

Christmas Holiday Programme Descriptions (December 17th – 21st, 2018)

<i>Early Years, Infants and Juniors (age 2 years 6 months – 8 years)</i>				
Teacher	Name of Course	Age	Description	Language Level (Beginner, Intermediate or Advanced)
Vicky Oswick	Sounds, Sounds Everywhere!	2yr 6m - 4 yrs. (Pre-Nursery – Nursery)	Throughout the week the children will take part in Phase 1 and Phase 2 phonic activities, developing their understanding of sounds within the environment, instrumental sounds and body percussion. We will make links to the sounds letters make and they will have a daily focus story on which their art activities will be based. Afternoons will support their gross motor development through movement-based action songs and a variety of physical activities.	Beginner/Intermediate
Ms. Caroline Stott	Santa's Workshop	3 - 5 yrs (Nursery and Reception)	A festive themed week where the children will be immersed in magical stories about Santa, elves, snowmen and reindeers as they develop key skills in communication and language, phonics and maths. This holiday programme will ignite children's passion for learning through a range of activities including drama, dance, art & craft, baking, scientific investigations, treasure hunts and a visit from Santa himself!	All Levels
Charlotte Murawski	Developing Phonics and Language Through Play	3yr 6m - 5 yrs. (Reception-Y1)	Develop your phonics and English Language skills further through play-based activities. This programme will cover Phase 2 and Phase 3 phonics and will have a positive impact on your child's English language capabilities. There will be opportunities to create a craft each day, linked to our story.	Beginner/Intermediate
Rani Grover	The Polar Express	5 - 9 yrs. (Y1 - Y5)	Board the train to the enchanted world of magic and fantasy and in this adventure, we can master English conversation skills, grammar, reading & writing, snowman making, role play & drama and news reporting. Hurry up, little elves! Get your ticket to the North Pole before it's too late!	Beginner/Intermediate

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James O'Connell	Mad Scientists	7 - 11 yrs. (Y3 - Y7)	Calling all crazy mad young scientists! Do you love thinking about the world around you? Do you like getting your hands dirty? Do you like inventing and building things... and TESTING them? Do you love Christmas? Then this course is for YOU! The crazy young scientists will have a hands-on science session each day with a Christmas twist to develop their scientific understanding.	Beginner/Intermediate
Terry Luna	Christmas is Coming!	6 - 11 yrs. (Y2 – Y6)	The Christmas English, music and arts camp is counting down to Christmas with fun and exciting activities! Write a Christmas short story with illustrations, make Christmas gifts for family and friends, bake Christmas cookies and create your own unique pieces of art as well as sing and play recorders and percussion to songs of the season. Ho, ho, ho...have a merry time!	All levels
Sapphira Beaudin	Public Speaking for Tomorrow's Leaders!	7 - 15 yrs. (Y3 - Y11)	Learn to be a confident public speaker in a fun and playful environment! Using proven methods from Toastmaster International's communication and leadership development, we will practice different speeches to be at ease in front of a crowd. If you are a nervous speaker or want to improve your presentation skills, this course is for you with 10 mini speech projects.	All levels
Karri Nicholson	Fairy tales - Learning Literacy through Textiles	8 - 12 yrs. (Y4 - Y8)	Combining creativity with literacy. Students will have a storytelling session, which will then lead onto developing their designing and making skills to produce a textiles product. They will create a framed wall hanging or fabric puppet, which will be based on their favourite story. The students will get to be in the new Design Technology Department, making the most of the new facilities. Choice of sports in the afternoon including swimming, badminton and games in the sports hall.	All levels