



Newsletter Friday 16th December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

Here is the final newsletter of 2022! We have taken part in lots of Christmas-themed activities over the past fortnight so here are some of them to help you enter into the Christmas spirit.

Nativity



Year 1 and Year 2 performed a lovely, traditional Nativity for their parents and families. It was very special to see the familiar characters up on stage and to hear their enthusiastic singing.

Christmas Jumper Day!



On the 9th December, along with a lot of others across the whole country, we all donned our Christmas jumpers and raised money for Save the Children. We had a Christmas jumper show in the hall and it was great to see such a wide range.



As part of our Reduce, Reuse, Recycle mission, we would like to do the same with Christmas jumpers. If you have any Christmas jumpers that your children have outgrown, and you would like to donate them to other children within the school, please bring them to the school office, or keep them safe to swap for next year. Thank you!

Out and about in our community

The children in Year 3 walked to Kirkwood Hall to spread some Christmas musical magic amongst the residents and staff.



All of the children in Key stage 2 walked to St Matthew's to take part in their Christmas service and to dress one of their special trees. Please take some time to go and look at the range of trees which have been decorated by a range of community groups.



St Matthew's also extends a warm invitation to you all to their services over this festive period – You can visit www.leyburn.church for more details.

Although Christmas is a wonderful time for families, it can also be a challenging one, which is especially the case this year. We hope that you all keep warm and healthy and make the most of time with loved ones.



Two members of our PTFA came into assembly this morning to draw the hamper raffle. Our lucky winners have been contacted and will take home these lovely prizes, just

in time for Christmas. Thank you so much to everyone who bought a ticket. Over 1000 tickets were sold!



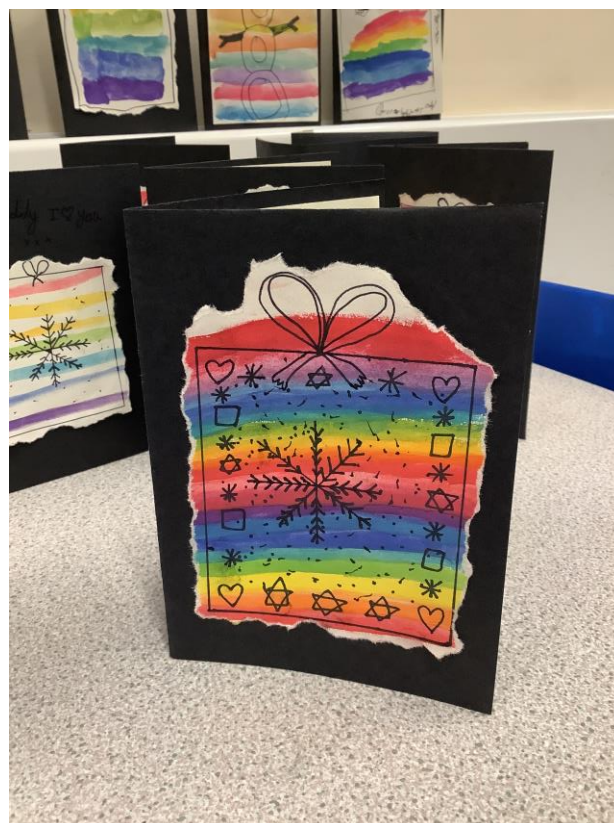
With very best wishes from everyone at Leyburn Primary School.



We have had more than our fair share of 'nasties' this term and very few of us have escaped them, including the staff.

Well done to the following children who managed to steer clear of illness and who have had 100% attendance this term:

- Reception – Hannah, Isabella, Oliver and Leo
- Year 2- Charlie, Morty, Dan R. and Zoe
- Year 3 – Edward, Oscar and Billie
- Year 4- Seb, Edward, Zac and Eleni
- Year 5 –India, Felicity and Liam
- Year 6- Josh E and Daniel J.



Card courtesy of Olivia C. in Year 4.

Tuesday 3rd January is a training day for staff. We will see the children back in school on Wednesday 4th January.