<u>R.E</u>: This week we have been talking all about how we prepare during Advent. We talked about how we feel when waiting for something exciting to happen. Please ask your child if they can remember what Advent means. We have been continuing with our Advent Class Worship and praying for different members of our school community.

<u>Key vocabulary:</u> Messenger, visit, celebrate, Advent, coming, Jesus, Mary, Elizabeth, Joseph, shepherds, angels, Christmas, Bethlehem, manger, worship, wreath, preparing, waiting

<u>English</u>: This week we have started work on The Nativity Story we began by reading Luke's Gospel and went on to sequence the story in our books. We will be looking at other versions of the story next week.

Key vocabulary: Full stop, capital letter, finger spaces

<u>Maths</u>: This week we have been consolidating addition and subtraction within 10. The children have been carrying out lots of practical activities to aid their understanding.

We will continue work on subtraction next week.

Extra information:

Please watch the phonics videos with your child.

Well done to all the children for their amazing efforts in our KS1 Christmas play, they were so excited to have you there to watch. We are super proud of how well they behaved on stage and how they sang their hearts out in both shows, it really was quite a night!

Christmas Jumper Day - Wednesday 13th December - the children can wear a Christmas jumper on this day, no donation needed.

Christmas party - Friday 15th December - Children are invited to attend school in their party clothes on this day. Please pack them a small nut-free snack for them to have at the party. This could be a drink with **one** of the following a biscuit/fruit/crisps/cheese. Please do not pack a big snack as they will be having it in the afternoon shortly after their lunch. Please ensure no glass bottles or containers are used.

We are looking forward to having the Living Nativity in on Monday 18th December, payment can be made via the school gateway.

Ark Farm Living Nativity



Homework:

Please see maths work on fact families below.

Enjoy the weekend.

Ann and Frankie

Five Ways to Wellbeing Challenge

BE ACTIVE

Take some time to choose your family's Top 10 favourite songs or music that may be special for all sorts of different reasons.

GIVE BE ACTIVE TAKE NOTICE CONNECT KEEP LEARNING





Maths Homework:

Write the fact families for each of the representations.



