



## Reception Weekly Newsletter

14.12.18

Thank you to everyone who was able to make it to Stay and Play this week. It was lovely to see the children working with you to complete different activities. The wooden weaved Christmas decorations were a bit 'hit', and the hammers were used safely! There will be two more Stay and Play sessions next half term if you were unable to come to these ones. Also, thank you for your donations to 'Save the Children' for Christmas jumper day.

It is crazy to think that we are going into or last week of the Autumn Term! Thinking back to that first day in September, it is lovely to see how much progress the children have made already in their friendships, learning and self-confidence.

Next week we will be finishing off all the activities that have been ongoing this week. We will be making final preparations for our Christmas play too. The performances are on WEDNESDAY at 9.30 and 2.15. Please use the side hall door to enter the hall. Due to safeguarding procedures, you are not allowed to take photographs of the performances. You will be able to take photographs of your child in their costume after the performance. Thank you for your support with this. Your child has been provided with a costume, unless you have been asked to send an item of clothing in. The children have worked really hard to prepare for the big day, and we hope that you enjoy the show!

On Thursday afternoon we will be having our Reception Christmas party. Please send in a little party snack for your child to have during the afternoon (they will have had their lunch). We will provide drinks. Please note, we have a child in Reception who is allergic to nuts, so we ask that no nuts are sent in as a snack. Thank you. The children can also bring some NAMED party clothes in a bag for the party. We will get them changed after lunch. Hopefully there will be a special visitor coming to see us!

The pink lost property bucket is getting very full! Please have a look through it when you come into class if you know your child is missing an item of clothing. Thank you.

### Diary Dates

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

9.30 + 2.15 Christmas Play

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas Party

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December

Break up for Christmas

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January

Return to school

Have a lovely weekend. Mrs Houghton, Miss Horner and the Reception team.

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