

Year 2 Autumn Round Up



Welcome to our second class Round Up! Christmas is upon us already – where did this term go? This half term, we have been focusing on Traditional Tales with a twist. The children have really enjoyed meeting all the characters and learning about their little quirks and exploring how the stories have been changed. The children really enjoyed the story of 'The Three Ninja Pigs' and how they tackled the big, bad wolf.

In Maths, we have continued our work on Addition and Subtraction and explored 2d and 3d shapes, their properties and sorting them. They children created some wonderful gingerbread houses using different 2d shapes!

Our PE lessons have focused on dance. We have explored the theme of Giants – creating movements and linking them to make sequences to music. The children have been learning about how toys have changed over time in History. Thank you for sharing your memories of your favourite toys! We loved sharing everyone's experiences.







Our RE topic this half term has related to the Christmas story and how good news is delivered in the Bible. We enjoyed a wonderful visit from BYSW and went on a Christmas Journey with them learning about God's world and the birth of Jesus. We have been finding out about how God sends his messengers, the Angels, who bring good news and retelling the Christmas story in our own words.

The children have also worked extremely hard to learn all the songs and their lines for our Christmas nativity 'The Gift that changed Everything'. We are very proud of them for all the effort they have put into making this time of year so special. They were 'outstanding' with their performances and we hope you enjoyed watching them SHINE!

Certificates this Week

Curriculum Award Certificate

Year 2 – For amazing singing and performing in our Christmas Nativity.

Christian Value/Diamond 9 Certificate

Xander - For amazing resilience and creativity in our Nativity rehearsals and performances.

Star Writer Award

Oliver - For an outstanding retell of Mary's journey to Bethlehem.

Diary Dates

Monday 15th December – KS2 Christmas Production Tuesday 16th December – KS2 Party (KS1 need a packed lunch) Wednesday 17th December – KS1 Christmas Party Friday 19th December – Close for Christmas @ 2pm

Monday 5th January – INSET day Tuesday 6th January - School reopens @ 8.45am

Have a happy and joyful Christmas and we look forward to carrying on our learning in the New Year! Best Wishes, Mrs Ramsay, Mrs Edwards and Mrs Salisbury.

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