

Year 6 letter

Dear Parents,

Christmas may be coming, but we have still worked rather hard in Year 6 this week - the children don't call me Mrs Grinchstead for nothing!! In maths, the children solved multi-step word problems and calculated the area and perimeter of rectangles and compound shapes. In English, we used the lovely 2012 John Lewis advert 'The Journey' as inspiration for a long, descriptive piece of narrative. In art, the children began to create winter watercolours which will become their Christmas cards for you.



Nativity

I was so proud of the whole of Key Stage 2, but particularly Year 6, as this year's nativity was so successful. I'm sure you agree that the children sang beautifully and Year 6 spoke clearly and remembered everything they had to do. It was a final opportunity to see them looking so cute in nativity costumes too! Every child has been given a photograph of themselves in costume - if it hasn't made it home, ask why! I'm happy to print a second one if need be.

Teacher of the Week



One thing I love about doing 'teacher of the week' is that children often surprise me with their interests or talents. This was certainly the case yesterday, as I would never have predicted that Emma would give a talk about WWE! She certainly knows a lot about the subject and gave an excellent presentation, ending in a quiz.

Home Learning

I'm sure the children are as exhausted as I am after this long week, so there will be no more home learning (apart from reading and times tables practice of course) until after the Christmas holiday.

Christmas Party

The children should have brought home a letter about the Christmas party, which takes place next Tuesday. I would really appreciate it if you could send in the item highlighted on the letter. Children may wear their own clothes all day.

Best wishes,

Louise Grinstead