

This is our schools newsletter Jedynka na 6. We're creating it for the second year, so we're still learning. The following edition is a special one. It was developed especially for you, our Turkish and Slovakian friends. The idea was to present all of you our school as well as traditions of forthcoming Christmas.

Recently, the new, modern and

multifunctional school court was created. We hope that presented photos are a good evidence of the unique atmosphere that remains within the walls of our school !

The first trails of our school in Gniewkowo reach the year 1578. The main and unique building was raised in 1894. Those times were



awfully difficult for Polish teenagers. They were forced to fight for their freedom and Polish identity. In 1992, a new school building with many classrooms was opened for students. The next important date in the history of our school was opening a new, fully sized sport gym in 1994. The school is still developing.



**MERRY**

**CHRISTMAS  
and HAPPY**

**NEW YEAR**



# Merry Christmas

We would like to present you Polish Christmas traditions. Christmas time is special for many Poles. People are more kind and happy than usual during that period.

Christmas in Poland begins a day before Christ was born ( on 24th

December )  
Christmas Eve,  
also called  
Gwiazdka in

Poland. The fast  
is a tradition  
during that day  
( we dont eat  
meat ). The  
most important  
part of that day  
is a supper,  
which can begin  
after the first



star lights the sky, as a  
symbol of the star that led  
Three Kings to the  
Bethlehems Stable. In the  
Christmas Eve people give

each other gifts.  
Santa Claus, also  
known in some parts  
of Poland as  
Gwiazdor, comes with



He put presents  
under the Christmas

tree  
previously decorated  
by entire family.  
People sing carols. Its  
a marvellous day!  
We are wondering  
what are the most  
important holidays in  
Turkey and Slovakia  
and how you spend  
them?

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