Peek at the Week



The Christmas Nativity

The children started this week by performing a Hanukkah song in whole school assembly. They sang so well and it was a great opportunity, ahead of their nativity, to perform in front of an audience.

We have been reading the story of the Nativity. We have read it from more than one book because we learned that the story is so old that we are not sure who the original author is but lots of people have written versions that we can read. It also put the children's own Nativity Performance into context- they even started singing the songs from their Nativity while we were reading the story.

In Maths we have been revising our knowledge of how to make numbers 1-5

On Friday both classes went to Forest School to roast marshmallows and play hoop games.

This week both classes have been visited by cute little elves called Pip and Pop. Each morning they have been caught doing something around the classroom. The children write to the elves to suggest activities they might like to do. We have been decorating Christmas trees and dressing up in Christmassy outfits.





Please Read Every Night

Please remember to read every night to receive **2 stickers** a week. One sticker is for reading every day and the second sticker is for bringing their book and Reading Record into school. Children who read a little bit every day make the most progress.



Our Christmas Nativity

The children are doing so well in our rehearsals. We have a dress rehearsal on Monday so please bring any missing costumes in as soon as possible.

Please keep practising those lines!



Dip and Do

Please continue to revise the phonics sheets and do let us know if you have any missing. If you are not sure, please ask you teacher. There should be 10 sheets so far.

Independence

Can you please help your child to do their coat up independently. Some children can, and sometimes they help each other, but it is a skill we would like to work on, especially considering just how cold it is at the moment.



Important Dates

Christmas Dinner Day: Wednesday 13th December - On this day, the children may wear Christmas jumpers and Christmas hats, that they can make at home.

Nursery and Reception Nativity: Thursday 14th December at 9.30am and Friday 15th December at 2pm

Last Day of Term: Thursday 21st December. The children

finish at 1:30pm

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Please share these photographs with your children and encourage them to tell you what they have learnt this week.

The children singing One Little Candle in Assembly.



What do you want Pip and Pop to do tomorrow?







Mary and Joseph going to Bethlehem. Mary is riding on a donkey.

Working out that 6 blocks is taller than he is.

King Herod practising his lines. He is doing a great job of looking mean





A joint effort Christmas pudding!



Decorating the christmas tree

