



# Christmas at Witheridge 2025

## KEY DATES



### Christingle - Monday 1<sup>st</sup> December

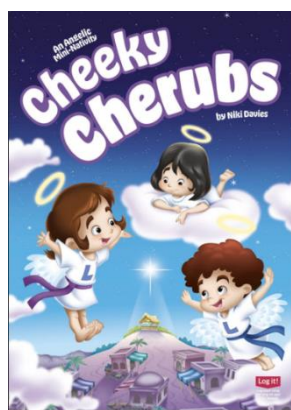
On **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> December**, we will be holding our Christingle Service, led by Adrian Wells. All the children will be making their own Christingle at school. We are not inviting Parents and Carers to this event.

### Elf Day - Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December** is Elf Day and we are inviting all children and staff to dress up as Elves. If you would like to make a small donation of £1 towards the Alzheimer's society, then you can do so via our JustGiving Page.



[https://www.justgiving.com/page/witheridge-academy-17?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=CL](https://www.justgiving.com/page/witheridge-academy-17?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL)



### FSU Nativity - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December

On **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December** children in the FSU will perform their Nativity 'Cheeky Cherubs' at **10am and 2:30pm**. If your nursery-aged child is not usually with us on a Friday, you will need to bring and collect them from school at the beginning and end of the performances - this enables us to ensure that all Reception and Nursery children will have the opportunity to take part. Tickets can be booked via the Google Form. Tickets will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

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## KS1 and KS2 Nativity - 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> December

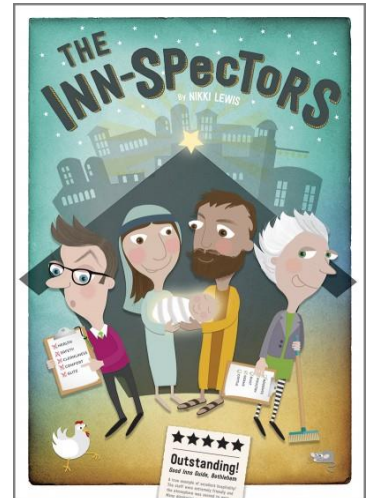
**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December - 2pm and 6pm**

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December - 10am and 4pm**

This year, our School Nativity is called 'The Inn-Spectors'.

All children in Years 1 - 6 will participate in this. We are able to offer 2 tickets to each family.

Please complete the Arbor permission slip to allow your child to take part in the evening nativity performances. Tickets can be requested via the Google Form. Tickets will be allocated on a first come, first serve basis.



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## Christmas Jumper Day - Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December



On **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December** we are inviting children to come to school dressed in a **named** Christmas jumper. If you would like to make a small donation to Save the Children, then you can do so via our JustGiving page. We have a selection of Christmas

Jumpers in school if anyone is struggling to buy one in a bigger size. If you would like to donate to our Christmas Jumper box you can drop donations off at the school office. All donations warmly welcomed.

[https://christmas.savethechildren.org.uk/fundraising/CJD250001809?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=dssb-EM&utm\\_content=MPC](https://christmas.savethechildren.org.uk/fundraising/CJD250001809?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=dssb-EM&utm_content=MPC)





### PTFA Panto - The Solar Express - Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December AM

The PTFA were given some money from the Cricket Club. They have decided to use this money to pay for a Panto at school for children in YR - Y6 to watch. Thank you to the Cricket Club and the PTFA for this special treat!



### Carol Singing in the village - Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December PM

The children in KS2 will be singing at some different locations around the village to spread some Christmas Cheer.

### Christmas Dinner - Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas dinner will take place on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December**. Christmas dinner costs £2.58 for KS2 children, and £2.00 for Nursery aged children. Christmas dinner is free for children in Reception, Key Stage 1 and children entitled to free school meals.



### Christmas Church Service - Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December

On **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 10:00**, all children from Reception up to Year 6 will attend a Christmas Service at the Church. **The children in Reception and Class 4 will participate in this service.** Parents and Carers are welcome to join us for the service





### Class Christmas Parties

The Nursery and Toddler Group Christmas Party will take place on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December in the School Hall. If your child does not usually attend our setting on a Friday, you are welcome to bring them at 9:00. You will need to stay with your child as we will be out of ratio.

Christmas Parties for Reception and Classes 1,2,3 and 4 will take place on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December, which is the last day of term.

Children are invited to bring in their best party gear to change in to. During the afternoon, the children will play party games, have a disco and hopefully see out 2025 in style! They will also get to have 'Bobbie's Brilliant Buffet Bonanza' at lunchtime!

Party food will cost £2.58 for KS2 children, and £2.00 for Nursery aged children. Party food is free for children in Reception, Key Stage 1 and children entitled to free school meals.

