

As readers, we will continue to promote reading every day, both inside and outside of school. We will continue to have daily phonics sessions and we will have weekly guided reading sessions.

As writers, we will be finding out about how Christmas is celebrated around the world and creating our own non-fiction book. We will be thinking about features of information texts and comparing information. We will also be taking notes to use for our writing. We will continue to work on our ability to self-assess our writing and improve our work independently. Additionally, we will continue to develop our spelling, grammar and punctuation; while learning how to apply these to our work.

As part of speaking and listening we will all have a part in the school play. We will need to learn our lines and say them with expression to a live audience.

As historians we will find out about Remembrance Day. We will discover why and how Remembrance Day is commemorated locally and nationally.

# Christmas around the World

## Infant class



As mathematicians we will continue to work on our understanding of number, place value. We will find different ways to complete addition and subtraction. We will use problem solving as the basis of developing and extending our understanding. We will find out about fractions of shapes, number and use this to help us tell the time.



As musicians, we will learn new songs for our Christmas play. We will also listen to music by a range of musicians and discuss how it makes us feel. We will look at simple percussion instruments and see how they work.



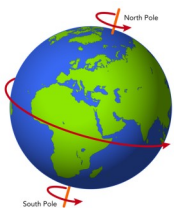
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We will use technology to record our written work. We will alter fonts, in size as well as style.



Our work in RE will be focused on Christmas traditions. We will focus on a range of countries and find out how the Christians in each country celebrate Christmas. We will learn about customs as well as special foods that are eaten. We will also make our own Christmas promises.

Games will continue to be the focus of our work with a PE coach. We will develop our tag rugby skills. We will also be taking part in our school fun run.

As geographers, we will find out about different countries that we are learning about. We will be able to identify these countries on a map, starting by finding the continent that the country is in. We will also learn to recognise a few words from each country as well as what their flag looks like.



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We will create musical instruments by first looking at other instruments to help us design and create our own.

We will use a range of materials to create Christmas decorations. We will research different ways of connecting materials and choose the most appropriate for our product. We will also prepare some tasty treats for Christmas, as well as making our own boxes to present them in. Finally, we will use other connecting techniques to create a Christmas card.



