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## Christmas Celebrations 2022!

As the festive season approaches, we wanted to make you aware of our plans for this year's celebrations.

After asking for feedback, we have decided that last year's way of running our Christmas Fayre during the school day was such a success, we would like to do the same again this year. Therefore, we will be having a **'Christmas Extravaganza Day'** on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December.

During this day, children will be able to attend a range of stalls that will be set up on the school site. There will be tombola stalls of different types, a range of festive games stalls and some craft/tasty treat stalls. All children will be allowed to attend and be able to have a go on 3 of the games stalls of their own choice free of charge. If children want to have a go on any more stalls, the children will need to bring in some additional money. Stalls will be 50p each and the money raised from these stalls will go towards school fund which is used to purchase presents from Santa, prizes and such like. There will also be a Christmas stall with things to buy, at various prices. The children will be allowed to visit the stalls for a chosen time slot during the day accompanied by their teachers.

As it is the Nursery trip on this day, they will not take part in the extravaganza, but will be taking part in some Christmas activities separately within Nursery.

In order for us to prepare for our Christmas Extravaganza Day, we are asking for the following donations. Children that make donations will then be able to wear non-uniform on these days.

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November – Donations of Chocolates

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December – Donations of Sweets

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December – Donations of Biscuits

In the past we have allowed children to bring in 50p if they are unable to source the above donations. Whilst this will be allowed, we would urge you to donate the specifics above to help us stock our tombola stalls.

We recognise that December 8<sup>th</sup> is national 'Christmas Jumper Day' but we would like to invite children to wear a Christmas Jumper on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> during the Christmas Extravaganza Day instead (free of charge).



EYFS will be doing a Nativity for parents on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> December. They will send out a separate letter with more details.

We have decided against a Christmas concert/production for KS1 and KS2 this year, however we still very much want you in school to share the festivities! We have therefore decided to offer something different in the way of an 'Inspire' type session as a Christmas Celebration morning/afternoon for each year group. This will run during the week 5<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> December and will take place in the hall.

Each session will consist of:

- A Christmas themed activity the children can access with you, e.g. making something to take home.
- Hot chocolate and biscuits available for you as a treat
- The class/year group will perform a song/carol to entertain you!

Sessions will be as follows:

Date	AM Session (9.15-10.45am)	PM Session (1.45-3.15pm)
Tue 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 2	Year 5
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 1	Year 6
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 3	Year 4

EYFS will also offer a craft session to parents on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December at alternative times and will take place in classrooms. They will send more details regarding this.

We hope this will be a lovely way for you to be part of the festivities in school and celebrate with us.

Thank you for your ongoing support.  
Miss Heng, Mrs Gilbert and all the staff.

