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Coming up next week...1/12/2025

Reception Christmas Performance

We look forward to seeing you all at the Christmas Performances on Thursday and Friday. Please can children come dressed in their costumes with their names bag with their PE kids Wednesday-Friday.

If anyone has any old children's comics/ magazines, Christmas Cards, wrapping paper, gift labels we'd be grateful for any donations.

Learning in school:

Theme for the Term: Fabulous Festivals!

During this topic we will learning about how people and communities celebrate in different ways and why this is important to them.

Theme for the week: This week Christmas is coming to our classrooms! The children will be helping to put the tree up and decorating the classroom and we will be learning the Christmas Story and how Christians celebrate Christmas. We will be performing our Christmas show on Thursday and Friday.

Phonics

In phonics this week, we will be learning to read words with s added at the end (hats sits) and words ending s /z/ (his) and with s /z/ added at the end (bags). Our tricky words will be **we, me, be**.

Maths:

This week in maths we will be learning all about 4 sided shapes. The children will be learning how to identify and name them, using the correct mathematical language for

their properties, as well as comparing them. We will be looking for 2d shapes in our environment.

Additional notes and reminders

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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.