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Dear Families,

### CHRISTMAS EVENTS

As December approaches, we wanted to let you know how we will be celebrating in school this year.

#### Christmas Cards – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December

We will once again have our Christmas Post Box in Reception from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December for children to post their cards to their friends. Please ensure that cards have full names and classes on. Helpers from each class will take turns to sort and deliver the cards to classes. We are not able to provide class lists.

#### Carol Concert – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2pm

Please join us for carols and festive songs at St. Mary's Church. Children can go home with their parent at the end or will walk back to school to be picked up from the playground or walk home as usual. Children will not be permitted to go home with other parents unless you inform the office by email before Monday 11<sup>th</sup>. Please do join in with the Carols.

#### Christmas Lunch & Festive Tops – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December

We will have our usual scrumptious Christmas Lunch and Festive Tops Day on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December. The children will all eat together in the hall. Lunches must be pre-ordered in advance so that the Kitchen can ensure enough food for the day. **You will not be able to request a lunch in class on the day.** Children are encouraged to wear their Christmas tops with their usual uniform (no charge). See Menu and order form on Dojo and email.

#### Parent Christmas Crafts – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2.15pm-3.15pm

We are pleased to invite Parents in to enjoy making Christmas Crafts this year. Please arrive via the College Drive Gate to join your child(ren) in class.

#### Friends PTA Hamper Raffle Donations

We would be grateful for donations of food, toys and other festive items for our Christmas Hampers, which will be raffled in assembly on 15<sup>th</sup> December. There will be a fun reward for the class that collects the most (this will be calculated fairly to take account of the difference in class sizes). As in previous years, we would like to make Hampers for Children as well as general food hampers. See flyer on Dojo and email. We would appreciate if the children could take their donations to the classrooms.

#### Panto – Wed 20<sup>th</sup> December AM

The Friends PTA have once again paid all children to enjoy a Panto Performance in school. This year will be Beauty and the Beast

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