

Our Week In Reception

Friday 17th December 2021

N E W H A L L

What an amazing term we have had. We have loved getting to know your children this term and the confidence they are showing in their independence, as well as learning to apply the skills they have learnt.

We have had another fun-packed week. The planetarium visited on Monday and it was incredible. We really enjoyed looking at the solar system and it was a wonderful way to finish our topic of To Infinity and Beyond.

Our Christmas jumper day was lots of fun. We all enjoyed our Christmas dinners and the children were adventurous and tried all the trimmings too! The teachers and children sat together to enjoy the Christmas dinner and it was so nice to spend some time celebrating together.

The children loved going on our first school trip this week when we went to see The Great Sleigh Ride. They listened carefully to the adults and sat beautifully through the performance. We were even lucky enough to meet Santa afterwards and he gave each child a small gift too. It was a great performance!

We have continued our Christmas theme this week and the children been busy making Christmas cards and decorations for you—no peeking though!

This morning we walked up to the post-box to post our class letter to Father Christmas. What a lot of excitement. We made some wooden decorations for the tree outside the café in Newhall and on the way back we hung these up to decorate it. You can go and visit the tree so your children can show you their decoration too.

Next half term's topic is 'Once upon a time.' We will be reading traditional stories and have some great activities planned.

Have a wonderful Christmas holiday.

The Reception Team— Miss Gooch, Miss Maddams, Miss Watson and Mrs Matthews.

Home learning task.

We have sent home a snowflake homework for the children to complete with their families over the holiday period. As always, we love to see what you have been up to at home so please send some photos on Tapestry that the children can share on the first week back.

