



Courtenay Class Weekly Newsletter Friday 3rd November 2021

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Home Learning	Dear Parents and carers,
Please complete the handwriting that is sent home.	I can't believe that it is December already and we are starting to complete a range of festive activities!Over the past week we have been making decorations for the Christmas tree in the conservatory. I was blown
Stars of the week!	away by the creativity shown by everyone and their determination to make their decoration the best it could be.
This week my star of the week is Lily for her fantastic writing this week!	In PE we have been practising different types of jumps before putting them together in a routine. This required working together and bringing together everything we have learnt over the last couple of weeks.
My value this week is love and I'm giving value star to everyone! It has been lovely to see	As geographers, we learnt all about time zones. We discussed why there are different times all across the world and then had to work out what time it would be in different countries if it was 12.00pm in England.
everyone welcoming each other back to class this week!	Upcoming festivities! Thursday 9 th December – Christmas dinner! Please order via Edu Spot and Christmas Jumper Day!
Reading award! Vanesa is my reading star of the week for consistently reading at home and bringing her reading journal in!	This week's 'Words of the day' are: charisma, protect, stranded,
PE superstars	The children have enjoyed learning a new word every day. We will continue with this short but fun activity daily and throughout the year. Remember, you can always write down new words in your reading logs so that you can refer to them in your writing.
superstars are Keira and Thomas for your wonderful ideas for the routines!	Have a restful weekend, Miss Massey

A note from Mrs Secker

'Building Lifelong Foundations Together'

We are now two weeks away from the end of term and the magic and excitement of Christmas is easy to feel in school! The sound of singing and laughter can be heard throughout the school. Staff are working hard to put together a Christmas film for you all to enjoy at home! The nativity and Christmas songs are nearly ready for filming!! We are so sad that you can't be with us to enjoy the festivities in person but we promise to have lots of magical fun.

I have set the children a little challenge today!! We are really focusing on reading for pleasure and developing an understanding of what we like to read and who writes our favourite stories!! Children have been challenged to find out the name of their favourite author and be able to tell their teacher about the books they write!! They may ask you who your favourite author is too!!

Thank you once again to you all for following our current strict COVID measures. We have managed to slow the spread in school and this means we can be together again after Christmas.

Have a lovely weekend.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 9th December – Christmas School Dinner. The yummy menu is available to book via Edu Spot. It would be lovely for all the children to join us and have a celebration dinner together.

Thursday 9th December – Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 16th December – PTFA School Disco and MUFTI Day - (CLASS BASED ACTIVITIES) £3.50 per child to include a drink, snack and small toys.