

### This week

Our highlight of the week was when the class all came together to finally make our Tudor houses for Design and Technology.

We used saws and glue guns to measure and build a frame with the rods and added a roof for the finally structural build.

We decorated them on the second day to give them an authentic Tudor effect. They look absolutely awesome and hopefully you'll have seen them on sharing afternoon!

A special mention to our Proud Cloud this week Rose, for spending so much time and dedication on her Tudor house – it looks AMAZING!

Our Fine Diner award this week goes to Toby for continually helping younger children in the lunch hall – how very kind!

### Pre learning

In Spring term for English lessons we will be reading 'The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe' as well as 'Goodnight Mr Tom' as part of our 'Fiction From Our Literary Heritage' unit of work. It would be beneficial for the children to have an understanding of WW2 and evacuees for this.

### PE

A reminder that PE kits will be being sent home as we are no longer having PE for the rest of this half term due to Christmas festivities. Please have them ready to bring back in on the first day of term in January.



# Dahl Class Newsletter

## Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December

We hope you all have a super weekend

in the run up to Christmas! 😊

Mrs Gilham, Mrs Foster and Mrs Bird

### Maths and English

This week we have had a focus on our mental arithmetic skills. We have been finding solutions to problems and trying to get quicker in the process!

In English this week we continued with our unit of work, take one film, Elf. The children have been interweaving descriptions of characters, setting and atmosphere. They have also written a persuasive text to non-believers convincing them that Santa is real!

**Reminder that we finish at 12 noon  
on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December,  
please be on time to collect your  
children.**

### Christmas Jumper Day

Thank you for all the contributions to the Christmas jumper day fund – all the money raised will be going straight to the 'Save the Children' charity!

### Christingle Service

A special thank you to everyone who helped to make the Christingle service happen and also to those who joined us in the celebration at St Nicholas Church on Wednesday. I'm sure you will all agree that the service was very special and that the children really did us proud and sang with such passion and pride!

### Christmas Lunch and Party

Our school Christmas lunch is on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December and will be served to all children on school lunches and those who have requested a "one off" Christmas lunch. KS2 Christmas party is on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December. Children are to come to school dressed in school uniform and bring with them their party clothes to change into after lunch. Each child is to bring their own paper plate of party food for themselves (e.g. sandwich, crisps, biscuit).