



The Orchards

BRIGHT FUTURES EDUCATIONAL TRUST

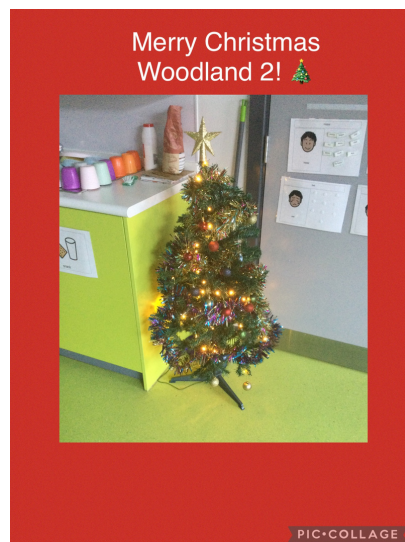
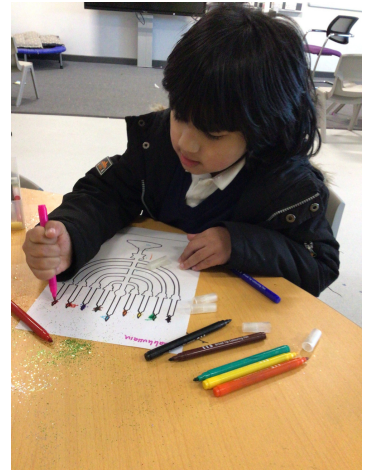
Newsletter

3rd December 2021

Wow what a fantastic week of learning at The Orchard's this week, topped off with a fantastic pantomime for everyone to enjoy. The children are really getting into the swing of Christmas now and are certainly enjoying the glitter and sparkles.

This week we have been joined by our very own Bright Futures Elf. He has been all over school helping out and causing mischief. Follow us on @Orchards_School twitter for more elf escapades.

There are lots of exciting events coming up over the coming weeks so please have a look at the events below - we will try and send reminders on Marvellous Me as we know how busy this time of year is for everyone.



Family Support

Our family team continue to be available to support families with a variety of different things from housing to DLA to sleep tight referrals.

If you would like to make an appointment or to speak to one of the team please give the school office a call.



Diary Dates

Please see below lots of upcoming dates for your diaries. Some of these will be subject to change due to COVID but we will let you know this as much in advance as we can.

10/12/2021 - Coffee Morning with our Family Support Team.

10/12/2021 - Christmas jumper day and Christmas dinner day for all children.

15/12/2021 - OT Workshop for self care.

17/12/2021 - Coffee Morning with our Family Support Team.

17/12/2021 - Last day in school before our Christmas holidays.

04/01/2022 - Return back to school.

Toy Drop

There is still time to contribute to our Toy Drop.



Class Awards



Brambles 1 - Am - Ali for good talking in nursery.

Pm - Samuel for participating well during a table activity.

Brambles 2 - Reegan For sharing the trampoline with his friends

Brambles 3 - Suhayl for consistently and spontaneously exchanging pictures to request, wonderful participation in learning and being kind to his friends.

Meadows 1 - Jack for engaging so well during work time and communicating during PC and snack times.

Meadows 2 - Paris for engaging well during learning time and completing her work

Meadows 3 - Tyler for fantastic sounding out to spell words independently.

Riverside 1 - Luca for making his wishes clear with pictures this week!

Riverside 2 - Marco- for learning to construct simple sentences on a detachable Sentence Strip using an "I want" picture followed by a picture of the item being requested.

Woodland 1 - Esme-Rose for managing her emotions well this week.

Woodland 2 - Reggie for trying really hard to form his letters correctly.

Woodland 3 - Rehan - for communicating so well using his voice

Woodland 4 - Ryan Jackson for his great addition work in maths and his all round polite nature!

Woodland 5 - Lait for being so helpful in class and around school. You are a superstar!

Hilltop - Muhammad for excellent walking all the way to Tiger Play and independently climbing the stairs to the slide!

Head Award - Shajehan Baig for amazing listening and co-operative work throughout his school day.

Sign of the week

Each week the children will focus on learning a new 'core' sign. We will share these with you in the school newsletter and Marvellous Me.

This weeks signs is ... **'TOGETHER'**



Parallel bent hands (palms up, pointing forward) move in towards each other closing to bunched hands (palms up, pointing forwards).

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