



## Year 1 Homework Letter - Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018

Thank you to all those parents and other family members who attended the KS1 Nativity this week. The children were amazing singers and actors, we were very proud, as I am sure you were. Please see our website for 'A Midwife Crisis' photos.

### English

This week, we wrote an acrostic poem about Christmas. We began by looking at some Christmas poems and talking about what poetry is, and how it is different to other forms of writing. Then we thought of words that we associated with Christmas. Finally we thought about which of those words spelt out CHRISTMAS and we wrote acrostic poems, which we then decorated. I was extremely proud and impressed by their efforts.

During Phonics this week we have learnt 'oe' as in toe and 'o-e' as in bone.

This is the last homework letter of the term, and the year! The children have made great progress in their reading. I know it is the holidays, but if you can find the time to read occasionally, it will help them to consolidate all they have learnt this term.

### Things to remember

PTFA Christmas Event - Monday 17<sup>th</sup>  
December at 3.30pm  
Christmas lunch - Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup>  
December  
End of term Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
Spring term starts - Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January  
2019

Have a lovely weekend and a very Merry Christmas!

Mrs Cordey, Mrs Vaughney and Mrs Fowler  
(Year 1 Team)



### Maths

During our Maths lessons this week we have enjoyed some Christmas Maths activities. We have completed some Christmas mazes finding multiples of 5, 10 and a challenge involving 3 and 4. Also we used our Maths knowledge to complete a Maths activity booklet which contained different activities including some number work, shape, pattern and data handling.

There is no homework over the Christmas holidays. Please (if you can) use any break in the festivities to practise their Maths by playing the different Maths games and activities on Purple Mash.