



# Reception Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a very eventful half term with pupils practicing for the Christmas Production alongside continuing with their learning in class.

We feel very proud of the hard work and effort that our children put into their great performance!

It has been lovely seeing how much they have grown in confidence and hope you enjoyed watching your children perform.

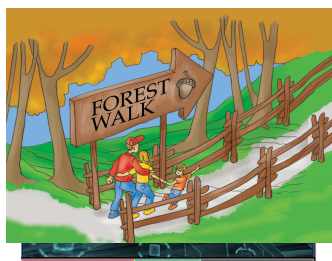


## Christmas Parties

Our children will be having their end of year parties to celebrate their achievements so far on Tuesday 19th December.

We would be grateful if you could sign up to send an item for the party.

We will be putting up a list of food items, on the classroom doors, for the children's Christmas parties.



Our children also enjoyed their educational visit to Aldenham Country Park. They enjoyed observing the nature that was all around them and some pupils used the leaves and twigs to build dens!

We would like to thank our parents for offering their support by helping to supervise children and keeping them safe. We would not have been able to arrange such wonderful learning experiences without the support of our parents.

Look out for the list on your child's classroom door.

Please note that your child would also need to bring in a small carton of juice. (No fizzy drinks please)



### Learning Focus: End of term activities:

#### Literacy:

Write their names; letter formation; reading; write about the Nativity story; discussing their Learning Journeys; writing a letter to Santa; writing a wish list; writing cards; using finger puppets to act out the Nativity story.

#### Maths:

Shapes – Shape pictures; 2D shapes; make 'stained glass' windows – talk about symmetry; match dots on the dice to the correct numeral; counting and ordering numbers.

### Dates for your diary:

#### **Christmas Jumper Day:**

**Wednesday 20th December 2018**

Please donate £1 on this day to help raise money for our school and the Save the Children charity.

#### **Class Christmas Parties:**

**Tuesday 19th December afternoon.** Children can come to school in party clothes.

#### **End of term:**

**Wednesday 20th December.**

School finishes at **2.15 pm.**

Non-uniform day .

### **Kenmore Park Infant & Nursery School**

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#### **The reception team**

© Butterfly Class — Miss. O'Grady, Mrs. Shea & Miss. Jo

© Glow Worm Class—Miss. White & Mrs. Karia

© Caterpillar Class—Mr. Christopher & Mrs. Kapadia.

© Ladybird Class—Mrs. Shah and Miss. Patel

Other support: Mrs. Hirtopanu, Mrs. Kisner, Mrs. Siddiqui, & Miss. Pennant—Phase Leader.

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#### **School re-opens:**

**Thursday 4th January 2018.**