

Newsletter 14 – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2014



## 100 days...

We opened **100 days ago** today and I'm sure you'll agree that our first term has been a great one.

I'm sure you'll join me in thanking our **wonderful teachers and support staff for their hard work and their passion**. They have all brought so much energy to the school and have enabled us to create a wonderful institution.

Thank you to parents, carers, and friends for **your tremendous support** over the past 14 weeks. We have developed an amazing, and extremely forward-thinking, community built on our core values of **EXCELLENCE, RESPECT, COLLABORATION, RESPONSIBILITY, and CREATIVITY**.

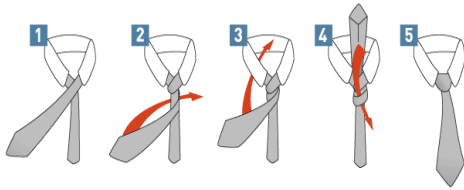
Have a restful and peaceful Christmas and may 2015 bring all of us joy and success.

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Dr Sebastien Chapleau, Headteacher

ATTENDANCE	MARIE CURIE	YANNICK NOAH	ANTOINE DE SAINT- EXUPÉRY	GEORGE SAND	TOTAL
LAST WEEK	96.7%	92.9%	91.6%	97.6%	94.4%
SINCE SEPTEMBER	97.5%	97.5%	97.6%	98%	97.65%



### Christmas Holiday Challenge

Some children in Year 1 and Year 2 are still finding it difficult to tie their own ties. We would like parents to help with this and ensure that, during the Christmas break, you help them practise.



### Spelling Competition

In January, we will be holding a Spelling Competition for Year 1 and Year 2, initially focusing on key words (words which children need to know by the end of Year 2). Please, help them practise over the Christmas holiday.

A list of key words is available on our school website: [www.lafontaineacademy.org/home-prep](http://www.lafontaineacademy.org/home-prep).



### INSET DAY

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January will be an INSET Day (training day for teachers). Children will come back to school on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January, at 08:25. Le Petit Déjeuner des Champions (Breakfast Club) will start at 07:30, as usual.



Photographs from our Nativity productions are available on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/lafontaineacademy](http://www.facebook.com/lafontaineacademy)