



30th November 2018

Dear Parents,

The children are busy rehearsing for our Christmas nativity and probably driving you mad humming and singing everywhere. I have been especially proud of them during practice as they always give it their all!

This week in maths, the children have been continuing to develop their understanding of measurements. We have looked at capacity and weight and focused on being able to convert measurements, focusing on millimetres, centimetres, metres, grams, kilograms, millilitres and litres! They also had a mental maths test on Monday and I was pleased to see them think about the methods they have secured so far...and use them.

In English, the children are making their own 'Ancient Egyptian' information booklets. They have completed some of their booklet on computers and some in their own writing. This has been to enable them to focus on the difference between fiction and non-fiction, giving them the opportunity to focus on the information they have learnt in term 1 and 2. I am very impressed with the level of knowledge they have gained. We will finalise this topic at the start of term 3 before moving onto our next topic 'Africa!'

The children will be trying an 'Egyptian' breakfast next Friday. I will be bringing in dates, figs, hummus, pitta bread and honey. If there is anything your child cannot have, please let me know as soon as possible. They are free to try anything, or nothing should they wish. I wanted them to have the opportunity to wear their outfits from the school trip again; this is also optional but if they are not dressing up they will need to be in their school uniform.

The children have a maths sheet to complete for home learning.

Please remember that we have Forest School on Tuesday; the children will need to be layered up in warm clothing. If you have a current DBS check with the school and would like to help us on Tuesday, please let me know.

Kind regards,

Mrs Wardle and Mrs Ward