

St. Sampson's Church of England Primary School

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There is a distinctly festive feel in school this week as classes are working on their Christmas celebrations to share with you. In addition, some of the staff stayed on Tuesday evening, 1^{st} December, to put up our decorations. In our virtual Collective Worship this week, we 'lit' the first candle on our advent wreath, appropriately symbolising 'hope'. There is even talk of some snow tomorrow...

As we have moved in to Tier 2, I would like to thank you for your continued support and help in keeping our school safe. I really appreciate everyone respecting social distancing at drop off and collection and all that you are doing out of school to minimise risks. I know it is incredibly difficult to not visit other houses and see family - I know that we are all feeling the same with this. The guidance for school as we move in to Tier 2 remains the same and I attended a Public Health Briefing yesterday about this. We will continue to do all we can in school to ensure that the children feel happy, safe and have a broad range of learning experiences, as well as supporting anyone who has to self-isolate.

Jennifer Bayne

Christmas Post Boxes

Each class will have a chance to go and post their cards between now and 11^{th} December. Please make sure envelopes have names and classes on them! Cards will be delivered on Monday 7^{th} & 14^{th} December!



Dolce Snowmen Picture Winners

Well done to **George (Puffins)** and **Daisy-Sofia (Kingfishers)** who won the snowmen drawing competition. There are lots of lovely designs so thank you to everyone who took part.



Don't forget that all Christmas dinners need to be ordered by Monday at the latest please!



St Sampson's Stars!

A big well done to all our stars of the week ©



Kingfishers - Willow & Romeo Puf

Puffins - Arthur & Isobella

Woodpeckers - Joe & Eli

2/3C - Ellen & Jasper

2/3L - Mia & Archie

2/35 - Harper & Freddie

4/50 - Joe & Freddie P.

4/5R - Josh & Faith

4/5W - Judith & Maya

6B - Calisto & Florence

6J - Annelise & James

