

# East.Crompton St. George's C of E Primary School

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# Christmas Activities

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Dear Parent/Carers,

This term, whilst very challenging, has flown by so quickly! I cannot believe that we only have two weeks left before we break up for the Christmas holidays. We have crammed a lot of learning in so far with children accessing additional maths and English lessons to help them move towards age related expectations following school closures from March until July.

Over the next two weeks we plan to incorporate as much exciting Christmas activities as we can under the current circumstances whilst maintaining class bubbles.

**Christmas Performance** – This year we will be recording a Christmas performance which you will be able to watch and hopefully download. There will be a charge to ensure expenses of recording, mixing and 'hosting' the download of the performance are covered. We will send additional information when this is available.

**Christmas Markets** – Our annual enterprise projects will continue, although, products will be sold through a 'Virtual Christmas Market' which you will be able to access on our website. An example image and description for each product will be viewable and your child will bring an order form home. Please complete the order form and send back into school along with the money. During the final week your child will be sent home with a bag containing all of the products you have purchased. To avoid disappointment please ensure you send in your order form as soon as possible as there are limited numbers of each product and once they are gone, they are gone! Please remember this is a school enterprise project, items are not specific to one child as several children may have been involved in the production line. Please encourage family members to take a look too, in case there are any products they would like to purchase as well! All profits from the Christmas Markets go back into funding things for your children! Last year we were able to use the profits towards purchasing the lovely colourful benches you may have seen around our school building.

**Christmas Pantomime** – This year we are unable to have a visiting theatre company in school. However, we have purchased a 'streamed' performance for our pupils to enjoy from The Midlands Theatre

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Company. Last year they came to school and performed Aladdin and it was a fabulous performance! There will be no charge for this performance as we are aware that there are several other things we have asked for donations for over this term.

**Christmas Party Day** - We have linked Christmas lunch, Christmas party day and the pantomime along with Christmas jumper day on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December. Recommended donations of £1 for Christmas jumper day will go to the 'Save the Children' charity.

**Christmas Cards** – We know that children love to give cards to their friends at Christmas. This year, to minimise risk from one house to another, all cards MUST be in school by Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December. These will then be quarantined for two days and given out towards the end of the week. Any cards after this date will unfortunately be sent back home with your child.

May I take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful Christmas, I hope that you and your families stay well and have the opportunity to share some lovely time together over this period of giving, as we remember the child who came into this world and gave himself for us.

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Kind regards,



Mrs R Ross

and

All the staff at ECSTG

