

Curriculum update

20.12.19

What a busy term!

We have had a fantastic time celebrating Christmas over the past few weeks. A big thank you to everyone for supporting our last week in school by contributing to the Nativity costumes as well as providing food for the Christmas Party.

We started our week sharing our Nativity with our older friends at Dulas Court. They thoroughly enjoyed seeing the children dressed up in their costumes and enjoyed singing along with some of Christmas songs too. It was lovely to take some Christmas magic and share it with them!

Thank you to everyone who was able to make our Christmas Nativity performance in the Church. The children absolutely blew me away with their confidence, performing and singing in front of so many people. If you still have, your costume if you could please pop it back into school as soon as possible that would be really helpful.

PE kits have been sent home, as always if something has come home that doesn't belong to your child please return it as soon as possible so we can return it to the right child. The children have been making crafts and cards over the past week which we will also be sending home today.

Reading books

Everyone will have two reading books for the Christmas holidays. We understand that Christmas is an extremely busy time therefore will not be sending any extra challenges as the children are exhausted and we just want them to enjoy the break. If they have read their reading books, keep reading any other stories from home and encourage them to use their phonics where possible. However, we look forward to hearing about any adventures when we return in January.

Year 6 reading partners

All of the children have been sharing stories with their Year 6 reading partner since the beginning of the school year. They have built lovely relationships and have enjoyed meeting up with them regularly. Year 6 have been working hard to write individual stories for their reading partners which they will receive today. These have been planned, illustrated and written by Year 6 and they have enjoyed creating their story for their reading partner and will be giving them their special Christmas gift.

Spring term

We have begun to think about what the children want to learn about next term. The children had lots of ideas and we are aiming to answer as many questions as possible. Our theme for the spring term will be... How on Earth? The children had questions about how the world was made, what it is made from, where the sea comes from, how people get to space, how many planets there are, who lives on the planets and lots more. We are hoping to answer as many questions as we can through curriculum visits, visitors coming into school and our own investigations in the classroom. We will keep you updated throughout the term.

I have just uploaded some more photos onto the website from our adventures this term too!

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 7th January 2020 - Return to school

Myself and Mrs White would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and thank you for your continued support.