



St Minver School

Head of School: Mrs J Rodwell

Monday 6th December 2021

This week we will use the photos that we took on our walk to the post box to draw maps of our journey. We have enjoyed sharing the photos of our houses and all this work will link to our upcoming topic after Christmas where we will learn more about where we live and compare it to other places.

Also this week we will be getting creative with our Christmas crafts, writing letters to Father Christmas and learning about night and day. We will be practising our Christmas Performance songs and trying on our costumes too. We will also be learning a dance to go with the poem 'Twas the Night Before Christmas' in our PE sessions.

Phonics will continue to be taught every day as we recap and revise what we have already learnt. I will also complete a little assessment 1:1 with each child so that we know exactly where any gaps may be. I will pop a note in their reading diaries to share this information with you.

Events coming up ... there is always so much going on at this time of year. I will do my best to remind you of things as they come along...

- **Secret Room:** donations for this is today and then we will set up The Secret Room for the children to purchase their gifts on **Friday 10th December**. Children will be able to buy a gift for each of their family members at £1 per gift. Please pop money into a named envelope and hand to us on Friday morning.
- **Costumes:** Class R are going to be animals in the Christmas Performance. We have costumes here but because we will be performing outside, I would like the children to have some warm clothes to wear underneath. Plain, dark leggings and long sleeve tops would be perfect. Please send these into school by **Thursday 9th December** in a named bag.
- **Movie Afternoon:** I would like to invite the children to stay at school a little later on **Monday 13th December** for a Christmas movie. We will be watching Santa Paws 2 and will have a drink and some popcorn. We will start our movie at 2.30pm so the children will finish school at 4pm on this day.
- Our Christmas performances will be on **Tuesday 14th December** and there will be two showings (1.30pm and 5pm). The children will finish school at normal time but will need to be back in school at **4.30pm** on this day so that we can get them in their costumes for the evening performance.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Mrs A Warren

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