to be together as a school community. On the positive side, those of you who have needed to isolate have worked even more closely with us, as you have supported your child's home learning, followed the rules and protected our school community.

Hopefully, you'll agree that, throughout 2020, we've worked with you to provide your children with the safest, most enjoyable and most effective education possible. And we look forward to doing the same in 2021.

Wishing you all a safe and happy Christmas and a healthy 2021!

All the best

J Cook Joanne Cook Head Teacher

## DIARY DATES

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January Break-up for Christmas holidays Inset Day - no pupils in school First day back after Christmas