

F1 Weekly News



8.12.25

Drawing Club/Literacy – We will enjoy the story of Santa’s Aussie Holiday this week. We will look at where Santa chooses to go on holiday and the different experiences he has. We will use this to create our own ideas for Drawing Club.

Phonics – we will continue to review the sounds we have learnt and how we can apply them to reading and writing. We are encouraging the children to see themselves as ‘Readers’ and ‘Writers’ and celebrate any time that they show these skills.

Group reading – this will be the last week of reading with the children. We will do our best to ensure they all have reading books for the holidays.

Maths – this week we will be exploring shapes. We will look at circles, triangles, squares and rectangles, exploring what makes them these shapes and how they can look different. We will look at the properties of the shapes and there will be lots of sorting, printing with the shapes, making pictures with them and looking for them in our environment. Have a look around your house and see what shapes you can find!

Topic – we will be thinking about the Nativity Story in more detail this week. We will find out more about the story behind Jesus’ birth and its importance in the Christian faith.

We will also explore how Christmas is celebrated in other countries – do they have the same traditions?

We will be getting crafty and having some fun with some Christmas art this week.

Christmas Cards – we will have a box for your children to post Christmas cards into if they would like to. We will then hand them out to them during the week.

Nativity – We are looking forward to performing A Wiggly Nativity to you all on Tuesday 9th December at 2pm in the church. The children will be getting dressed into their costumes in the church, please **do not** come and gather or look through the windows of the room as the children are changing. Once the performance has finished there will be opportunities for the obligatory nativity photos and then the children will change back into their school uniforms. Once the children are ready and we have sent them to you, you will be able to take them home from the church.

Tuesday 9th December – F1/F2 Nativity performance ‘A Wiggly Nativity’ 2pm in the church.

Tuesday 16th December – Whole school Carol Service 10am in the church

Wednesday 17th December – Christmas dinner!! YUM YUM

Thursday 18th December – F1/F2 Christmas Party day – children to come to school in party clothes. We will put a sign up sheet for donations towards party food.

Friday 19th December – Dance for Mental Elf – whole school non-uniform with trainers to dance in!

Friday 19th December – School finishes at 2pm.

Thank you.

Jesus Christ Is Born

Nativity Rhyme

(Sung to the tune of: 'Farmer in the Den')

Jesus Christ is born, Jesus Christ is born,

(Fold arms as if rocking a baby)

A star shines in Bethlehem,

(Make diamond shape over head with fingers)

Jesus Christ is born.

(Fold arm as if rocking a baby)

The angels sing praise to God, the angels sing praise to God,

(Move arms like angel's wings)

A star shines in Bethlehem,

(Make diamond shape over head with fingers)

The angels sing praise to God.

(Move arms like angel's wings)

More verses

The Shepherds go to see...

(Shade eyes with hand as you move your head from side to side)

The wise men travel far...

(March your feet)

