

Friday 6th December 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

We have had a busy week preparing for the nativity play and starting our Christmas arts and crafts. We have introduced a Christmas post box in nursery and Christmas cards for the children to make or write to each other.

Our story this week was The Twinkly Nativity and our word of the week was **Christmas.**

Next week our story of the week is Big Bear Little Bear, which is the story of a little bear who wants to be big like his mum so he can do more things. Our word of the week is grow and in our maths we will be thinking about time:- days, weeks and months. Our rhyme of the week is When Santa Got Stuck Up the Chimney.

When Santa Got Stuck Up the Chimney

When Santa got stuck the chimney he began to shout

"You girls and boys won't get any toys

If you don't pull me out

My beard is black

There's soot in my sack

My nose is tickling too!"

When Santa got stuck up the chimney

A-choo, a-choo, a-choo!

Details of the story and the rhyme, can be found on Google classroom.

Changes to hot dinners.

Please note that there is a change to the menu next week. Roast dinner day will be on Tuesday 10th December. Tuesday's planned menu is being swapped to Wednesday 11th December.

Christmas Dinner day is Wednesday 18th December - please see the separate letter to pre-order your Christmas dinner.

Finally, there are no hot dinners on Thursday 19th December as it is school Christmas party day. All children staying for lunch will need a packed lunch box.

Christmas Party

Rather than having one Christmas party, we will be having a party style snack in the morning and afternoon on Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th December. We will also be playing party games throughout the day. We will be asking for

donations of party food - a list of items and a signing up list will be available from Monday.

Hat Parade -Thursday 19th December

A long standing Tenbury Primary School tradition is the Christmas Hat Parade. Parents are asked to make a Christmas Themed Hat with their child. Please make sure that it is something they can safely wear. All the children in the school parade around the hall (9.15am) whilst parents watch. A winning hat is then chosen from each class. We will be taking all children who attend nursery on a Thursday morning to the hall to show off their hats. If your child does not attend nursery on a Thursday morning, you are welcome to join us in the hall to show off your creations, but you will be responsible for your child throughout the event. Please let us know if you plan to attend the parade. Alternatively, you can bring in your Christmas hat to show at any point during the last week of term.

Christmas Hamper Raffle

On Monday 16th December School are holding a Christmas Jumper / non uniform day in return for a donation of an item for the hamper. Nursery are collecting red items for their hamper. The items can be anything in red - cranberry sauce, mince pies, chocolates.....etc) As our children attend at different times on different day we will be collecting donations for our red hamper at any time from the 8th December. Raffle tickets will also be available. Thank you.

Regards

Mrs Price and the Nursery Team

Key Dates

Nursery Nativity Wednesday 11th December 11am

Term ends: Friday 20th December 2024

SPRING TERM 2025- **Teacher Training Day** Monday 6th January