

Year 1 Newsletter

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Star of the Week Week RUBP

for some lovely, thoughtful work in RE this week.

Well Done!

Homework

This week's homework is linked to our RE work. As you will have seen from the newsletter we have been thinking about Advent being a time of waiting. For their homework I would like the children to make an Advent calendar that they can use to start counting down the days to the coming of Jesus.



There is also a new Story Time with Jesus video all about Mary and Joseph.

RE

In RE this week we started our brand new topic on 'Waiting.' This is our Advent topic where we think about the waiting for and coming of Jesus at Christmas time. To start the topic off we thought about our Big Question, "is waiting always difficult?" The children came up with some really interesting thoughts about this. We then thought about a time that we had had to wait for something and how this made us feel. Some of the times that we remembered we had to wait was for our birthdays, Christmas, in the queue at Disneyland, in the chip shop and for traffic to pass so that we could cross the road.

We then turned our thoughts to waiting for Christmas. We wrote about some of the things that we do in the build up to Christmas, such as decorating the Christmas tree, singing carols, opening Advent calendars, lighting Advent wreaths and creating Nativity scenes.



Parent's Evening

It was lovely to catch up on Wednesday evening and let you know how your children are getting on in Class 1, and of their achievements. I am looking forward to catching up with the rest of you next Wednesday evening.



Year 1 & 2 Nativity

This year we shall be having our Nativity concert on Wednesday 7th December. This year we shall be performing our Nativity at St. Peter's church in **Hinckley**. We attempted this last year but unfortunately we were thwarted by Covid. Fingers crossed that will not happen this year! The performance will start at 6.30pm. Next week we shall be sending more information about the arrangements but I just wanted to make you all aware of the date and location now.

