

ST MARGARET'S CEVAP SCHOOL

Autumn Newsletter 4



A Musical School

Mrs Gower and the children have been busy with a wide range of musical activities in recent weeks. The choir are preparing to visit various residential homes to sing some festive songs to those who live there.

On 16th November they performed on the Cornhill before the Christmas lights were turned on in the town centre. They had the amazing opportunity to sing with opera star Christina Johnston and pupils in Year 6 impressed us by playing the bells.



The choir are singing at the annual Primary School Concert at Ipswich Minster on 5th December. They are also participating in a national competition and hope to make it through to the final rounds. All the best!

Starting School in Sept 2026

If you have a child who should join the Reception classes in September 2026, you must apply for a place by

15th January 2026

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Dates

Tuesday 2nd December 10am / 2pm

Christmas Sparkle

EYFS & Year 1 parents invited

Friday 5th December 2.30pm – 4.00pm

Christmas Bazaar

Wednesday 10th December 10am

Year 2 Nativity Parents invited

Thursday 18th December 2pm - 3pm

Key Stage 2 Carol Service Parents invited

Please note that this is a change of date

Friday 19th December 2025

Last day of term

Monday 5th January 2026

School is closed for staff training

Tuesday 6th January 2026

Children return to school

Remembrance Day

The children in Year 6 took part in a special Remembrance service at Ipswich Cemetery.

Mr Gates led a Remembrance themed assembly and the children participated in two minutes silence on 11th November.

Thank you to everyone who bought a poppy at school to support the Royal British Legion.



Sports Update

On 21st October some of our Year 6 boys took part in a football tournament. We won 3, drew 2 and lost 1. Well done boys!



On 4th November the whole school had a visit from Sophie who provided us with a dance workshop where all year groups learnt a routine to a song. Sophie commented on how we were "the best school she's been into" so well done all for our marvellous manners and respectful attitude.

Christmas Parties

Reception, Years 1 and 2

The younger children in school will be having their Christmas party during the afternoon on **Wednesday 17th December.**

The children can come to school on this day wearing party clothes. No uniform needed.

Please make sure their clothing is warm enough to wear outside with appropriate, waterproof footwear. Thank you

Years 3 to 6

The older children will also have their Christmas parties during the afternoon on

Wednesday 17th December.

Further information to follow.



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