### St Elisabeth's CE Primary School News



#### December 1st 2023

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'To grow a diverse and creative educational community, where we encourage belonging and nurture believing; together becoming fulfilled and responsible members of God's world.'

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Dear Parent/Carer,

It is starting to feel a lot like Christmas this week, with all classes having put their Christmas trees up. In addition, I have heard that there are some naughty elves in and around school making lots of mischief!

Thank you again, for all your generous donations for the Christmas Fair - it is very kind of you.

Don't forget it is 'Christmas Jumper' Day on Thursday, and EYFS, and KS1 disco on Friday.



Thank you.

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Mrs Lancashire

#### **EYFS**

The children are continuing to enjoy their 'Space' theme. This week they made fantastic Space wreaths. Lots of the children have told us that they are hanging in their houses!

In Maths, the children have wowed us with their counting and number recognition. They have enjoyed 'finding' numbers within our continuous provision.

In English, the children have been suggesting and writing their own captions for the illustrations from the book 'How to Catch a Star.'

We had a surprise visitor who arrived in the classroom yesterday morning - please ask your children who this was!



#### **KS1**

The children in KS1 have been busy this week learning about the Great Fire of London in our History lessons. This week we have been exploring why the fire spread so easily throughout London. We took a trip 'back in time' to explore what the houses looked like in the past. Lots of children were very surprised to discover there were no TV's or mobile phones!

On Friday we also had a surprise visit from a special elf and we cannot wait to see what exciting adventures he gets up to!



#### LKS2

This week in LKS2, children have continued their learning all about the Romans. We studied how Roman amphitheatres shaped how we make large stadiums today as well as what happened inside these arenas. We learned that gladiators would take part in gruelling battles for the entertainment of the emperor.

We also continued learning about the human skeleton and even had a go at labelling the different bones in a life-size skeleton!



#### Upper Key Stage 2

The children in Year 6 are ready for Junior Masterchef 2024! They have been making savoury pies. Two weeks ago, they learnt the skill of making pastry and this week they have been letting their culinary skills shine making potato, cheese and onion pies. In pairs, the children lined and filled their pie cases, adding lids whilst choosing a crimping technique before decorating with a pastry design. We only hope they taste as good as they look!!







# ATTENDANCE WINNERS

Nursery - all day 100%



Year 3/4 96% WELL DONE!

## BIRTHDAYS



## Happy Birthday

to

Oscar

Sidney

Lily-Mae

**Amber** 

Zak

Holly-Rose

Erika

Steven

Have a lovely day!

# SUPERSTARS

	Good Behaviour	Reader of the week	Top Learner	
EYFS	Hollie- Rose	Dominic	Priestly	For his fantastic ideas and contributions to our learning.
Year 1	Iyla	Oscar	Penelope	For showing resilience!
Year 2B	Steven	Ali	Vinnie	For excellent presentation!
Year 2D	Sionna	Aria	Ebony	For brilliant work in her writing.
Year 3K	Amelia- Rose	Zain	Joanna	For her amazing work in History and Science!
Year 3/4H	Amber	Layton	Jackson	For sharing his super knowledge of times tables and using this in his Maths work this week!
Year 4B	Freddie	Harry	Archie	For growing in self-belief and putting so much effort into his learning.
Year 5	London	Eliza	Charlie	For great work on fractions. Well done!
Year 6	Lucas W	Carter	Lucas H	For excellent understanding of fractions in Maths.











