

### SumDog

SumDog has arrived at Upwell Academy - This is an APP for years 2 to 6 covering math's and English and is to support work in school and at home. Skills will be set by teachers and then the children choose which games to practice the skills through. They earn coins and can use these to build and improve their online house and garden. Year 5 have been trialing it for us and have loved it - Completing just under 16,000 questions in a week. The children will be introduced to SumDog before Christmas and login details will come home shortly.



### Christmas Cards

Children can send Christmas cards however, they can only send them to their own year group. Cards must be in school by Friday 11th December and will be held in school for 72 hours. Cards will then be distributed on the 15th December and are to be opened at home.

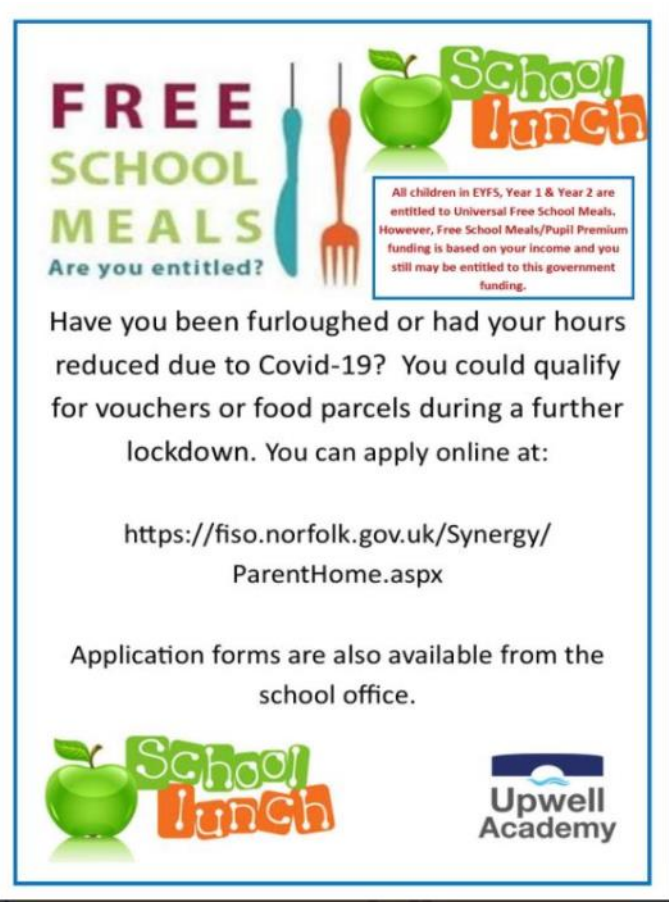



**FOSA**

£1 suggested donation!

**Christmas Non Uniform Day!**  
**Wednesday 16th December**  
 Children are invited to dress as their favourite pantomime character or a christmas themed outfit to raise money for the school!

FREE VIDEO CREATED ON POSTERMYWALL.COM



**FREE SCHOOL MEALS**

Are you entitled?

Have you been furloughed or had your hours reduced due to Covid-19? You could qualify for vouchers or food parcels during a further lockdown. You can apply online at:

<https://fiso.norfolk.gov.uk/Synergy/ParentHome.aspx>

Application forms are also available from the school office.

**School Lunch**

**Upwell Academy**

All children in EYFS, Year 1 & Year 2 are entitled to Universal Free School Meals. However, Free School Meals/Pupil Premium funding is based on your income and you still may be entitled to this government funding.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

### December

14th—Christingle Service (virtual)

15th—Christmas jumpers and tops can we worn to school

15th—Christmas Lunch

16th—FOSA Christmas Non-Uniform Day

(children are invited to dress as their favourite panto character or Christmas themed outfit. Suggested donation £1)

17th & 18th—Christmas jumpers and tops can be worn to school

18th—Last day of term—Children can be collected from 2pm however, staff will be on site until the end of the school day

### January

4th—Staff Training (school closed to pupils)

5th—Children Back to school (Tuesday)

14th & 15th—Year 5 Bikeability

### Principal's Special Award:

Awarded to: Amber—Year R

For a having a superstar week!



### Deputy Principal's Special Award:

Awarded to: Brandi—Year 4

For her selfless attitude towards others in Guided Reading



### Pen Licenses Awarded to:

Year 5: Alexa & Jess



### Star of the Week

Year R: Frankie

Year 1: George

Year 2: Violet

Year 3: Lacey-May

Year 4: Jasmine

Year 5: Libby & Poppy

Year 6: Milana



### Reading Rock Star

Year R: Henry & Philip

Year 1: Jessica

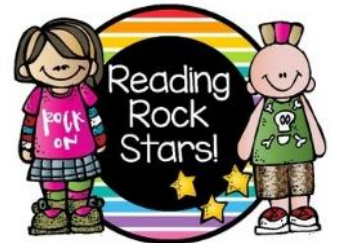
Year 2: Freddie & Oliver

Year 3: Harley

Year 4: Willow

Year 5: Marley

Year 6: Erin



### Dojo Points Award

Year R: Freddie

Year 1: Leo

Year 2: Amelia

Year 3: Juliet

Year 4: Ben

Year 5: Ellise

Year 6: Brook



### Marvellous Math's Winner

Year R: Summer

Year 1: Harley-James

Year 2: Jayden

Year 3: Jake

Year 4: Harry O

Year 5: Louie

Year 6: Bailey



Sport Personality of the Week: Isaac —Year 6  
For his enthusiasm for our PE Wheel

