



## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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### *Upcoming Events*

#### *Christmas Concerts*

Janina Sparkles will be presenting a showcase lesson on a Christmas theme on our last day of term, Thursday 12th December. The children look forward to performing some songs to you and we hope you will be able to join us. Times for each class will be sent you you by email early next week.

#### *Father Christmas and his Grotto*

After the concerts, children will have the opportunity to visit Father Christmas in his grotto. I am sure this will offer a lovely photo opportunity.

#### *Christmas Parties*

Children will be celebrating Christmas with a party in their classrooms on Wednesday 11th December. They are welcome to dress in something festive or fancy dress on the day, if they wish.

### *Children In Need*



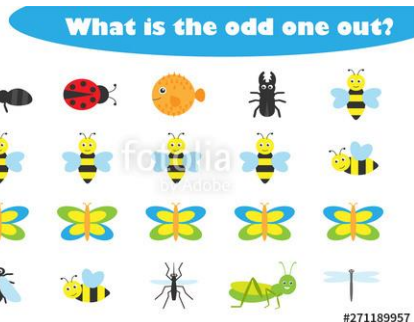
We have had a fantastic day supporting Children in Need. As you can see, the staff also made a fantastic effort donning their pyjamas today.

Thank you very much for your generous contributions. The Pudsey ears were a complete sell out and the children have enjoyed wearing them along with their pyjamas today. We have not yet added up a total but it looks to be a substantial amount.

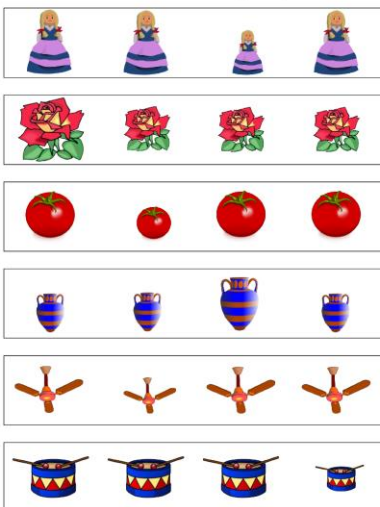


## Curriculum News from Miss Belzer

Odd one out tasks involve finding the picture that is different from the others. Challenges like this can help to instill crucial traits of logical reasoning and differentiation. As children recognise the odd one out, they are also prompted to explain why it is different from the others. This supports children's general knowledge and verbal reasoning. As children analyse a group of objects, they are challenged to sort, classify, visually discriminate and build observational skills to notice things in detail.



Find the odd one in the group



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## Christmas Drinks Party

With our Drinks party on the horizon, we would appreciate your R.S.V.P's by 18<sup>th</sup> November if you have not already done so. If you could please reply to your rep, they are kindly collating the numbers for us. Please note that this event is for adults only.

## Parent Survey

We are currently creating a parent survey that will be shared with you within the next two weeks. We will be running the survey using a tool called SurveyMonkey and we hope that you will be able to find the time to share your views with us, through this platform.

## Class 1 News

This week we have been busy learning all about trains to link with our topic 'Transport'. We have been singing songs and reading stories about trains and pretending to drive our trains around the different shaped tracks!

The children have been introduced to the letter sound 'a' and we have had 'ants on our arm' this week as we enjoyed learning our Jolly Phonics song and action. We have had fun posting pictures of objects beginning with 'a' into our phonics box.

In maths, we have been learning all about shapes and we have made lovely pictures of trains using different shapes.

We finished the week by wearing our pyjamas to school and making Pudsey the Bear masks to support Children in Need.

*Photos  
from Class  
1 this week*





I wish you all a lovely and relaxing weekend. We look forward to seeing the children back at school on Monday.

With best wishes

Mrs Sylvester

Proprietor: Mr Brian Berkery