



Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November

Dear Parents and Carers

### Dates for your diary

Friday 1<sup>st</sup>  
December  
Christmas  
Fayre –  
Chocolate  
Tombola stall in  
aid of Puffin  
Class funds

### Chocolate Tombola at the Christmas Fayre

Please carry on collecting chocolate for our tombola. We have plenty of boxes of chocolate now, but really needed small chocolates such as bags of fun-size bars, or other small chocolates.

You should have received the raffle tickets for our class raffle. If you are able to buy the tickets or sell them to friends or family, that would be great. If you need any more, please ask.

I will need all ticket duplicates and money back by next Friday. Thank you.

### Cooking

This week we used our cooking time to make salt dough Christmas decorations. We will paint the decorations next week. The children helped to mix the dough, roll it out (without trying to taste it!), and cut out Christmas shapes.



## Christmas

I will let you know important dates leading up to Christmas as soon as I know them. Our Christingle service will take place on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December in St James Church. I will let you know the time next week.

Christmas preparations and activities can be stressful for autistic children, so we will try to keep our timetable as close to normal as possible. We will have Christmas decorations in the sensory area in class, but the rest of the room will be low distraction as usual.



### Christmas Fayre next Friday

As you will know from the letter from Mr Cook, we will be closing school at 2.30 next week. This is so that we can have our Christmas Fayre from 3.00 - 5.30. We hope that you will be able to join us, but understand that it can be difficult. If you are coming and need us to keep your child off their bus, please let us know beforehand.

### Star of the Week!



This week's Star of the Week is Alex who will be able to take Ben, our class bear home for the weekend. Well done, Alex!

We hope that you all have a lovely weekend.

Mary Seaman and Puffin Class staff.