

Well, whilst we may not know what Christmas will look like at home this year, we do have some idea of how it will look at Breachwood Green School and we're hoping to make it as special as possible...

### **The Christmas Play:**

This year we plan to have two performances for Christmas:

- a Class 1 & 2 performance
- a Class 3 & 4 performance

As always, the children will rehearse the performances in school. Support from home with lines really improves the quality of the performance so please could we ask you to help your child with this.

We will video the performances and burn them onto DVDs for you to buy - you can then have your very own movie night at home to watch your child perform! Information about your child's part and their costumes will be sent out as soon as possible.

## **Christmas Cards:**

This year we are unable to distribute Christmas cards as we normally would so please don't send any in.

Instead, every class will create their own, flat Christmas tree to be displayed on the wall in the hall or a corridor. Each day, for a week, each child will be given a star to decorate in school and write a message on for their friends and teachers. The star will then be placed on the class Christmas tree for everyone to see and read.

Not only does this allow us to remain 'Covid safe' but it is also ecofriendly as less Christmas cards mean less trees being cut down, which destroys animals homes and our environment.

#### **Christmas Lunch:**

I am really pleased to let you know that we will be having our very exciting Christmas lunch this year, albeit with a few changes. We have decided to have Christmas lunch across two days so we can carry it out in our Key Stage bubbles: Class 1 & 2 will have their Christmas lunch on Wednesday 9th December and Class 3 & 4 will be having their Christmas lunch on Thursday 10th December.

To make this even more special this year, we would like the children to come in - on their Christmas lunch day - in a Christmas outfit (it could be a Christmas jumper or a party outfit, but no high heels please).

#### **Christmas Raffle Hampers**

It is traditional at Breachwood Green School to raffle off a Christmas Hamper for each class; they are normally very impressive! The money raised from this has previously been used to revamp each classrooms reading area. This year we intend on selling raffle tickets at the gate at the end of the school day and also online. More information will follow soon.

# <u>Christmas Jumper - 11th</u> <u>December 2020</u>

Let's do this! Friday 11

December 2020. The greatest day of the whole entire year!

Wear a Christmas jumper and get every single person you know to do the same!

Please ensure your child wears their school bottoms and their polo-shirt.

#### **End of Term Assembly**

We will be holding our End of Term assembly at 9:30am on the last day of term Friday 18th December. This assembly is a celebration assembly, where teachers present awards to children for their achievements over the last term.

This will be a virtual assembly.

More information will follow soon.

## **Christmas Carols**

Unfortunately this is the one event we will be unable to hold this year as it is very tricky to do virtually! We will, however, make sure we keep singing in school, in our bubbles!