## New Delaval Primary School Newsletter - December 2019

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#### **Dear Parents/Carers**

A big thank you to all parents, carers and grandparents who came along to school to join in with our Christmas Craft afternoons, our children enjoyed the sessions and I hope you did too!

The Christmas performances have been a great success and the children were so excited about performing for you their enthusiasm and enjoyment was matched only by the quality of the performance they gave - fabulous!

Well done to our talented children for giving their best, and thanks to staff who worked so hard to enable the children to perform so successfully.

Thank you to everyone who donated goods to Blyth Foodbank, the goods were collected last Friday and volunteers from the foodbank were overwhelmed by the response. Thank you also to HSBC, Cramlington, who donated along with New Delaval Primary.

Finally, school will close for the end of term at **2:00pm on Friday 20th December**, I do hope you have a lovely, peaceful Christmas and best wishes for 2020.

School reopens for spring term on Monday 6th January 2020 at 8:45am.

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### Mrs D T Worrall Headteacher



Christmas Raffle -Winning Ticket Numbers				
1st prize	Yellow	771-775		
2nd prize	White	621- 625		
3rd prize	White	116-120		
4th prize	Yellow	241–245		
5th prize	Pink	186-190		
6th prize	White	536- 540		
7th prize	Pink	386-390		
8th prize	Yellow	166-170		
9th prize	White	661- 665		
10th prize	Pink	191- 195		
11th prize	Yellow	281-285		
12th prize	Pink	436- 440		
13th prize	White	746- 750		
14th prize	White	546-550		
15th prize	Yellow	161- 165		
16th prize	Pink	846- 850		
17th prize	Yellow	256- 260		



## Be Punctual In 2020 - Punctuality Matters Missed minutes = missed learning = missed opportunities!

As a school, we are aware lateness can severely affect achievement. We monitor punctuality closely and have strategies in place to address lateness. Registration begins at **8:45am and all pupils are expected to be in their classroom at this time.** 

Phonics lessons for EYFS and KS1 start promptly at 9:00am and those pupils who arrive late are missing out on these valuable sessions.

KS2 children also start learning at 9:00am and those pupils who arrive late will be expected to catch up on missed lessons at homework break (during break times).



# New Delaval Primary raised £112.21

Thank you!

### Reminder

Reception Places
September 2020
Closing date for applications
15th January 2020

Offer Day 16th April 2020

Holiday or Occasion of Closure	Date on which school will close	Date on which school will reassemble
Christmas/New Year	Friday 20th December 2019	Monday 6th January 2020
Spring Mid-Term 2019	Friday 14th February 2020	Monday 24th February 2020
Easter 2020	Friday 3rd April 2020	Tuesday 20th April 2020
May Day	Friday 8th May 2020	Monday 11th May 2020
Summer Mid-Term 2019	Friday 22nd May 2020	Monday 1st June 2020
Summer 2020	Friday 17th July 2020	Wednesday 4th September 2020

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