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Dear Parents and Carers,

### **Big Norfolk Festive Holiday Fun Programme**

#### **What is it?**

The Big Norfolk Festive Holiday Fun activity programme provides holiday activities for children and young people aged 5-16 (or 4 if your child is slightly younger but in school) in Norfolk. There are loads of providers signed up to the programme, and something for everyone to enjoy. This could be music, sports and leisure or arts and crafts. It could also include cultural and drama sessions.

The majority of sessions take place between 20 – 23 December across the county, with a few taking place the following week. Norfolk County Council have a specific website for this programme which can be accessed [here](#) and have also created a [brochure](#) which provides details of all the activities running through the Christmas holidays across the whole of Norfolk.

Broadland District Council have also created a separate [brochure](#) specifically related to the Tots2Teens Holiday Activities running in Broadland over the Christmas break this year. This runs alongside the Big Norfolk Festive Holiday Fun Programme and includes a Christmas Cookery Class, Festive Decoration Making, Painting their GoGoDiscover T-Rex and a 4 day course making and filming robots called Robots Takeover.

A specific [leaflet](#) outlining the 4 day robot course which will be run in partnership with Laboratory Media Education has also been created to give you more information. These sessions are appropriate for those children who might struggle in other classes or workshop situations because they have needs that require a calmer setting and a slower paced session. There will be 3 adults to a maximum of 12 children.

All children may take part in Big Norfolk Festive Holiday Fun activities. Some activities are reserved for those with a code (please contact school if you require this), whilst others have a mix of paid spaces and free spaces. The free spaces are reserved for children who are eligible for means-tested free school meals. Children who do not receive means-tested free school meals can still sign up to many exciting activities for a small fee. You can find out whether your child is eligible for a free spot by going to the [FAQ section](#) of the Norfolk website.

Families can book the specific Broadland activities by calling them on 01603 430525 or visiting their website: <https://www.southnorfolkandbroadland.gov.uk/communities/tots-2-teens> If you would like your child to access activities outside of Broadland please follow the booking link [here](#). You will need to make sure you have looked at the activities in the brochure so you can search for the correct provider.

If you require any help, please contact the school office.

Kind regards

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