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*Coming up next week...12/12/2022*

*As Year 1 and Year 2 have their Christmas Plays next week reception are able to have their yoga slots with the yoga teacher. If you do not wish your child to take part then please speak to your class teacher.*

*We always need items for junk modelling in Reception. Could you please save any small boxes, lids, yogurt pots, plastic trays etc and bring them into school. Thank you!*

### *Learning in school:*

**Theme for the Term:** Celebrations! Everyone enjoys a celebration and there are so many across a year. We will dip into a few to find out what is celebrated and how the occasion is marked.

**Theme for the week:** It's nearly Chhhristmasssssss!

As you can probably guess, the children are very excited by Christmas and the glitter and sparkle will be coming out this week! We will be exploring materials and media to create all sorts of Christmas delights! One of our Christmas activities will be making Christmas cards where we will be practising spelling the tricky word 'to'.

### *Phonics:*

This week we will be continuing to review all the graphemes we have learned this term. We will also be practising plurals and revising all the tricky words we have covered too. Please support your child during the holidays to continue working on their phonics sounding and blending as well as tricky words.

**Please note, no new sound sheet will be sent out this Friday.**

### *Maths:*

This week, we have made maths Christmas advent calendar. We will be recapping counting skills, subitising and working on explaining our ideas.

### *Additional notes and reminders*

The school library has undergone a transformation and the children will be visiting again for the first time this week. Please can you make sure your child's library book is in their bookbag for their library day otherwise they will not be able to borrow a new book. Thank you for understanding

Jellyfish library day- Monday

Starfish library day- Thursday

Turtle library day- Tuesday

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*Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.*