



Friday 13th December



The EYFS elf 'Sprinkles' is continuing to make mischief in our classroom, hiding in various places for the children to find. He has also brought us lots of important messages such as making sure we wash our hands, eat all our dinner and tidy up our classroom!

Thanks so much for watching our Christmas singalong and Nativity- the staff and children have worked so hard and we are all very proud!

We also had a magical Winter Wonderland day where the children enjoyed fairground rides, ice skating, birds of prey, a visit from Father Christmas and his reindeer and ice creams- the children also enjoyed their Christmas dinner with the staff! Please see Dojo for pictures from the busy and exciting day!

In-between rehearsals, performances and Wonderland the children have been busy reading Christmas stories, making crafts and learning from festive themed maths games. We are so proud of how the children have adapted to such a fun and busy time!

Notice Board/Dates for your Diary

TOPIC – Senses. We have been sharing Christmas books this week.

Dates for Diaries

Monday 16th December: EYFS party day- children can wear party clothes.

Friday 20th December: School closes for the Christmas holidays at 2pm.

Parent first aid courses in January- please book and pay for via school spider if you would like to attend these heavily discounted courses.

Fabulous fundraising. This half term there have been lots of fundraising activities and we are so grateful for all your donations:

£80.16 from the sale of merchandise for the Royal British Legion in memory of Armistice Day.

£660.48 from sponsorship money raised for Children in Need.

We are still collecting sponsorship money in for our Reading challenge. – unfortunately we only had 1 entry for our extreme reading competition!!

At Home

Practise Gross motor skills, e.g. using the climbing frame at a local park or riding on a bike or scooter, holding chalk or pens to draw on the ground/large paper.

Reception – homework: Number recognition and formation practice.

Can you and your child explore numbers in the environment: on a bus, on a door, on a phone etc.

Can you mark make number 6, our number of the week?

General Reminders

- As the weather is becoming chilly please ensure all hats, gloves and scarves are clearly labelled.
- Please talk to your child about 'respectful' behaviour towards school resources (we have lots of things broken).