



DARTINGTON
CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY

Starlings Weekly Newsletter

Friday 3rd December 2021

Reading –

Please read at least 4 times a week and record what you have read in your reading record.

Home Learning – Sounds



Please do not forget to login to Oxford Owl and read the texts assigned to your child. There may also be a quiz to do which will be based on sounds the children are familiar with.

Dear Parents and Carers,

What an amazing week we have had rehearsing our Nativity. The children are doing so well remembering all their words, thinking about their entrances and exits and learning their dances. As you can imagine, we are disappointed that we will not be able to welcome everyone in to watch our show, but we are currently exploring the best way we can record the performance and share it with you electronically. As such, we may have to start recording the Nativity next week, so please can you ensure all costumes are in school on Monday.

Our class sound of the week is 'o_e'. For home learning, we would like the children to watch the short video to practise this sound. Please note, this link expires on 15th December.

<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/5rzhMVVa/k4aNhmoJ>

(Or scan the QR code)

A message from Miss Humphries ... Jolly Jars and Tombola

Ahead of next week's Christmas Fete, if you would like to make a jolly jar or contribute an item to the tombola, please could these be handed into Red Kites or Swifts classroom, no later than Wednesday 8th December.

What is a jolly jar and what can I include?

A jolly jar can include a selection of small items such as sweets, mini toys, Lego, arts and crafts materials, stored inside a clear glass jar. These can be decorated with ribbons and wrapping paper, and then will be sold as part of a stall at the fair.

Children are welcome to buy back their own jolly jar, or a totally different one!

For the tombola - we would really appreciate any donation items, this could be things such as Teddies, Unwanted gifts, toys, or books (in good condition) and Sweet and savoury treats. Thank you 😊

If you have any concerns or questions, then please do speak to us or send a message via the office dartington@lapsw.org.

Many thanks,
The Key Stage 1 Team

Class Attendance

Please ensure your child attends school every day.

Every day missed is 6 hours of learning lost.



Star of the Week

Max – for his improved attitude towards his learning. He has worked really hard this week, and produced some wonderful written work. Keep it up Max. 



Important!

Please bring in all costumes in a named bag.

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