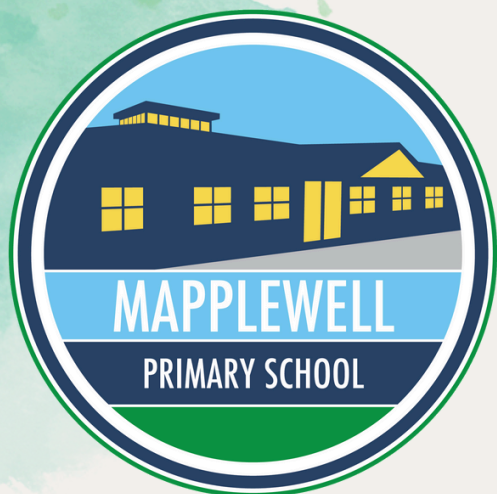


# Weekly Bulletin

W/E 12/12/2025

Autumn 2025/2026



## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Class 1 96%  
Class 2 93%  
Class 3 96%  
Class 4 95%  
Class 5 100%  
Class 6 93%  
Class 7 97%  
Class 8 97%  
Class 9 95%  
Class 10 93%  
Class 11 93%



**WHOLE SCHOOL: 95%**



## Santa Saunter

We managed to raise an amazing

**£2,392.00**

Thank you so much for your kind donations.

AMAZING!



## Christmas Jumper Sale

A massive well done to Max who come up with his own idea of selling second hand Christmas jumpers in the playground this week, to raise money for Barnsley Hospital and School resources.

He raised **£30!**

## Win a Christmas Hamper!

Raffle tickets for sale at events/reception

**£1.00 a strip**



To be drawn on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December. Good luck everyone

## Grassroots Elfy Holidays



Grassroots sports academy are hosting a  
**FREE** Christmas event at the  
**Barnsley Metrodome**  
on  
**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> December at 11am-3pm.**

**The children eligible for this are children  
on free school meals.**

If you would like your child to attend please  
book tickets via  
<https://eequ.org/book/elfy-holidays-the-elf-fest-with-grassroot-sports-academy-yorkshire-20681>

## Polite notice

- Could we kindly remind parents to ensure their children use the toilet and not the local areas around school – we have had complaints from residents.
- EYFS equipment is not be used before or after the school day. Also the top field is out of bounds.
- Please do not use the climbing frame before or after school day.

Thank you for your understanding and co-operation in this matter

## Christmas Parties

Class Parties are taking place  
**week commencing 15<sup>th</sup> December**  
(please see poster below for more details)

Christmas Party food will be available for all children, except Nursery, as the dinner choice on  
**Thursday 18th December.**

Please update you child's dinner account if you would like them to have this.



## Christmas Music Celebration

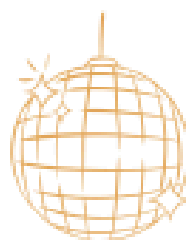
This year our Christmas Music Celebration is on  
**Monday 15th December**  
from **3.30pm**  
in the School Hall.

This is an opportunity to listen to some of our talented pupils whilst browsing your child's homemade Christmas bauble.





# Christmas Party Days



Children on their Christmas party day can come to school in their party clothes

## **Nursery and Reception Class**

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December

## **Year 1 and Year 2**

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December

## **Year 3 and Year 4**

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December

## **Year 5 and Year 6**

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December





# Winter Party

18<sup>th</sup> of December 2025

Cheese, Ham or Tuna Sandwich

served with

Chicken goujons

Mini sausage or cheese & onion roll

Wedges and carrot & cucumber batons



Festive cupcake

or

Winter biscuit





# MAPPLEWELL HOUSE POINTS



Pupils work as a team in their house  
to earn the most Mapplewell points  
The house with the most points  
by the end of the term  
will earn a reward as a house  
Below is points so far this term....

Cannon Hall House: **4003pts**

Locke Park House: **3740pts**

Metrodome House: **3928pts**

Oakwell House: **3741pts**



# Key Dates

## Dec 2025

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Christmas Music Celebration**  
3:30pm in the School Hall

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Nursery and Reception Class Parties**  
Children in these classes can wear party clothes

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Class 1 and Class 2 - Christmas Crafts**  
Booking now available on Arbor

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Year 1 and 2 Class Parties**  
Children in these classes can wear party clothes

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Year 3 and 4 Class Parties**  
Children in these classes can wear party clothes

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Year 5 and 6 Class Parties**  
Children in these classes can wear party clothes

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Party Food for whole school dinner choice**  
Please update you child's dinner account on Arbor

## Jan 2026

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January**  
INSET day for all pupils

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> January**  
**Year 3 trip to Coal Mining Museum**  
Please book via trips on Arbor

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> January**  
**Year 4 trip to Coal Mining Museum**  
Please book via trips on Arbor



### Inset Days 2025/2026



Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July

### SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2025/2026

MON 22<sup>ND</sup> DEC- FRI 2<sup>ND</sup> JAN

MON 16<sup>TH</sup> FEB-FRI 20<sup>TH</sup> FEB

(UPDATED)

MON 30<sup>TH</sup> MARCH- FRI 10<sup>TH</sup> APRIL

MON 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY- FRI 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY

TUES 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY- MON 31<sup>ST</sup> AUG

### BANK HOLIDAYS

MON 4<sup>TH</sup> MAY

