



## Principal's eNews

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Dear Parents,

As another fabulous term comes to an end, so many learning, performing, sporting, and fun events have created marvellous, memorable moments for everyone involved.

In the last few weeks of this term, children, parents, and staff from across the school have been involved in the rescheduled Halloween Disco, Anti-Bullying Week, Wall Squat Challenge, Joseph Production, Penang Sports Weekend, Y5-8 Swim Gala, Y3-8 House Football, the EY Christmas Concert, Year 4 Residential and Assembly, Years 6 Passion Projects, a Visiting Author, and all the fantastic Exit Points where children have demonstrated their learning.

### Santa's Visit

On the last day of term, Wednesday 18th December, we will welcome Santa to the school, and the children will spend time with their Buddy Class. Once Santa has arrived at 8.45 am, he will remain in the school entrance foyer, and the children will come down to greet him. Parents are welcome to participate in this event and photograph their child meeting Santa. Here is the schedule for the classes.

0915 - NJM/3RA	0925 - NCD/3HH	0935 - NEL/3SB	0945 - RJS/4SvD	0955 - RJG/4JB	1005 - RSG/4FB
1045 - 1SU/5HM	1055 - 1JD/5ML	1105 - 1PH/5JS	1115 - 2AK/6RS	1125 - 2SK/6CW	1135 - 2GH/6MT

Parents are also welcome to go to the classes at 11.45 am when the children are holding a party. If parents want a family or sibling picture with Santa, you can collect your children at 11.45 am and bring them to the entrance. At the end of the day, younger siblings will be collected by their older siblings as they leave.

<b>1230 - EY Pick Up</b>	<b>1240 - Y1 &amp; 2 Pick Up</b>	<b>1250 - Y3 &amp; 4 Pick Up</b>	<b>1300 - Y5/6/7 Pick up</b>
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Please note that it will be a **non-uniform day**, and we ask that the children wear red, green and/or white clothing.

### Federation of British International Schools in Asia (FOBISIA)

Here is the latest edition of *The FOBISIAN* eMagazine! This edition is packed with exciting updates and events that showcase the wonderful activities happening in the FOBISIA community. [The F.OBISIAN, Term 1, December 2024, Issue 46](#)

### 2025/26 Academic Term Dates and Calendar

Next year's term dates and annual calendar are on our website: [St. Christopher's International School | Academic Year Dates](#)

**TERM 1** Monday 25th August 2025 to Friday 12th December 2025

**TERM 2** Tuesday 6th January 2026 to Friday 3rd April 2026

**TERM 3** Tuesday 21st April 2026 to Friday 3rd July 2025

### T2 Key Dates

To help you stay informed about key school events, we have created [Key Dates T2 2024/25](#), which state when essential events will occur during the term. You can also visit the website for our [Parent Calendar](#).

Thank you all for your support throughout the term. I and the staff look forward to welcoming everyone back on Thursday, January 9, 2025.

Enjoy the end of term, the upcoming holiday and the start of 2025.

*Martin Touse*