



Bearsden Primary School Countdown to Christmas 2025

Wed 26 Nov	BPS Christmas tree switch on
Friday 28 Nov	Dress down and donate day for Winter Fair raffle/hampers
Friday 28 Nov	Deadline for ordering Christmas lunch
Sat 29 Nov	Winter Fair, 2pm – 5pm All welcome!
Monday 1 Dec	EDC Christmas Concert - Royal Concert Hall (9 pupils from P7)
Thurs 4 Dec	Christmas Gift Appeal donation deadline
Friday 5 Dec	Christmas lunch (Wear something festive/colourful)
Wed 10 Dec	P4-7 Christmas Shows 1.30pm and 6.30pm
Thurs 11 Dec	P4-7 Christmas Show 6.30pm
Friday 12 Dec	P4 party
Mon 15 Dec	P1 party and P2 party
Tues 16 Dec	P3 party
Wed 17 Dec	P5 party and P6 party
Thurs 18 Dec	P7 party
Thurs 18 Dec	P6 to sing for residents in Antonine Care Home
Friday 19 Dec	Christmas Church Service 9.30am – All welcome!
Friday 19 Dec	School closes at 2.30pm Please note school finishes at 2.20pm for P1 – P3 and 2.30 pm for P4 – P7
Monday 5 Jan	Back to school

Christmas Show

P4 – P7 have been busy preparing for our musical performance of *Humbug Sees the Light*.

Allocation of Christmas Show Tickets

We will be using an online booking system again this year to ensure that every family has the opportunity to book tickets for their chosen performance. Tickets will go live on Tuesday 2nd December at 7pm. A link to the online site will be sent to you when the booking goes live. The link will be sent to the same email addresses we use for any correspondence from the school office so if you have updated your contact details recently or don't receive communication from the school office, please get in touch and we will update our contact information.

There will be a maximum of 2 tickets allocated per family, not per show. If after the initial sale, there are still tickets available families will have the opportunity to book these surplus tickets. Please work with us to only book 2 tickets at the online sale to ensure every family has a chance to see the show.

Performance Times

Wednesday 10th December, 1.30pm and 6.30 pm

Thursday 11th December, 6.30pm

EDC Christmas Concert 1 December

Nine children will represent our school at the EDC Christmas Concert in the Royal Concert Hall. They have been rehearsing during lunch breaks. We are very proud of Zach, Grace, Elizabeth, Esme, Abbie, Rebecca, Anna, Eilidh, Ruby and wish them the best of luck for the big night!

Christmas Parties

Please see dates above. All party food will be provided by the school, including food for children with special dietary requirements. Children are welcome to wear their party clothes to school or bring a change of clothes for the party.

Christmas Lunch 5 December

The Christmas lunch menu and allergen list has been shared. An electronic order form has been sent to all families. Please return this by Friday 28 Nov to give the catering team enough time to order provisions. There will be no sandwiches/snacks on offer on 5 December. Children who are not having the Christmas lunch will need to bring a packed lunch.

Children are welcome to wear something festive/Santa hats/boppers on Christmas lunch day.



Christmas Menu

Starter
Lentil soup

Main Course
Roast turkey, pigs in blankets, roast potatoes, carrots, parsnips, Brussels sprouts, stuffing and gravy.

Vegan Main Course
Vegan Quorn Chicken, roast potatoes, carrots, parsnips, Brussels sprouts, stuffing and gravy.

Halal Main Course
Halal chicken breast, roast potatoes, carrots, parsnips, Brussels sprouts, stuffing and gravy.

Gluten Free Main Course
Roast turkey, pigs in blankets, roast potatoes, carrots, parsnips, Brussels sprouts and gravy.

Dessert
Traditional sponge with custard
or
Gluten free sponge with custard
or
Vegan jelly

sustainable driving activities
East Dunbartonshire Council
www.eastdunbarton.gov.uk

Christmas Gift Appeal

We are working in partnership with East Dunbartonshire Social Work and Women's Aid to support children and young people living in poverty. Social Work advised that they are looking for soft toys, character themes toys from Disney and Marvel, action figures, board games and clothes/pyjamas. Women's Aid would be very grateful for gifts/vouchers for teenagers who are currently living in refuge/supported by Women's Aid in school. Please hand donations, which should be new and unwrapped, into the school office by **Thursday 4 December**. Any donations of gift bags or wrapping paper would be welcomed too. As always, we are very grateful for your kindness and support.

Christmas Church Service 19 December

Families are invited to join us in New Kilpatrick Church on Friday 19 December at 9.30am for our Christmas Service. This will be led by Rev. Wilson as normal however we have had to change venue due to the heating system at Bearsden South Church being fixed. Please contact the office if your child will be staying in school for religious observance reasons.

Children and adults are welcome to wear something festive/Santa hats/boppers for our Service and the last day of term.

