



Grange Primary School

News of the Week

2018/2019

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FRIDAY 21ST DECEMBER 2018

Spring Term 1

Monday 7th

January—Friday

15th February

Half Term

Monday 18th

February—Friday

22nd February

Spring Term 2

Tuesday 26th

February—Friday 5th

April

Half Term

Monday 8th April—

Monday 22nd April

2019

Summer Term

Tuesday 23rd

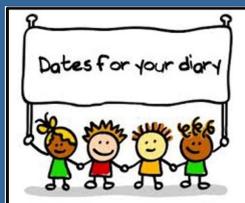
April—Friday 24th

May

Half Term

Monday 27th May—

Friday 31st May



Dear Grange families,

As we come to the end of our Autumn Term, we would like to wish you a very peaceful and happy winter holiday. Having worked hard all term, the children will be ready for a break and the opportunity to recharge their batteries (whilst wearing yours out no doubt!).

As the winter break approaches, we would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your ongoing support, generosity and kind words over the past term. We have had a busy, fun, exciting term and we couldn't do it without you. Thank you.

This week our music club performed for the residents of the Tower Bridge care home. The children sang some Christmas songs for the residents and also sang some of the songs they have been learning throughout the term. The feedback was overwhelming. The visit was very much appreciated and brought a smile to many faces. Well done to all involved!

Pease enjoy a wonderful break.

Best wishes from the Grange Team.

Christmas Card Competition Winners

We are happy to announce the winners of the Mathys and Squire Christmas Card Competition for 2018. Children from Reception up to Year 6 took part in the competition. The people at Mathys and Squire thought that the children's entries were of such a good standard that they chose 5 winners this year. All winners received special prizes in an assembly at school this week. The winning entries were created by :

1st: Sharmya - Sky Class

1st: Hana - Sky Class

2nd: Fiona – Saturn class

2nd: Kavya, Pluto Class

3rd: Ayaan – Star class

The overall winner was Sharmya from Sky Class, whose entry is shown. As well as winning a prize, Sharmya's design has been made into Mathys and Squire's official Christmas Card for 2018. Thank you to all the children who took part in the competition and congratulations to those who won prizes!



Love

Hope

Co-operation

Respect

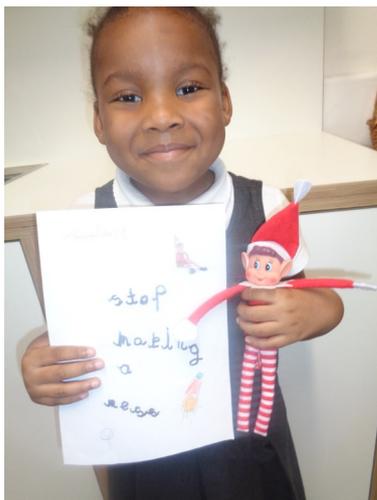


Sun

This week children have been practising singing for their Christmas concert and decorating their Christmas hats. Today we had our Christmas concert and the children did very well! Well done. Then they had their Christmas party :)

Thank you to all the parents who came to watch their children perform. Have a Happy Holiday everyone. See you in January.

Nursery Team



Moon

This week in Moon Class, we had a visit from a naughty elf. He made lots of mess in our classroom and he was even spotted making snow angels with our glitter! We made posters to place around the classroom to warn the elf not to make a mess again. Some children also set about making secret traps to catch him in the act.

Venus

This week Venus Class got really excited about having our Christmas dinner in the Albert Mackenzie hall. Venus class made place mats and even dressed up in their Christmas jumpers and clothes for the occasion.

The children In Year 1 and 2 also enjoyed a visit from Santa. He brought us new games and books for our classroom.

Merry Christmas!



Love

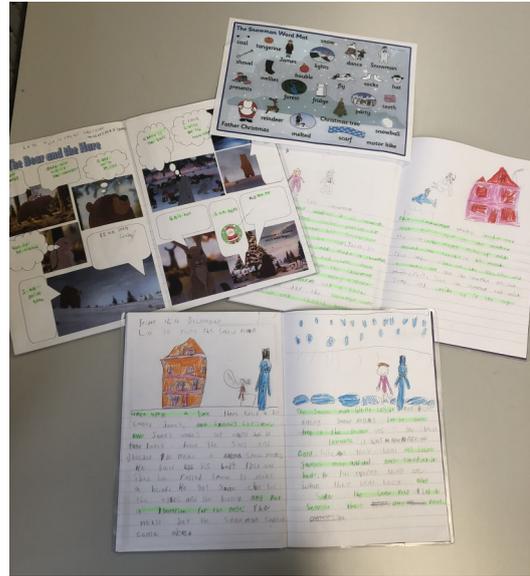
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Planet Earth

In Planet Earth we have been watching The Snowman. We retold the story by acting out different scenes. We wrote our own stories.



Saturn

This week in R.E., Saturn Class have been learning about the Christmas tradition of Christingle. We learned about the different features of the Christingle and then worked cooperatively to make our own Christingles to take home.

Upcoming Events

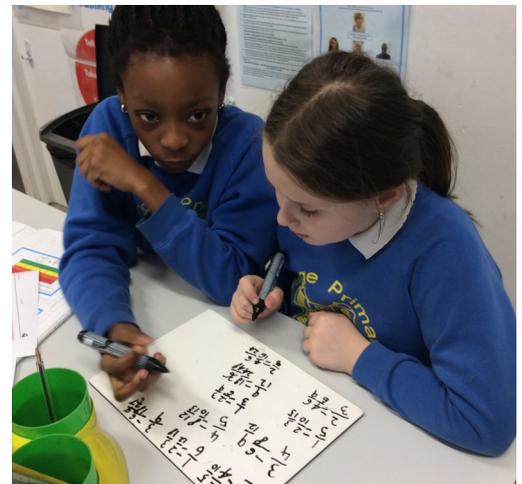
Children will return to school on Monday 7th January 2019, at the usual time.

We look forward to seeing you all in the **New Year.**



Galaxy

This week Galaxy Class have been learning to recognise equivalent fractions and researching the Bronze Age. We learnt and performed a poem based on the Iron Man. Well done Galaxy, you have had a successful term!



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FESTIVE FUN



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Pluto
 Pluto Class had lots of fun and are feeling festive with their Christmas jumpers!

Sky
 This week in Sky Class, we have been investigating further into light. We have been finding out all about how Sir Isaac Newton discovered that light is the colours of the rainbow. He used a prism to discover this.



ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

| School Year 2018-19 | | % |
|---------------------|---------------------|-------|
| Attendance | Whole School | 95.6% |
| Key Stage 1 Winner | Planet Earth | 96.0% |
| Key Stage 2 Winner | Pluto | 97.0% |
| Punctuality | Whole School | 99.7% |
| Key Stage 1 winner | Mercury | 99.8% |
| Key Stage 2 winner | Sky | 99.9% |

From all of us at Grange, to you..


Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

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