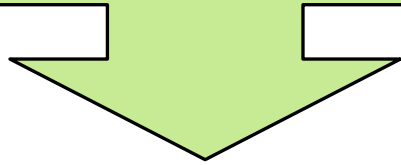


The Challenge:

Well, Christmas time is once again upon us. Following a very odd year, it is time for us to celebrate safely with our family. Enjoy the festive period and we hope that you have lots of fun completing some of the activities set for you over the next few days.



Discussion points for parents:

- What do you enjoy doing during the Christmas period?
- Who do you spend your time over Christmas with?
- How do you feel during the Christmas period?
- What are your highlights?
- What have you missed most this year?
- What have you enjoyed during your first term in your new class?



Christmas (Yrs 1 & 2)

Must do...

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practise your weekly spelling words. The words are on the school website for you to practise! • Regular reading - remember to discuss what you have read, describe characters, explain events, sequence events and re-tell the story in your own words. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practise times tables (Yr1 - tables 1, 2, 5 and 10 / Yr2 - Tables 1, 2, 5 and 10 to begin and table 3 as a challenge!) • Maths - Number bonds to 100 - addition and subtraction • Recognize and count the amount of money • Tell the time e.g. o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joe Wicks - sessions on 'You Tube' (Remember to ask permission before using 'YouTube') • Cosmic Kids Yoga - sessions on 'YouTube' • Discuss with your parents about your day and how you are feeling. • What about helping around the house? E.g. making your bed, laying the table ready for food, helping in the garden, helping to decorate etc. |
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Should do...



Literacy



Numeracy



Theme

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| Create a Christmas mind map. Think about traditions, celebrations, games, stories, songs, food etc. Include some pictures / drawings to accompany your words. | Ask members of your family 'What is your favourite chocolate to eat at Christmas time?' Record these on a bar graph on HWB. How about sending your teacher a message to ask them what their favourite Christmas chocolate is too? | How about staying fit over the Christmas period? Complete this physical education circuit with members of your family...25 star jumps, jump 25 times like Rudolph, roll like a Christmas cracker, balance on one leg for 25 seconds. How about timing each other? Who completed the course in the fastest time? |
| Go ahead and create a portrait of Santa Clause. Remember to include facts about him e.g. name, age, hair colour, eye colour, favourite food, favourite drink, favourite country, favourite reindeer etc. How about drawing a picture too? | With an adult, collect data on what Christmas decorations you can see on your street / in your village e.g. Christmas tree, Christmas Star, Santa Clause, Snowman, Rudolph etc. How about recording how many of each one you spot and record your results on HWB. | Log into your HWB account - Create a Christmas animation video using the animation programme on JIT. Remember to give your animation a title and then save it. Your teachers would love to see your animations over the next few days! |
| Write a set of instructions explaining how to wrap a Christmas present. Remember to list what you need to do by using imperative verbs e.g. cut, wrap, measure, write etc. | Imagine that you are Santa Clause. Create a time diary, recording what you do during the day e.e. 7am - wake up and have a wash, 7.15am - get dressed into my red suit, 7.30am - Eat breakfast, 8.00am - Feed the reindeers ayyb. | With an adult, go ahead and bake / decorate some Christmas biscuits. After baking / decorating, how about taking a photo of you enjoying eating your biscuit - share these with us on HWB.
CHALLENGE - How about writing a simple biscuit recipe? |

Could do...

LEGO Challenge
Kindness Calender

Minecraft
Cymuned y Sgarlets- Maths Skills

Dancing gyda Oti Mabuse
PBSkids.org - Reading games for children

David Walliams Audio Books
Newsround - Read about the latest news
Science Investigations - STEM website
stemsational.com
Twinkl Resources - Visit the website for free
www.twinkl.co.uk/offer using the code...
UKTWINKLHELPS
Zumba Kids

Carol Vorderman – 'My Maths School'
Cip ar Fathemateg
SGILIAU
Oriolodl - Step by step videos
Llifo'n Llawen - Yoga
Just Dance - 'Youtube'
Amser Stori Atebol - 'You Tube'
Amser stori gyda Sion Corn - Llyfrgelloedd Sir Gaer

BBC Bitesize
Hour of Code
TopMarks website Maths
MathsFrame website Maths
mathsalamanders.com
Traed Bach Sionc (Busy Feet) - Youtube
Llyfrau Coeden Darllen Rydychen -HWB