Personal, Social and Emotion

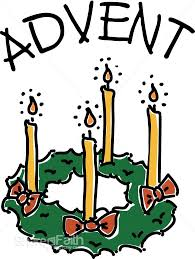
Introduce our kindness advent calendar to the children. Each day morning, we will open the door and talk about how we can be kind to each other. We will share acts of kindness at the end of the day.

Physical Development

The children will be working on their game skills with Miss Marsh on Thursday morning. We will continue to work on our scissor skills and pencil control in the classroom. In our outside area we will be practising our skipping skills.

Communication and Language

This week we are going to be talking about preparing for Christmas and what the children have done in their own homes to get ready. We will be listening to the Christmas story and sequencing the events. We will be introducing Christmas and nativity words.

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Literacy

This week we will reading and sequencing the Nativity story with the children. They will be sounding out simple CVC words and writing simple sentences to retell part of the Nativity story. The children will be learning the ch, sh, j and x in phonics

Understanding of the World

This week we will be looking at some of the traditions surrounding our festival of light-Christmas. The children will be decorating the classroom, role playing going Christmas shopping, sorting out presents and talking about our family traditions. The children will be looking at the Christian story of The Nativity

Mathematics

The children will continue to work on number recognition and formation to five. This is a tricky skill for the children and help at home with simple counting and writing numbers would be appreciated. We will be ordering numbers and adding one more and taking away one. The children will be looking at money and using it in our Christmas shop. .

Expressive Arts and Design

This week we are created a friend themed Christmas wreath to go on the outside of our school. The children will be role playing The Nativity story and learning our away in a Manger song.

Parental Involvement Activity

As you are aware we have been asked to sing at the Winsford Drive-In carol Service on Sunday 13th December at 6pm. As you can imagine we are very excited about this lovely opportunity. We are singing Away in a Manger and we will be dressed up in costumes. Please could you practice this song at home to make sure your children knows it well. This is the version we are doing <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9CJFt7BZKUU>. Thank you