

This half term we are learning about different festivals and celebrations in this country and around the world.

We will create neon night creatures, sparkly firework pictures, role play around the bonfire and make real Christmas cards for printing.



We have been learning

about the Hindu festival

of light Diwali and

making Rangoli patterns. We drew Mehndi hand designs and danced to Indian music.



The children have already

made Christmas cards

that are off to the printers and we will set up a Christmas shop and role play in December; writing cards and posting them.

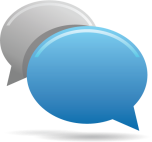
A full copy of the planning is on the notice board for your perusal.



Remembrance Day

Mon 11th November

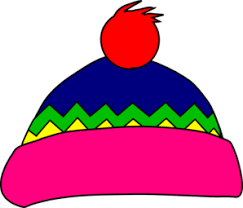
There is a collection pot and various poppy items on our welcome table. Please donate and help yourself to some poppy badges, pencils and stickers.



There will be an opportunity to look through your child’s special books and share summaries of development in December. But please always feel free to chat to your child’s key person about your child’s development or any concerns at any time.



Keep telling us about your child’s WOW MOMENTS outside Pre-school so we can share these with their friends. There are Wow slips in the Parents’ folder on the Welcome table.

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**Brrrrrrr**

The chillier weather is here so please don’t forget to always

bring a coat & hat to each

session.

Thank you for all

the recent support

with fundraising. The Rotary Raffle raised £108 and the draw takes place on 19th November. GOOD LUCK!



Our policies have recently

been reviewed and

emailed to all parents. It is required by Ofsted that all parents/carers read and

accept our policies while we have their child in our care.

Parents are requested to sign the sheet on the welcome table to confirm they accept our policies.



The children will be

having a YOGA session

on Mon 4th November.



Our next Bag2School

collection is on **Friday**

**6th December** so have a good clear out before Christmas. A reminder what can and can’t be collected;

Men’s, ladies’ and children’s

 clothing, paired shoes (tied

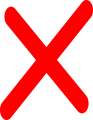
together), handbags, hats,

bags, scarves, ties, jewellery,

lingerie, belts, soft toys,

linen, curtains, towels,

bedding.

 Duvets, blankets, pillows,

carpets, rugs, school

uniform, corporate clothing,

textile off cuts, soiled or

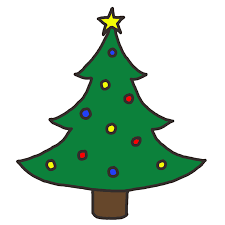
ripped clothing.



Applications for Primary school places in Devon opens 15 November 2019.

if your child was born between the 1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016, you will be able to apply for your child's **school** place from 15 November 2019.

You can apply online at [www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline](http://www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline)



Our **Christmas Show**

will be on Wednesday 11th December at 2.00pm. All parents and relatives are welcome to come and enjoy our seasonal entertainment and refreshments.



**Plymtree Pre-school Christmas Fayre is on Sunday 8th December** in the village hall.

Get in touch if you would like a table to sell your Christmas crafts and food.

Come and do some gift shopping and enjoy the festive spirit.

**Key Person/ Child**

**Clare Elaine**

Hazel Dominic

Isaac Szymon

Harry George LP

**Angela Elaina**

Evelyn Noah

George Scarlett

Daisy Chloe



**DIARY DATES**

Mon 4 Nov **Yoga**

Wed 6 Nov **MusicSeeds**

Fri 8 Nov **Ball Skills**

Mon 11 Nov **MusicSeeds**

Mon 18 Nov **RugbyTots**

Mon 25 Nov **MusicSeeds**

Mon 2 Dec **MusicSeeds**

Wed 4 Dec **Visit to** **Plymtree**

**Primary School**

Fri 6 Dec **Bag2School**

Sun 8 Dec **Christmas Fayre**

Mon 9 Dec **MusicSeeds**

Wed 11 Dec **Christmas Show**

**2.00pm**

Wed 18 Dec **Christmas Party**

Wed 18 Dec **LAST DAY**

**Term dates 2019/20**

**Autumn**

Wed 4th Sep – Wed 18th Dec

**Half term 21st Oct – 25th Oct**

**Spring**

Mon 6th Jan – Fri 27th Mar

**Half term 17th Feb – 21st Feb**

**Summer**

Wed 15th Apr – Mon 20th Jul

**Half term 25th May – 29th May**

**Term dates 2020/21**

**Autumn**

Mon 7th Sep – Wed 16th Dec

**Half term 26th Oct – 30th Oct**

**Spring**

Mon 4th Jan – Wed 31st Mar

**Half term 15th Feb – 19th Feb**

**Summer**

Mon 19th Apr – Wed 21st Jul

**Half term 31st May – 4th Jun**

Best wishes,

Clare, Elaine, Angela,

Elaina & Ruth.