

Year 2 Newsletter

Friday 30th November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

In English this week, we planned and wrote our own versions of 'Flat Stanley'. The children thought of their own ideas for what adventures their character could have when they became flat. We focused on writing a clear beginning, middle and end. We also tried hard to use adjectives and adverbs in our writing to make it more detailed and interesting to read.

We also began learning about Florence Nightingale this week. We found out about how she became a nurse and what she did to make improvements to the hospitals during the Crimean war. Then we wrote a letter from Florence in Turkey, back to her parents at home, describing her experience.

In RE, we looked at the story of Jesus's birth from Luke's Gospel. We went on a story trail around the school to remind ourselves of the different parts of the story, then we wrote the story out in our own words.

For our advent calendar this year, we will have a 'kindness calendar', where the children will have acts of kindness to carry out. I'll send a copy home next week in case they want to do some tasks at home!

Thank you so much for all who could attend our Christmas decorations afternoon. We hope you enjoyed it as much as we did! I've popped in a few of the MANY photographs taken this afternoon!





Forest school will be next Friday 7th December.

Spelling and Times tables tests will be on Thursday again next week due to forest school on the Friday.

I hope you have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Mockler

Year 2 Spellings

**The sound /v/ spelt
with '-il' and '-al' at
the end of words**

<i>pencil</i>	<i>metal</i>
<i>nostril</i>	<i>petal</i>
<i>fossil</i>	<i>capital</i>
<i>pupil</i>	<i>hospital</i>
<i>evil</i>	<i>animal</i>