

Dear Parents/Carers,

There is a magical feel across the school with Christmassy looking classrooms filled with your lovely homemade decorations. This week the children have been busy making a community woodwork Christmas tree, along with other festive activities and it has been lovely to hear Christmas singing floating through the school. The team here are working so hard to make sure our children have a magical Christmas offering all of our usual traditions such as singing, making gifts and cards, cooking and Christmas parties. May I take this opportunity to thank you all for your support through this term and wish you all a very, happy and peaceful Christmas.

Mrs Helen Ackerman Headteacher



Thank you!

A huge thank you for sending in your sponsor money for Nursery Rhyme week.

We raised an amazing £1613.50!

This is such a wonderful amount and we will be able to purchase lots of books and story related resources for our new library. Please thank your families and friends who supported us with this!



Christmas Celebrations

Donkeys!

As the children have been learning the story of The first Christmas, we are very excited to announce that two donkeys will be visiting nursery on Wednesday 16th December. We are sure this will be a lovely first hand learning experience for all.

Christmas Cards

Children will be able to send Christmas cards as usual. We are asking that cards are sent in by Friday 11th. Then they can be 'quarantined' and shared out on Tuesday 15th. We will have our post box up in the foyer, so keyworkers can take the children to post their cards. Keyworkers will share a class list with parents.

Christmas Songs

As we can't invite parents in for our usual Christmas celebrations, we will be sharing videos of a Christmas song performance by each group. The children are busy learning both nativity songs and Christmas songs and we are looking forward to sharing this with you.

Christmas Tree

B and Q kindly donated a real Christmas tree to the nursery, this has gone up in our log cabin where all the children can see it. All the classrooms have also been decorated and we have lots of exciting Christmas activities planned for the rest of the term.





IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Christmas Jumper day—Friday 11th December—wear something festive!
Donations to Save the Children.

Last day for posting Christmas cards—Friday 11th December

Donkey visits—Wednesday 16th December

Christmas Parties

Please note that for the last two days of term, there will be reduced sessions. This is so all groups can have a party and a visit from Santa (socially distanced of course)!

Sunshine Room

Yellow and Blue am and Enrichment group —Thursday 17th from 9.15 am to 11.15am
Silver, Blue and Yellow pm—Thursday 17th from 1pm—3pm. (Thursday is the last session for these groups).

Silver and Red am—Friday 18th from 9.15am to 11.15am (please note no session on Thursday for Silver and Red am).

Rainbow Room

Green and Orange—Friday 18th from 9am—11am (Session finishes at 11am).

Skylight Room—Party will happen during morning session time on Friday 18th (Session finishes at 12 noon).

Treetops

Morning session—Thursday 17th from 9.30am—11 am
Afternoon session—Thursday 17th from 1.30pm—3pm.
(Thursday is the last day for Treetops)

We are suggesting a £2 contribution per child to help towards party costs which will include food, table decorations, crackers and a gift from Santa.

January 2021

INSET day— Monday 4th January—**School is closed**

Visits for new starters—Tuesday 5th January—**School is closed**

Term starts—Wednesday 6th January

