

## Key Dates

### December

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> - Nurse Drop in Session 9am – 10am

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> - Break up for Christmas

### January

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> – Return to School

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> – Nurse Drop in Session 9am – 10am

## Year 6 Visit to the London Eye

A group of year 6 children were invited to visit the London Eye as part of an Art Project and I was delighted to have the opportunity to join them. The weather provided us with fantastic views across the whole of London and we were able to spot a number of famous landmarks. The group was divided into two London Eye pods and lessons were delivered in each of them. I was incredibly proud of the children's behaviour throughout the day. One of my highlights was when we held two minutes' silence on the busy London tube to show our respect to all servicemen all over the world who have lost their lives.



### Anti-bullying day - "One Kind Word"

We all celebrated Anti-bullying week by wearing odd socks and learning about the importance of kindness and understanding and sharing kind words and thoughts. A word of kindness can completely change someone's day and your children have been showing how kind they can be towards each other and their teachers. They have been amazing!

### School Council

The School Council have got off to a great start this year! School Councillors have been elected in each class and are proudly wearing their School Council badges. They have already had their first video link meeting. School Councillors and their classes have been discussing 'road safety' during the morning drop off and afternoon pick up. They have been discussing ways to keep the roads safe and ensure parents and carers park their cars responsibly when dropping off children. They have been designing posters to display outside the school gates. Watch this space!



### Ambassadors and Pupil Mentors

In addition to badges for the School Council and Choir, this year we have launched Reading Ambassadors who help Miss Hodges with a whole range of jobs to support reading across the school. Miss Karakas will soon be looking for Maths Ambassadors and Miss Leila Science Ambassadors. Children have also filled in application forms to become Pupil Mentors. We are providing as many opportunities as possible for your children to develop their skills and knowledge and to make a difference in a whole range of areas across the school.



### Children in Need

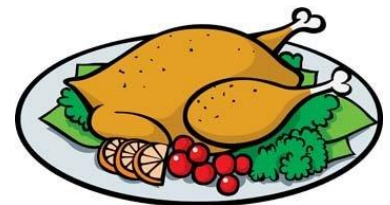
Last week ended with Children in Need. The children and staff had a wonderful day celebrating in their pyjamas. Your donations helped us to raise over £400. A huge thank you to everyone for their generosity.



### Christmas Lunch – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December

This term is flying past and Christmas preparations are starting already. Christmas lunch will be served on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December. There will be festive music, a small gift and the teachers will be joining in the celebrations too! This is free to all children in EYFS, Year 1, Year 2 and Pupil Premium children in all year groups. More children have lunch on this day than on any other so it is really important that the catering team know how many children wish to have lunch. They can then place an order for all the additional food needed.

Please fill in the order form <https://forms.office.com/r/9RLfW8KJXu> by **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> November** even if your child does not pay for their school meal. Please also remember to top up your Parent Pay account.



### Father Christmas

We are all very excited that Father Christmas will be arriving at Eastbury very soon. The children will have the opportunity to visit Father Christmas and his Elves, listen to a story and receive a beautiful photograph along with a gift, all for £3.50. Unfortunately, he is very busy and can only visit Eastbury for a few days so it is really important that you book your child's place by 12pm on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. Unfortunately, no bookings can be taken after this date. Please book your child's place via Parent Pay.



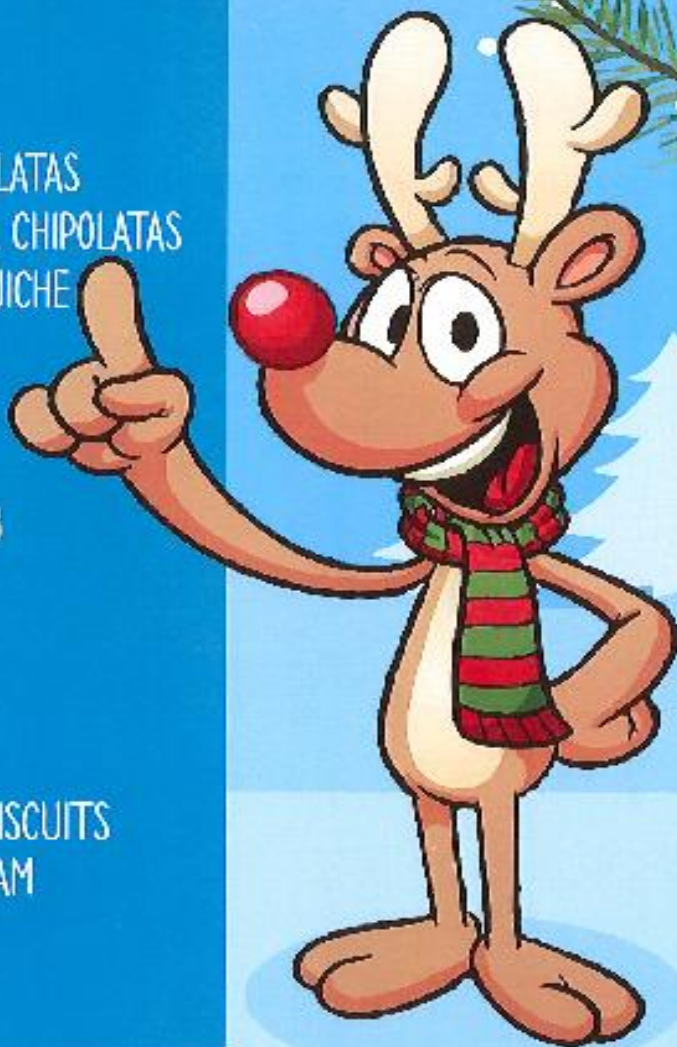
# Eastbury Primary

## MENU

ROAST TURKEY & CHIPOLATAS  
HALAL ROAST TURKEY & HALAL CHIPOLATAS  
ROASTED VEGETABLE QUICHE  
CARROTS & PEAS  
BRUSSEL SPROUTS  
STUFFING  
YORKSHIRE PUDDING  
GRAVY

## DESSERT

CHRISTMAS SHORTBREAD BISCUITS  
STRAWBERRY ICE CREAM  
SATSUMA  
FLAVOURED JUICE



8<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2021