



DILTON MARSH C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 6 Term 2 - Friday 10th December 2021

Dear parents and carers



It has been lovely to hear the voices of Lime, Charry & Ash classes singing Christmas songs this week in preparation for their Nativity which has been filmed today. We will share the link for this with parents next week.

This past week Mrs Down and myself have met with each of the class teachers to discuss the progress of all of our pupils. We explored our teacher assessments and the results of recent tests to identify any children who are at risk of falling behind or what is working well to accelerate progress. Please ensure your child continues to read over the Christmas holidays as this is so important.

Individual pupil data reports, with attendance, will be sent home on Tuesday so please check your child's book bag.

When we return in January, please ensure your child does not come to school with a rucksack. We simply do not have the space for them in school. Thank you for your support with this.

Final week

Raffle envelopes will be available on Tuesday morning to be returned Tuesday afternoon for the raffle which is being drawn live on Facebook at 3.15pm. Thank you for all your donations and a special thank you to Mrs Johnson and Mrs Pearce for making up the luxury hampers - they look amazing!

Don't forget children can wear their Christmas jumpers on Wednesday 15th December when we will be having Christmas dinner.

Remember we will be finishing school on Friday 17th December at 12pm.

Ash Class perform their Nativity



Let's celebrate!



Headteacher's Awards

- * Summer (Chestnut Class) for being so thoughtful and articulate in RE.
- * Lennix (Cherry Class) for learning all his tricky words and spelling them.

Stars of the week:



Lime Class	Tilly for showing lots of perseverance and loving leaning!
Cherry Class	Elena for persevering in our reading group even though she had missed our first two sessions and showing such resilience.
Ash Class	All of Ash Class, for their hard work and perseverance. You did an amazing job this morning when filming our play.
Willow Class	Freddie H for contributing in all subjects this week.
Chestnut Class	Tyler for always putting his hand up and answering tricky questions.
Beech Class	Alex for always trying his best.
Oak Class	Emma for perseverance.



Star Writer:

Lime Class	Thomas for such a huge improvement in his letter formation.
Cherry Class	Isla for using her segmenting fingers and grow the code sound card to do some fabulous independent writing for her diary entry.
Ash Class	Alice for her wonderful reflections about our RE work.
Willow Class	Elliott for his use of fronted adverbials in his descriptive writing.
Chestnut Class	Chloe for writing a super ending to her chapter.
Beech Class	Khloe for a great biography.
Oak Class	Sophia for vocabulary choices.

House Points

Next term's winner to be confirmed next week.

Merry Christmas from Thrive

Click on the picture below to find Christmas activities to get children feeling good this holiday season!



Dates for your diary

Tuesday 14/12/21	FODS Christmas raffle
Wednesday 15/12/21	Whole school Christmas Dinner day / Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 17/12/21	End of Term 2 (12pm finish)
Wednesday 5/1/22	Inset day (school closed to pupils)
Thursday 6/1/22	Start of Term 3