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Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2019

Dear Parents or Carers,

Please find a little update at this busy time. Thank you.

<u>'Celebrate Christmas'</u> Just a reminder to send in your child's costume in a bag with their name clearly marked on by this Thursday - 5th December. Thanks so much for your help with this.

Anning Class – Black or dark bottoms (leggings / joggers) and Christmas themed top (no large lettering on please).

Goodall Class – Dark bottoms with a top depending on role (hopefully they can tell you!) angels white top, shepherds brown/black top and kings – red top, Mary and Joseph in blue please.

Sharman Class - Christmas jumpers, hats and socks.

Turing Class – Christmas jumpers, hats and socks.

Shakespeare Class – Christmas jumper and Santa hat.

Mandela Class – Christmas jumper / pyjamas and Christmas socks.

Nightingale Class and Darwin Class – Either Victorian 'rags' for dancing in, or modern 'ballroom' – either dark bottoms with white shirt or party dress.

There are some children who need a particular, individual, costume. They will be able to explain this to you or we will have contacted you. The performances are now 'sold out' and it may be that some people are disappointed. I know staff are working hard to ensure you can come if you'd like to. If your plans have changed and you know you will not be coming, please do let us know so we can release your ticket to someone else.

### **PFA CHRISTMAS SHOP & RAFFLE**

The PFA Christmas Shop opens tomorrow break time – Tuesday 3rd December. This is a lovely chance for the children to buy you a little something that they can keep as a surprise. Items range from 30p (pencil with rubber topper) to £2. We do have a good stock but it is limited so when it has gone...it's gone.



There are loads of hampers and gifts in the raffle too. Individual tickets are 25p or you can buy a strip for £1. These are also on sale after school from the office or at break time.

#### Year 5 Visit to Brookfield

Shakespeare Class walk to Brookfield Community School on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December and Mandela Class are walking on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December to make Greek Clay Pots in their art department. Children will be back in school by 3.45pm – a little later than usual time.

### Year 4 have an Eco Day on Friday 6th December.

Following on from the fantastic learning challenges that the children have completed, Chesterfield Borough Council will be doing workshops all day on 'Reduce, Reuse, Recycle'. Well done to all of you for the wonderful home learning.

## Friday 13th December

Children welcome to come in a festive jumper and / or 'party' clothes.

## **Thursday 19th December**

Children will have the opportunity to experience live theatre as they enjoy 'The Nutcracker' performed in school.

### Friday 20th December 10.15am

Children learning to play an instrument in school have the opportunity to perform in assembly. Please liaise with Daryl or Laura to be sure about your own child. If you'd like to join us, please come along.

# Clubs

Before and After School Club, Jumping Clay, Y5 & Y6 Basketball (Mondays) and Athletics (Thursday) continue as usual.

We break up for the Christmas break at 3.25pm on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December and return on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January.

Many thanks to you all,

Catherine Holmes

'Working Together to...be Safe, Smile and Succeed'