

Foundation Home Learning



Montpelier
Primary School
*Learning Together
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2nd – 6th December 2019



MERRY CHRISTMAS

At last we are in December and our Christmas celebrations can begin. The children have had a fantastic Christmassy week, starting our 'Giving Advent Calendar' and especially our trip to the theatre. The children were absolutely amazing and showed fantastic behaviour. The Elves and the Shoe Maker performance was a lot of fun and watching the childrens' faces and hearing their laughter was brilliant.

We have loved reading lots of traditional tales and Christmas stories this week and writing Christmas lists. We have been using shape to make repeating patterns and enjoyed making shape wrapping paper plus cutting and sticking Christmas repeating patterns.

As well as reading many Christmas stories, in our Guided Read time this week we have been recording the children's progress by hearing them read 1:1, seeing which phonemes they have learnt and their application into reading CVC words and tricky words plus sentences. They really are making super progress!

Home Learning:

- Can you write a letter to Father Christmas, making a list of toys or gifts that you would like to receive. What sounds can you hear and form? Can you decorate it with glitter, pictures, and catalogue cut outs?

Dates until the end of term:

- Thursday 12th December - School closed for Polling Day
- Friday 13th December - Christmas **mufti** and Christmas lunch for children
- Friday 13th December - School Christmas Fair 3.15pm
- Monday 16th December - Carols Around the Tree 6.30pm KS2 hall
- Monday 16th December - Foundation Christmas Party. This will be in the school day and children will still be in uniform. We would gratefully receive any donations of shop bought party food. Unfortunately we cannot accept homemade food due to allergies - thank you very much for this
- Tuesday 17th December - Foundation Christmas Song-a-long 2pm. Families and friends welcome to join us for our singalong. You do not need to apply for tickets, just turn up on the day. We would request no more than two adults per child due to health and safety regulations. Please can **Foundation children wear Christmas jumpers/hats/accessories on this day**
- Wednesday 18th December - Wishes Around the Tree 2pm. Foundation children can go home after this performance
- Thursday 19th December - Last day of school