



12th December 2025



This week the following children have been recognised in our Celebration Assembly -

Class	Values Champion	Learner of the week
Maple	All of Maple for Individual Best	Ocean for being an Artist
Willow	All of Willow for Individual Best	Vinnie for being an Engineer
Elm	F for Kindness & Respect	Robin for being a Reader
Chestnut	Mila for Individual Best	Jude for being an Engineer

Week commencing 15th December

Day	Morning	Afternoon	Club
Monday	PE- Chestnut & Willow	Assembly	Football (Years 1-6) Drama (Years 2- 6)
Tuesday	Maple Trip to West Town Farm	Drama Club Show	Dance (years R -6)
Wednesday	Christmas Dinner & Jumper Day		Tag Rugby (Years R-3)
	PE –Willow		
Thursday	PE – Maple, Elm & Oak	Elm Carol Service at St Ida's	Yoga (Y3-6) FIS Disco
Friday	FIS Non-Uniform Day		
	PE – Chestnut & Maple	Musical Celebration Assembly	

School Meals

If you haven't already done so, please could you book your child's meals up until the end term. This would really help the kitchen with their ordering to ensure that there is minimal food waste. Please also check that your child's Christmas Dinner for the 17th of December has been ordered if required. No meals can be added or changed on the day.

Christmas Dinner & Jumper Day

On Wednesday next week, the children can come to school with Christmas Jumpers over their school t-shirts. They may also wear festive headwear.

Christmas Post Box

Our Christmas post box will be open in the foyer for children to post cards for each other if they wish to. Please make sure that first name, initial and class are included on the envelope so that they can be delivered to the correct child. Our Year 6s will be sorting and distributing these to each class.

Drama Club & Woodwind Performances

Parents of children who attend Drama Club are invited to watch a Christmas Sketch Show on Tuesday 16th December at 2.30pm. If your child has woodwind lessons with Mrs Todd, you are invited to a musical assembly at 2pm on Friday 19th December to watch your child perform.

Non-Uniform Day

Next Friday will be a non-uniform day with donations going to FIS. Suggested donation £1.

After School Club

There will be no After School Club on Friday next week.



Chestnut Class had a special visitor this week.



Our Wildlife Champions had a great session on Thursday.



Things to look forward to at Ide Primary

December	
Tuesday 16th	Maple Trip to West Town Farm
Tuesday 16th	Drama Club Performance
Wednesday 17th	Christmas Dinner
Thursday 18th	Elm Carol Service 2pm
Thursday 18th	FIS Disco
Friday 19th	Woodwind Concert pm
Friday 19th	FIS Non-Uniform Day
Friday 19th	Last Day of Term
January	
Tuesday 6th	First day of Spring Term
Wednesday 21st	Willow End Ball Festival at West Exe
February	
Friday 6th	Numbers Day
Friday 13th	FIS Non-Uniform Day
Mon 16th – Fri 20th	Half Term
March	
Mon 9th – Fri 13th	Science Week
April	
Wednesday 1st	Maple Multi Skills at West Exe
Thursday 2nd	FIS Non-Uniform Day
Thursday 2nd	Last day of Spring Term
Monday 20th	First day of Summer Term
Monday 4th	Bank Holiday
Tuesday 21st	Year 3 and 4 swimming starts
Wednesday 29th	Willow Striking and Fielding Festival at West Exe
May	
Monday 4th	Bank Holiday
Friday 22nd	FIS Non-Uniform Day
Mon 25th – Fri 29th	Half Term
June	
Monday 1st	Inset Day
Mon 8th – Wed 10th	Year 5 and 6 Residential
29th – 3rd July	Sports Week
Tuesday 30th	Sports Day
July	
Tuesday 21st	Last day of Summer Term

Term dates can be found on our website - [2025/26 Academic Calendar](#)

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CHRISTMAS DISCO

THURSDAY 18TH DECEMBER

Key Stage 1 - Reception - Year 2

From 3.15pm - 5.30pm

Key Stage 2 - Year 3 - Year 6

From 3.25pm - 5.30pm

Parents can pick up earlier if needed.

£6 per child,
to include cheese roll, drink and sweets

FIS needs a volunteer secretary!

FIS is looking for a volunteer secretary to join the committee. If you could spare a couple of hours a month to take minutes of meetings, organise agendas and help with communication to parents and the school we would love to welcome you onto the committee and support the school. If you are interested email friendsofideschool@hotmail.com

How your Xmas Shopping can raise funds for the school!!

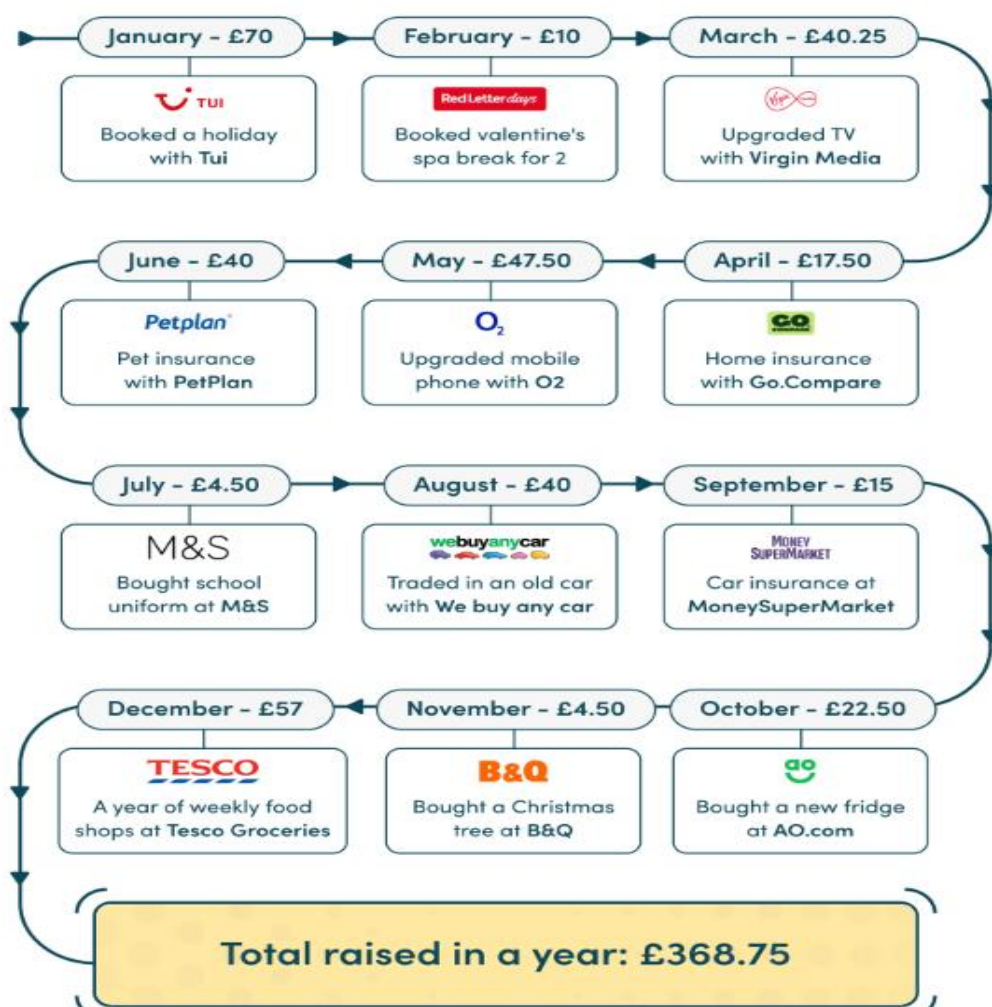
The festive season is quickly approaching and, if you shop online, you could raise funds for the school.



raise funds

Friends of Ide school (FIS) is now registered with the Easy fundraising platform. Whenever you and your family/friends shop online with 8,000+ retailers we receive a free donation for your cause, at no extra cost. And if you register in November, we will receive £2 for every new supporter. Please register online and share the details with friends and family and help us raise money for the school. Use the QR code above to register or go to https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?char=407271&invite=0v8lnl&referral-campaign=c2s&utm_campaign=web-referral

Just using the app to shop online over the next 12 months could raise hundreds of pounds for school.



CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CAMP

22ND - 23RD
29TH - 30TH
DECEMBER

8.15AM - 5.15PM
AGES 5 - 12

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CHRISTMAS HAF PROGRAMME

MONDAY 22ND | TUESDAY 23RD |
MONDAY 29TH | TUESDAY 30TH DECEMBER



St Luke's
Campus,
Exeter



- ★ Pinhoe Primary School, Exeter, EX4 8PE
- ★ St Michael's Church of England Primary Academy, Exeter, EX1 2SN**
- ★ St Thomas Primary School, Exeter, EX2 9BB
- ★ Cranbrook Education Campus, Cranbrook, EX5 7EE
- ★ Whipton Barton Federation, Exeter, EX1 3JP*
- ★ Wilcombe Primary School, Tiverton, EX16 4AL*
- ★ St Johns Catholic Primary School, Tiverton, EX16 5LA*
- ★ Willowbank Primary School, Cullompton, EX15 1EZ*

★ Multi Activity camps available

★ Running 22nd, 23rd, 29th, & 30th December

★ Running 9am - 3:30pm & *9am - 1pm

**Extended day option 8am - 5pm including breakfast & afternoon snack

★ £24.99 / *£15.99 per child, per day

**£44.99 per child, per day
(30% discount until Monday 10th November!)

★ Available to children aged 4 - 11

★ Book at www.premier-education.com/holiday-camps
★ Contact dcrysell@premier-education.com for queries



Our 5* Holiday Clubs are the perfect place to keep your kids entertained over the winter holidays.

Join us this holiday period as we offer a wide range of fun activities, including sports, performing arts, and games, all at great value. There's something for every child to enjoy!

Book now for lots of festive fun!



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