



Here it is, the last Learning Letter of 2024! Thank you for your support with our Bake Sale last week, we're looking forward to finding out how much was raised! Well done and thank you to our School Councillors who helped to run the stall. Moreover, what a lovely evening we had on Wednesday for our Christmas Carol performance, typical British weather but a fantastic turnout. Thank you to all those who came to show their festive cheer!

The last two weeks of 2024:

- In **English**, we will learn some Christmas poetry.
- In **Maths**, we have more multiplication and division up our sleeves!
- In **Science**, we will learn about shadows.
- In **Computing**, finishing off our Ancient Egypt PowerPoint presentations.

Homework

No homework for the rest of this term but please continue completing the spellings tasks and regular reading and Maths. Thank you for your support from home.

Spelling Pattern

09/12: the /l/ sound spelt 'al'.

Christmas Post Box

Our School Christmas post box will be open from **Monday 9th December**. Our special elves will be helping to empty the post box and making deliveries to the classes. In order to ensure that the card gets to the right place, they have asked that your children makes sure they put both **FIRST NAME** and **LAST NAME** followed by the **CLASS NAME**. Thank you for helping us to make our postal service as efficient as possible!

Christmassy Reminders

Wednesday 18th December is our day full of festivities, including our **Christmas Lunch** and **Christmas Jumper Day!**

The **Elf Run**, will take place on the **same Wednesday** and the children will need trainers for this. Emails from FONDS regarding donations will be sent out soon.

WANTED!!

Any small cardboard boxes approx. the size of the mini cereal boxes (very specific). See the photo for reference:



8 PACK

Please send to Toucans if you have anything like this and we will take donations of boxes until the end of January. Thank you in advance!

Swimming and P.E. next term

For the Spring term, Swimming pauses for children in the **Thursday** groups. The children that swim in the **Tuesday booster groups** will continue to do so and a letter regarding any changes to their swimming days will be sent out in due course. We will have P.E. lessons in the Spring term on both **Mondays (Football)** and **Thursdays (Dance)** so please send your child into school in their kit on these days.

KIRFs

The next Year 3 Key Instant Recall Fact is: **to know all multiplication and division facts for the 8 times table.** Additional information regarding the KIRFs and ways to work on them at home can be found on the school website. Please keep using TT Rockstars for this KIRF too!

THANK YOU!

We'd like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support this term. It is a big transition from KS1 to KS2 and we have been amazed at how well and how quickly the children settled in and got stuck into their learning. We are also so grateful for the support given from you all at home so **thank you!** from the all of the Year 3 team.

Have a fantastic rest of this term and Christmas Break, keep yourselves safe and well, and we look forward to seeing everyone fresh faced and ready for the New Year!

All the merriest wishes,
Mr. Evenden and Miss Tennent