



Rockcliffe Newsletter 15 – Autumn Term

Dear Rockcliffe Families,

This week the walls of Rockcliffe have been filled with even more festive cheer. It has been wonderful to see so many parents in school for the brilliant Nursery and Reception performances at the start of the week. Again, it was my first experience of these shows and I was blown away by the children and both shows put a huge smile on my face. This week,



we've also had our Christmas parties – the fun and laughter has been floating down the corridors to my office. I was lucky enough to go with the Y4 Glee Club members for a small performance at St Anne's Care Home – it was really appreciated by the residents. Finally, today we came together for a special outside festive assembly where each class performed a song from their performance. It was a lovely way to end the term.

Christmas Card Winner

We are really proud of Lizzie in Y4 who was runner up in the Dolce (our catering provider) Christmas Card competition. Her design has been shared across the social media platforms to all the customers. Well done, Lizzie.



Have A Lovely Christmas Holiday

Today marks the end of my first year as Headteacher at Rockcliffe and it has been great to look back at all we have achieved as a school in 2025. I hope you can take some time over the next few weeks to look back at all the achievements of your amazing children too and look ahead to an exciting 2026.



From me and all of the Rockcliffe Staff Team – we hope you have a very Merry Christmas and we look forward to welcoming you back on Tuesday 6th of January 2026!

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Dates for Your Diary

January	
Mon 5 th	Teacher Training Day
Tue 6 th	Start of Spring Term