

# P4 NewsLetter

Welcome back to Term 2. Please get in touch if you have any queries:  
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## Travel agents and Christmas traditions

Important dates-

Learners conference- 19th and 20th November

Parental come join us afternoon- 28th November

Christmas show-12th December

Christmas dress rehearsal- 10th December

Christmas Party- 19th December

### Christmas show

This term we will perform our school show at the Baptist church on the 10th and 12th of December. We will be performing The Stars Come Out for Christmas. We will be casting and sharing lines soon in school. Please check bags for lines. We will be also sharing any help we need with costumes.

### TOPIC

**Our first topic this term will be travel agents linked to budgets. We will be planning trips and researching these. We will be learning to work out the amount of money I need to buy items, understanding that I may not always be able to afford the items. We will be learning to explain why we cannot afford certain items.**

**Our second topic is Christmas through the ages. We will learn about how Victorians celebrated Christmas and find out what traditions are present now and how they have been adapted.**

### HWB

P.E this term will be on Monday and Wednesday . We have been offered a fantastic opportunity to work with some students from D and G college who will work with us on Wednesday. Please make sure to come dressed in PE kit.

This term we will be focusing on safety linking it to darker nights, Halloween and bonfire night ensuring we know how to stay safe. This term we will continue to learn the UN Rights of the fortnight through assemblies and class tasks.

### HOMEWORK

Homework will be sent out the week beginning 4th of November. This will include lines for the Christmas show.

### Expressive Arts

This term our expressive arts will be covered through our Christmas show. We will be learning songs and dance for our performance. We will also be creating props and displays for the show.

### Reminders

Please ensure you are sending suitable clothing for all weathers this term. We will still like to get outside as much as possible for play, outdoor learning and PE. Please also make sure you are following the class sway for any updates and key information.

### LITERACY

This term we will develop our listening skills by learning to take notes from things we have watched, listened to and read. We will work on developing our spelling strategies and using spelling patterns in our writing. We will also be working on our presentation skills by learning letter formations.

As a class, we will be focusing on a wide range of reading skills.

During reading and writing our focus will be recount and descriptive texts. We will be developing our skills at recalling information and sharing our ideas with others.

### ICT

Our focus in ICT this term will be search and research. We will link this to our topic and use the information we have found to create different presentations by building on the functional skills we developed in term 1.

### Numeracy

This term we will be working on multiplication and division by learning different strategies. We will be continue to develop our mental maths strategies through a variety of games.

For our topic maths we will be looking at money and linking this to our topic.

### RME

This term in RME we will be looking at the world religion of Hinduism and the different celebrations in that religion.