

Early Years News Update 19/12/2017

Mrs Golding and I are so proud of how well all of the Early Years children have coped with the change in routine over the last few weeks. Here is a summary of the last few weeks of term!

The EYFS Christmas Disco!

All the children had a fantastic time at the disco. Thank you to the PTA who provided a gift for the children and helped with this event.



The Christmas Play

The children had a wonderful time performing in our Christmas play 'Sugar Plum'. It can take a lot of courage to get up on stage in front of so many people and perform, we were so proud of all the children. If you came to watch the play, I hope you enjoyed it. The children sang beautifully, remembered their dance routines and acted out the Christmas story brilliantly!





A visit from a baby

It was really lovely to see Olivia's new baby brother a few weeks ago. The children asked Olivia's Mummy lots of questions about baby Ethan. We have done some fantastic writing about all the things they can do now that they couldn't do as a baby.

Over the holidays

In your child's book bag you will receive a copy of some activities you might like to do with your child over the holidays. We have also included some of the green words your child has been learning to read at school and a list of the first 5 high frequency words. Please practise reading and writing these words with your child.

Next Term

The topic for next term is a secret! Your child will find out what it is going to be all about at the start of the first full week back in January.

Your child will receive a 'home learning journal' today and information about how this can be used is stuck on the inside of the front cover of this book.

Changes to reading books

Next term we will be keeping children's reading books and contact books overnight on a MONDAY, so that Mrs Golding and I are able to change their reading books after school. We will continue to



change your child's reading book on a Friday as well, but our TA's will do this during the school day.

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

From next term Early Years children will join KS1 for the Friday morning celebration assembly at 9:00am. Each week parents and carers are invited to join the assembly, this is done on a 3 week rotation. Please look out for assembly rota in the weekly newsletter. Early Years parents are invited to the first assembly on Friday 5th January. Normally parents and carers are invited to stay for tea and coffee after the assembly and are invited back into Early Years to look at their work, but for the first assembly we think this will be too much for our children.

We hope you all have a fantastic Christmas holiday,

The Early Years Team