



# Sunflowers' Newsletter

Term 2  
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Dear parents and carers

It was wonderful seeing you all on Friday to watch our Nativity play. We were so proud of the children and we are sure that you were too. Please have a look at the website under the reception class page (Autumn learning) to see some beautiful photos of the children in their costumes.



## Christmas

This week, our theme is Christmas. We will be exploring the Nativity story and will be using role play and stick puppets to act out the story. We will be making and writing Christmas cards and making Christmas decorations.



## Phonics

Children learning set 2 sounds will be finishing the set this week with the final sounds of **ou** and **oy**. Children revising set 1 sounds will be continuing to go over all sounds learned so far, and will be practicing how to write letters correctly.



## Next Week

Please be reminded that next week we are only in school on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday morning.

**School closes on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm.**

On Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December children are invited to wear their Christmas jumpers to school. Please note that the jumper is instead of their shirt, tie and cardigan/jumper. School trousers and skirts should still be worn.

The School Association will be holding a Christmas Fair from 3.30pm—5.30pm on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December in the school hall.



## Maths

This week in maths we will be exploring the concept of time. We will be developing a sense of time using the vocabulary of **today**, **yesterday** and **tomorrow**, and will be ordering events in time order. We will be measuring time in simple ways, introducing children to **years**, **months**, **weeks**, **days**, **hours**, **minutes** and **seconds**. To help your child at home, please talk to them about the passing of time, and get them to use the vocabulary listed above in conversation.



Thank you for your continued support  
Mrs Beckley and Ms Head

