



As we reach the end of my first term at Haughton School, I wanted to take the opportunity to reflect on the year so far, and to say thank you for the warm welcome I have received.

The Festive season is well underway, the children have enjoyed lots of festive activities, discos, Christmas meals and even the chance to meet Father Christmas! The children and their staff have worked extremely hard on their Christmas performances and showcases, and we hope that you enjoyed them.

As you will have seen in the weekly newsletters, the children have also had a wonderful term prior to the festivities starting; lots of fun, engagement and learning has taken place this term, with many opportunities to develop and enhance their skills and understanding both inside and outside of the classroom.

Trips to Attingham Park, RAF Cosford, the Safari Park and Pantomimes, as well as visitors such as Mickey Bushell MBE, Science Explorer Dome and not forgetting the Shetland Ponies, have not only been widely enjoyed, but have enhanced the children's experiences and understanding of the topics they have been learning about. It's always such a joy to see the children have opportunities to explore and participate in new and exciting activities.

I have also had the opportunity to meet many of you in person, thank you to those of you who have attended class shared learning events, coffee mornings, Christmas performances and discos. I always enjoy speaking to parents and carers and working together to do our very best for your children.

Please remember if you have any concerns, need support, have any questions or feedback you would like to share, please make contact, we are here to help and work together with you.

So, as I reflect on the Autumn term, whilst it has been extremely busy, it has been a wonderful first term as Headteacher at Haughton school and I look forward to many more.

From myself and all the staff at Haughton school, we wish you a very Merry Christmas, we hope that the Christmas break brings you happiness, good health and cherished memories. We will see you in the New Year!

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