



## St. Peter's Academy East Bridgford – Newsletter

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Firstly, thank you so much if you were able to bring your child to the Winter Bazaar yesterday. We have had so many lovely comments about their fantastic singing performance - especially as the songs they sang were in addition to the ones they have been learning for the Nativity next week - we were very proud and thought they looked amazing in their Santa hats and festive trimmings.

Rehearsals are going well for the forthcoming Nativity. The performances are next Tuesday morning and Wednesday afternoon - you do not need tickets for this. We hope that the children will rise to the occasion after all their hard work.

In English this week, we have completed our unit of work about Sprout Boy. Our final task was to write detailed character descriptions about him using all the skills learnt over the last two weeks - the results were highly impressive! The children have really enjoyed this work and should now have brought their own Sprout Boy home!

**Maths:** As we are now coming to the end of your unit of work on addition and subtraction, Year 2 have been revisiting areas of learning within the unit in preparation for an assessment to check their understanding and iron out any misconceptions. Year 1 have revised the greater than  $>$ , less than  $<$  and equal to  $=$  signs. From this, we have compared addition sentences for example  $3+1$  is greater than 2. We also explored how there can be more than one answer to a problem.

### **Homework:**

As well as regular reading and spelling/phonic work there is an attached Christmas problem solving activity for the children to complete. We have discussed how best to do this at school and the children seem very keen to get their hands on it!

**Indoor P.E. will continue to take place on Fridays up to Christmas.**

Many thanks,

Mrs D. Gilbey

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