



VPJS Weekly News

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Learning and Achieving
Together

15th December 2023

Two days to go.... Thank you for your donations for Mission Christmas. We have had another busy week and the children have been continuing to work hard. It was a real pleasure to watch the Winter Concert with Year 4, the Choir and Street Club dancers performing so brilliantly this week. In every performance, their enthusiasm and smiles on their faces was lovely to see - they certainly made everyone smile and brought some festive cheer. Well done to the adults who joined in with the singing too! Another main highlight of mine this week was going to watch the Infant plays (if you have younger children at the Infants, please tell them I thought that they all did an amazing job). They definitely made me smile and they should be proud of themselves. Thank you for all of your continued support this term and I know that we will continue to learn and achieve together in 2024. I wish you and all of your families a safe holiday and be kind to yourselves. *Mr. Wilkinson*

Monday 18th December - [FAF! Secret Sale - Years 3 & 4](#) - if the children want to buy any gifts, they need to bring in £4.00 per gift. The money needs to be in an envelope with their name on.

Monday 18th December - [Christmas Parties](#) - for all year groups. Children need to come to school in their party clothes in the morning. All children will need to bring in their own individual snack of a drink, packet of crisps and one sweet treat.

Tuesday 19th December - [School Closes](#) at normal time- the Junior Hub will be open after school.

The children return to school on **Thursday 4th January 2024**

Home Learning Challenge

There is a copy in the children's Learning Journals (page 49)

Your challenge is to learn some words or phrases from another language to share with your teacher and class.

You could:

- Research phrases from another language.
- Translate your favourite phrase into another language.
- Learn some basic sign language.
- Teach your class about any language you learn or speak outside of school.



You will need to be prepared to share your learning with your class on:
Friday 5th January 2024.

**Our Values: Respect, Equality, Aspiration,
Responsibility, Love, Courage**