



School of CHARACTER

EYFS Catch Up!

Week ending: 20th December 2024

We would like to start this newsletter by thanking you all for coming to watch the Early years Nativity this week, we hope you enjoyed it as much as we did! We would like to congratulate all children for how amazingly well they performed with such confident voices.

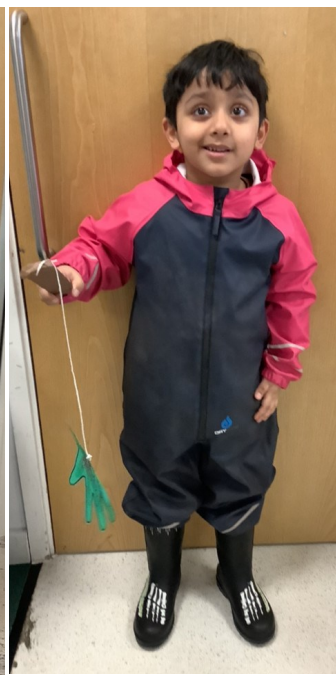
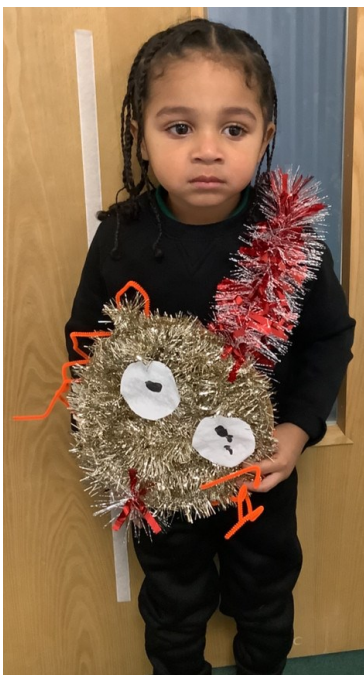
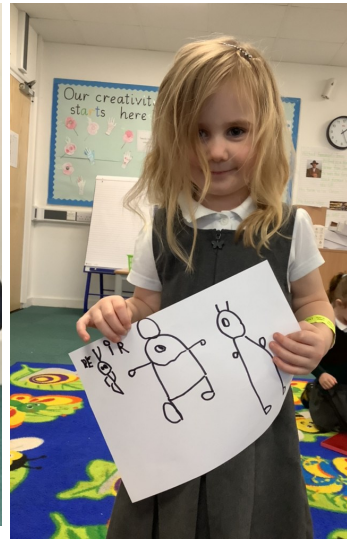
It has been a busy few weeks filled with Christmas lunch, a pantomime, Christmas card making and much more! This week children have been enjoying end of term parties, a big thank you to the friends of Floreat who kindly donated funds to make our parties extra special!

As this term draws to an end we would like to wish you all a happy and safe Winter Break, see you in the New year on Tuesday 7th January.

What has happened in Nursery recently?	What has happened in Reception recently?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nightingale class have been investigating what makes a home and how homes are the same and different. They have been creating their own houses out of different materials focussing on how materials stick together. To support this learning, children also took part in a walk around the local area. Seacole class have been exploring weight in maths using scales. They have been using language of heavy and light to compare objects and make predictions. They have also been creating different places, exploring which materials stick together and how the weight of an object can determine the materials they might use to build with. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reception have been working hard to develop their independent writing skills, children are growing in confidence and are now writing some amazing sentences using their sounds. In maths, children have been exploring positional language. Children explored language such as on top, next to, forwards and backwards. As part of wider curriculum, children have been exploring winter festivals including Christmas and Hanukkah. All children made cards and enjoyed taking part in end of term celebrations. Both Darwin and Simmonds class enjoyed a marble treat in which they watched 'Stickman'

Upcoming dates and events	Reminders
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> INSET DAY (school closed for children): Monday 6th January 2024 Term begins: Tuesday 7th January 2025. Reception trip to the Science Museum: Thursday 23rd January 2024. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As you can imagine accidents do happen in the Early Years please support your child to be as independent as possible if they need to change their clothes by placing spare clothes (socks, underwear in particular) in to their bookbag. Please ensure that your child has their library book with them on their library day so that they are able to change it each week and make full use of the brilliant school library. Adult helpers are still needed for Reception's trip to the Science Museum on 23rd January 2024, please let Miss Morgan or Miss Stubbs know if you are available to help.

Nursery photos



Reception photos

