

Glendermott Nursery Unit December Newsletter

Dear Parents

Our topic this month is 'Christmas'. We will be busy learning about the Christmas Story and will perform our nativity story for you on **Thursday 14th December at 9.30am.**

The children have already been enjoying dressing up as Christmas characters and performing on our school stage. The children are beginning to learn their speaking parts for the show so keep up the good work. You will be so proud of them on the day. Make sure the cameras are charged and ready to go! We have a special visitor on that day too he wears a red suit!!! Please try and keep it as a surprise for the children. **Please note the children will go home after Santa.**

Costumes

We have nativity costumes for the show. Tickets for the show will be available from the school office @£3.00 if you are unable to collect tickets from school please send in an envelope with child's name, money and how many tickets you need.

Christmas Event-13th

December

On Wednesday 13th December the children will enjoy Christmas dinner with their friends.

We would also like the children to wear a Christmas jumper/t-shirt or Christmas hairband/hat on that day and to donate £2 in support of the charity 'Children in Crossfire'. We have some spare Christmas hats in nursery if your child does not have anything suitable, there is no need to buy something new.

Christmas Songs

**Twinkle Twinkle Christmas star,
How I wonder what you are etc.**

*We wish you a Merry Christmas
We wish you a Merry Christmas
We wish you a Merry Christmas
And a Happy New Year*

When Santa got stuck up the chimney,
He began to shout.
You girls and boys won't get any toys,
If you don't pull me out.
My beard is black,
There's soot in my sack.
My nose is tickly too.
When Santa got stuck up the chimney,
Aaachooo, achoo, achoo.

I would like to **thank you** for sending in recycled materials for our junk modelling. The support was amazing. We now have enough to keep us going until after Christmas.

Treat Time

We will be taking the children on a mystery trip the week beginning Monday 18th of December further details will be given out later. This is a little reward with all the hard work they have been doing. They will be back in time for their dinner.



Happy Birthday!



**Benjamin,
Daimhin, David**

Colours

Gold and red are our key colours for this month. Play 'I spy' something that is gold etc.

Shapes

We are exploring diamonds and looking at their properties.

Library Books

We will collect the library books in for Christmas on Tuesday 12th Dec and will resume our library visits in January. Please ensure your child's library book is returned as it is a computerised system and will flag up overdue books.



Christmas Party

The Christmas party for the nursery children will be on Wednesday 20th December. The children do not need to bring any sweets or drinks as we will provide everything they need.

Christmas Holidays

We will finish at 11.30am on Thursday 21st December for our Christmas holidays. We return to nursery on Friday 5th January 2018. **Please make a note of these details and inform the person who collects your child.**

The nursery staff would like to thank you for your support during the term. We wish you all a very Happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year!



