

# Reception Newsletter

12th December 2025



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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a lovely and very busy time in Reception and would like to share what we have been learning.

🎨 Drawing Club

This week in Drawing Club, the children have been enjoying activities based on The Grinch. They have loved listening to the story, discussing the characters and using their imagination to create detailed drawings. It has been wonderful to see their creativity, storytelling skills and confidence grow.

12/34 Maths

In maths, we have been consolidating our learning. The children have been revisiting key skills such as number recognition, counting, comparing amounts and simple number bonds. They have worked hard to apply what they already know with increasing confidence.

abc Phonics

In phonics, we have been consolidating learning and completing assessments. The children have done a fantastic job showing what they know, and we are very proud of the effort and focus they demonstrated during these sessions.

🎨 Christmas Crafts

The children have also been very busy taking part in Christmas craft activities. They have enjoyed creating festive decorations using a range of materials, developing their fine motor skills and creativity. Their enthusiasm and independence have been lovely to see.

🎄 Nativity Performance

A huge thank you to everyone who came to watch our Nativity. The children did an amazing job and performed with such confidence, enthusiasm and big smiles. We are incredibly proud of them all and hope you enjoyed watching as much as we enjoyed preparing for it.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Kind regards,

The Reception Team 🎄 ✨

## AWARDS



Every week, the staff look out for those children who are just that little bit extra special in the current week to award them one of our Achievers Certificates. It might be for lots of effort, fantastic presentation, super learning behaviour, lovely manners, being extra helpful or just that bit more determined than the others to finish their work accurately. They might be an outstanding all-rounder.

Achievers

All of reception for their wonderful performance of  
'Wriggly Nativity'



VIPs

Carter

Vinnie

### Dates for the Diary

**Tuesday 16th December**

Christmas Crafts

**Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th December**

Breakfast with Santa

**Friday 19th December**

Party Day -own clothes