

# Nursery Newsletter

December 2015

***Happy Christmas to all our children and parents!***

## **Thank you to our parents and children!**

What a wonderful term our children at Oak Hill Nursery have experienced! They have developed hugely over the last term and we are all very proud of their achievements.

Thank you for your continued support with your child's learning and we look forward to working together further after Christmas.



## **Nativity Play**

What a wonderful job our children did during their nativity performances. We were extremely proud of their efforts and we hope you enjoyed their first experience treading the boards! May this be the first of many!

## **Named Belongings**



Please can everyone ensure that their child's clothes are named, particularly uniform cardigans and jumpers which are often removed in the course of a session and are impossible to identify without a name!

A lot of the children have similar coats, shoes and hats which can cause confusion and these also should be named.

Use the time at home with your child to share as many Christmas stories as you can. Perhaps Father Christmas will bring them some in his sack? Look at any presents the children receive and talk about their size using the words big, small, bigger and smaller.

How can I support with my child's learning?

Sing lots of Christmas songs at home such as Jingle Bells, When Santa was Stuck up the Chimney and Away in a Manger. Check the website if you are unsure of the words.



## **What have the children been learning?**

The children have worked very hard, practising their songs for our Nativity, which was a great success. Many of the children knew all the words which is quite an achievement!! We hope that you enjoyed it.

We have been practising writing our names with support from the teachers in Nursery and the children are doing brilliantly!

As always, we have been practising our counting skills and the children are making good progress.