Ms J Duncan BA (Hons) Head Teacher



Dear Parents/Carers,

As we approach the end of 2020, we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support during some incredibly challenging times for us all.

At Discovery, we have a very dedicated and hard-working staff and we know you will want to thank them as we approach the festive season. Over recent years it has become more common to purchase gifts for teachers and teaching assistants, which although incredibly kind - is not expected.

Staff at Discovery love their job and your children make it all worthwhile. Buying gifts can become very expensive and all the staff at Discovery would rather your funds were spent on your children and family so that your festive period is as special as possible, particularly this year given everything that has happened.

Without a doubt, the nicest gift a member of staff can receive is a handmade picture or card. What a lovely lesson for the children to learn; a 'thank you' is free but warms the heart.

This year, we also need to ask you not to send in cards for children in the academy. This is because we would have to ensure isolation periods and we can't ask children and staff to handle multiple cards. What we will do instead, is ask all children to make a card for someone else in their class, so that everybody receives a card this year.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish you and your families well over this festive season and hope that you all keep safe and healthy.

Best wishes

Jennifer Duncan

Headteacher



