

Christmas Enrichment Lunch at The Lambert Arms Personal Development, Behaviour and Attitudes

Thanks to the generous support of our PTA, all pupils took part in a whole-school Christmas enrichment experience at The Lambert Arms, which provided a valuable opportunity to promote pupils' personal development, wellbeing and sense of belonging.

The visit was intentionally planned to create time and space for pupils to socialise, celebrate and enjoy shared experiences beyond the classroom. Such opportunities support pupils' emotional wellbeing and contribute positively to the inclusive and nurturing culture of the school.

Promoting Community, Wellbeing and Positive Relationships

On arrival, pupils eagerly took part in a range of inclusive party games, enabling children of different ages to play together and build positive relationships in a relaxed environment.

"I liked playing games with children from other classes."

The children then sat together as a whole school to enjoy a two-course Christmas meal, complete with festive crackers. The meal was served by volunteer parents, providing pupils with a strong sense of community and care.

Taking time to sit, talk and eat together helped pupils develop social skills, independence and appreciation for shared routines.

"It felt special sitting down together like a big family."

"The food was really tasty and I liked talking to my friends."

Supporting Emotional Wellbeing and Joy

A highlight of the day was a surprise visit from Santa, who gave a gift to every child. This moment generated excitement and joy, contributing positively to pupils' emotional wellbeing and creating shared memories that strengthened the school community.

"When Santa came in, everyone was smiling and excited."

"It made me feel really happy and excited for Christmas."

Following Santa's visit, pupils enjoyed further party games before the children were collected for home. Throughout the experience, pupils displayed excellent behaviour, kindness towards one another and a strong awareness of expectations beyond the classroom.

Personal Development and Ofsted Alignment

This enrichment activity strongly supports the Ofsted Personal Development judgement, particularly through:

- Promoting pupils' emotional wellbeing and happiness
- Developing social skills, confidence and positive relationships
- Providing opportunities for pupils to experience enjoyment, celebration and community
- Supporting pupils' understanding of belonging, generosity and shared experiences

The visit also contributed to pupils' readiness for the next stages of their education by encouraging cooperation, respect and positive attitudes in an unfamiliar setting.

Curriculum & Personal Development Impact Summary

Intent:

- To support pupils' wellbeing and emotional health
- To strengthen community, belonging and positive relationships

Implementation:

- Whole-school enrichment experience supported by PTA funding
- Structured opportunities for play, shared meals and celebration
- Adult role-modelling through community involvement

Impact:

- Pupils demonstrate happiness, confidence and positive social behaviour
- Strong sense of belonging and shared identity across the school
- Positive pupil voice reflecting enjoyment and emotional security

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