



Friday December 2nd 2022

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What an amazing start to our Festive Nativity celebrations with our Nativity Plays this morning.

Our Youngest EYFS students in Nursery and Reception started the day with an energetic performance of 'It's a Baby' which was performed in front of a packed Long Room.

Our Year 1 and 2 students followed with a fantastic performance of 'A Miracle in Town'. Well done to all our budding actors and singers who brought the

Thank you to our Parents for helping them to prepare and to our EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2 Staff also.

Our Junior Christmas Carol Service on Tuesday at St Mark's Church which promises to be a reverent evening for all.

Wishing you all a lovely, peaceful weekend.

Ms K Barry
Head teacher

A Prayer for Advent

O Lord, stir up Thy might, we beg Thee,
and come,

That by Thy protection we may deserve to
be rescued

from the threatening dangers of our sins
and saved by Thy deliverance.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen











Nursery

This week Nursery have been participating in a range of Christmas-themed activities and have been learning about Advent.

As a class, we discussed the meaning of each candle in the Advent wreath and what this represents in preparation for Christmas. The children completed a colouring activity and as an extension created a class Advent Wreath which is displayed on our Prayer Table.



Reception

In Literacy this week we have continued reading 'Room on the Broom' by Julia Donaldson. We worked on our pencil grip, letter formation and rhyming words to create some crafty cauldrons for a magnificent classroom display!

In Mathematics we have been measuring using non-standard units of length, and using vocabulary such as bigger, smaller, more, less, shorter, taller, longer.

Advent began on 27th November, and we have been reflecting with hymns and prayers; counting down the days with the addition of our classroom Advent Calendar!



Year 1



Year 1 have been researching hedgehogs over the last few weeks and created little fact books about what kind of animals they are, where they live, and what they do. Well Done Year 1!

Year 2



Year 2 have made their own Advent wreaths for this amazing classroom Advent display.

Year 3



Year 3 wrote their own Advent Poems and made colourful Advent Wreaths for our Long Room display.

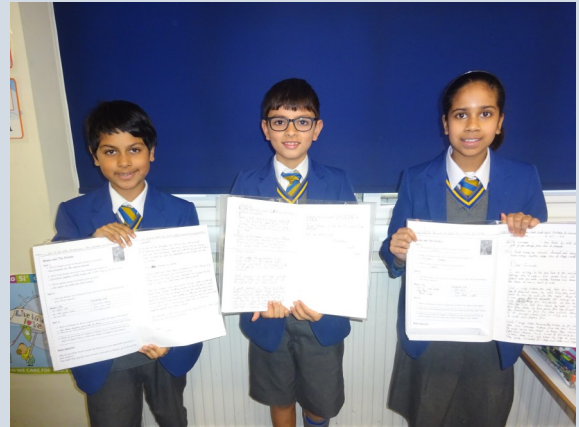
Year 4

This week Year 4 wrote advent prayers for our Prayer Tree. In RE, they studied the Annunciation and reflected upon Mary's unwavering trust and faith in God. They wrote inspirational blogs to share their love for Mary.



Year 5

Year 5 have been learning about the importance of forgiveness in RE and have written letters to their friend to ask for forgiveness



Year 6

To mark the start of Advent this week, Year 6 have made their own Advent bookmarks.



Stars of the week—Who enjoyed the 'Star Tea Party' today.

