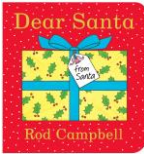


# Reception Class Newsletter



Our story of the week this week has been 'Dear Santa' by Rod Campbell. We have enjoyed reading the story and thinking of the things we would like to ask Santa for. We have read lots of Christmas themed stories this week and the children have been busy undertaking Christmas themed activities in provision and making things to bring home next week. Thank you again to Bess's Mum who came in on Thursday to share with us the story of Hanukkah and make us some delicious donuts. Much of this week has been taken up with our final rehearsals and subsequent performances of our nativity. Thank you if you were able to come. We were so proud of the children. It's no mean feat sitting on a small wooden chair for that length of time, not once, but 4 times this week. We loved their enthusiasm in their singing and dancing. Superstars in the making!



Despite our busy week, RWI has still taken place. We are very proud of the progress they have all made. They are doing brilliantly! Please keep going with reading and keyring words over the break if you can.

## Party Day – 19<sup>th</sup> December

Monday is our party day. During the morning, Gemma from Alsager Rhythm time will be back to give the children a Christmas Rhythm Time class. In the afternoon we will be playing traditional party games and enjoying a special snack. Usual dinner time arrangements will apply so your child will still have a school dinner or need to bring a packed lunch if they usually have one on that day.

## Elf Run

Thank you if you were able support this extremely worthwhile cause. We know not everyone can. The children enjoyed their run. It was a great way to start our day!

## Dates ahead:

19<sup>th</sup> December – EYFS Christmas party Day

21<sup>st</sup> December – Christmas Dinner

22<sup>nd</sup> December – last day

9<sup>th</sup> January – return to school



## Super stars



Congratulations to Elsie and Franio



## Mystery Readers

Thank you to Isobel and Betsy's Mums who kindly volunteered to be our mystery readers this week.

Have a wonderful weekend, Mrs Rogers, Miss Morrey, Mrs Thompson and Mrs Bebbington

