



# Foundation Stage Learning at Home Record

Name:	Class: Nightingales/Bluebirds	Date: Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> December
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**Well done to everyone for a fantastic performance of our Christmas Concert. We hope your grown ups enjoyed it.**

☺ **The staff are all very proud of you.** ☺

**Next week...** is our last full week of Autumn Term. What a busy time we have had...and lots of fun along the way! We've been looking back at things we have done during the term and will bring home our "Festival Fun for Everyone" topic folders to share at home over the weekend. Remember to return them on **Monday**. On **Tuesday** we are visiting St. Peter and St. Paul's for a Christmas Carol Service with Mrs New. We'll need coats to wrap up warm on our walk. It's a delicious *Christmas dinner* on **Wednesday** so wear your *Christmas jumper* with your uniform. A special visitor might come to school too...*if we're very good!*

Our Foundation Stage Christmas party on **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December** as a fabulous finish to the term. Come to school wearing your *party clothes*. Remember sensible shoes and a jumper and coat because we will still play outside. **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December** is the last day of term and we'll bring home all our wonderful Christmas craft. Merry Christmas everyone!

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Be Read To</b></p> <p><i>What stories did you enjoy listening to this week?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• _____</li> <li>• _____</li> <li>• _____</li> <li>• _____</li> </ul>	<p><b>Learning Log</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px auto; width: 80%;"> <p>Date issued: 5/12/17</p> <p style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">Advent</p> <p>Date returned: 12/12/17</p> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Physical Activities</b></p> <p><i>How did you use your muscles this week?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• _____</li> <li>• _____</li> <li>• _____</li> <li>• _____</li> </ul>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Culture Smart</b></p> <p><i>What made the world interesting this week?</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>You choose!</b></p> <p><i>What exciting things have you been busy doing?</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Household Helper</b></p> <p><i>What jobs did you help do at home this week?</i></p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Word Smart</b></p> <p><i>Try these ideas</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read the Christmas cards that come to your house. Who are they for? Who sent it?</li> <li>• Sign your name in the Christmas cards you</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Maths Smart</b></p> <p><i>Have fun with these ideas</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Talk about some patterns on Christmas wrapping paper. <i>Try to make your own!</i></li> <li>• Choose 5 presents (carefully!) to sort in</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Phonics Fun</b></p> <p><i>Think of other words that have each sound.</i></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">‘b’ as in <b><u>b</u>ird</b></td> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">‘h’ as in ‘<b><u>h</u>and</b>’</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">‘f’ as in <b><u>f</u>ish</b></td> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">‘ff’ as in ‘co<b><u>ff</u>ee</b>’</td> </tr> </table>	‘b’ as in <b><u>b</u>ird</b>	‘h’ as in ‘ <b><u>h</u>and</b> ’	‘f’ as in <b><u>f</u>ish</b>	‘ff’ as in ‘co <b><u>ff</u>ee</b> ’
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send. Try to write 'love' and 'from' from memory. Remember to start each letter at the top.

different ways. Perhaps how big or heavy they are!

'l' as in 'leg'

'ss' as in 'dress'

Staff comments:

- **Topic Folders:** today the children will bring home their Autumn Term topic folder "Knock, Knock, Who's There?/Festival Fun for Everyone". Enjoy talking about some of the things they have been learning. There is a space inside the front cover for you to add comments if you wish. Please remember to send them back to school **on Monday**.
- **Learning Logs:** Learning logs will be sent home **Tuesday** for you to complete during the Christmas holiday. Please send them back to school in the New Year.
- **Christmas Jumper Day:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December  
Children can come to school in their school uniform with a Christmas Jumper, or decorate one of their own in a Christmas theme. They will enjoy a Christmas Dinner and hopefully meet a special visitor.
- **Foundation Stage Christmas Party: Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December**  
Children can come to school in their party clothes for our Christmas party. Please ensure they wear sensible footwear and a jumper/cardigan and have a coat as we will still play outside. FLSA have donated some prizes for disco dancing etc and your kind contributions will pay for party food. Please remember to tell a member of staff if your child has developed any allergies we do not know about.
- **Wow moments:** Enjoy collecting Wow Moments over the Christmas Holiday and remember to send them in to school in the new term. The template can be downloaded from the school website.
- **Spring Term:** Spring term starts on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018.

**AND FINALLY:** there will be no newsletter next week, so we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support during the term and wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



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Parent/carer comments: