



WYMONDHAM
COLLEGE
PREP SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER
4th December 2020



THE HEAD'S PREAMBLE

This week, pupil conversations throughout the school have been on Christmas and the start of advent, including the odd Christmas themed joke that made both the Chair of our Governing Body and I chuckle.

With such festivities in the air, it is lovely to think that this Monday the children will be performing and recording our first Reception nativity. They have done such a lovely job learning their lines and songs and we are looking forward to sharing it with you by the end of next week.

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

On Friday 11th December we will be taking part in Christmas Jumper Day, with all funds raised going to Save the Children to support them in their many works across the globe. We are inviting all children to wear their favourite Christmas jumper or accessory as a part of their School Uniform for a donation of £1.



CHRISTMAS CARDS

With regret, we have been advised that the exchanging of Christmas cards in school is not advised this year.

We are sorry that it is not possible to facilitate this and hope that we will be able to resume normal service very soon.



EARLY BIRDS & EXTENDED DAY

The booking system is now open for your extended care requirements from January until February half term 2021. If you have any questions regarding our Wisepay system please refer to our previous communication on this or speak to Mrs Raw in the School Office.





HAPPINESS

and Aspiration

This week's main areas of learning that the children will be focusing on are identified below.

Maths - we will be having a week of consolidation focusing on number but also money, repeating patterns and 2D shapes.

Literacy - we will be thinking about how to innovate our story maps. We will change the main character of our story and practice retelling our own versions.

Phonics - we will be having a consolidation week focusing on blending.

Discover - we will be performing our Nativity and creating some Christmas crafts including a salt dough Christmas tree decoration.

This week the children have been learning their song lyrics for their nativity. Each class has learnt a separate group of songs and these are:

We'd Like to Tell You a Story
Little Grey Donkey
Down in the Stable
Such a Perfect Moment
The Angels' Song
There's a Razzle and a Dazzle
Wonderful Camels
A Miracle in Town!

We are looking forward to sharing the link to the nativity recording with you later next week.





The Week Ahead

Week Commencing 7.12.20

2020 December Miss Horsfield's Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
07 Sports Kit Dance	08 School Uniform	09 School Uniform	10 School Uniform Trainers for Run & Relax	11 Christmas Jumper Day Sports Kit Games	12	13

2020 December Mrs Simpson's Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
07 Sports Kit Dance	08 Sports Kit Games	09 School Uniform	10 School Uniform Trainers for Get Up & Go	11 Christmas Jumper Day School Uniform	12	13

Houses

Each week we share with the children the latest house totals. They were super excited to hear how their house (family) was doing and how they can help them be successful.

All stars awarded are collated by the form tutor, totalled up and then fed into the House totals.

Below you will find the current standings.

