

Subject	Topic/Theme/Book	Activities	Key vocabulary	Next Week
R.E	Advent: Christmas and loving	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To know that during Advent we are waiting and preparing for the birth of Jesus.</li> </ul>	birthday, waiting, wreath, celebrate, Christmas, Advent, Jesus, Mary, Joseph, swaddling clothes, manger, crib, shepherds, wise men, preparing, messenger, visit, Elizabeth, Joseph, angels, Bethlehem.	How does the Advent wreath help us to wait for Christmas?  How many candles are there and why?  What does the lighted candle remind us of?
English	Fairy Tales	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reading and acting out The Princess and the Pea.</li> <li>Writing descriptive sentences about illustrations from the text.</li> </ul>	Capital letters, finger spaces, full stops.	Fairy Tale topic.
Maths	Number 1-20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Odd and even numbers.</li> <li>Doubles and halves.</li> </ul>	Adding, add, plus, equals, number sentence	Consolidation of topics covered.
Science	Everyday Materials.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Postponed due to performance.</li> </ul>	Absorbent, fabric, glass, group, material, metal, object, plastic, rock, tough, wood, waterproof	To investigate waterproof materials.



## Christmas Play

Well done to all our amazing singers in the KS1 production! We were so proud of them and hope you were too! Thank you for all your support helping them prepare for their show!



## Extra Information

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Jumper day!** Your child is invited to come to school wearing a Christmas jumper! Please pay a donation for Save the Children charity via the school gateway.

Earrings are not allowed at any time.

Please refrain from putting the water bottles in book bags if they leak on the reading books you will need to pay for a new one.

Please can you send in a box of tissues with your child, as the weather is changing, the children are always in need of a tissue!

Please read with your child at least 4 times a week and sign the reading record book. Reading books will be sent out on a Friday and to be returned on a Thursday.

### Homework:

Your child needs to think of a well-constructed sentence about the picture and write it out neatly following the school handwriting policy, please see example below from last year.

It is very important that you supervise your child when carrying out handwriting in order to reinforce good practice. **Please use a writing pencil.**



Please return homework by Tuesday but don't worry if it comes later.

Please see the Wellbeing challenge and Mark Mission on separate email.

Enjoy the weekend.

Frankie and Rosalind