

## Year 5

Dear Parents & Carers,

Firstly, we would like to say a big thank you to those parents who came to support their children in Fern Speak. It was a treat to watch our Y5s in the drama, public speaking and poetry categories. Well done to all of them.

We have started rehearsing our Christmas Concert and look forward to seeing you in the church on the 18<sup>th</sup> December. Please note that doors open at 1:15pm. If you have not already done so, please complete the tear-off slip to let us know how your child will be getting home. All the children will require a packed lunch on that day. If a school packed lunch is required, it must be ordered by Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December. Please also note that there are separate arrangements for those children who are in the choir and you should have received a letter explaining these.

Christmas party day is also looming on the horizon and it would be useful if the class reps would make themselves known to each class teacher to confirm arrangements for that day. We will be looking for parents and carers to supply various items of food, drinks, paper cups etc. Your class rep will let you know the details. We would also like a couple of helpers for each class on the day to help set up, serve and clear up. The children absolutely love their party day and we are always extremely grateful to those parents who are able to give up their time to help.

Have a good weekend.

Year 5 Team ☺

### Homework Reminder

#### Christmas Concert

**Please continue to help your child to learn their song words for the concert.**

**Concert programme cover design: If you would like to enter the competition to design the concert programme, please draw an appropriate design on A5 and in black and white (not pencil please). Return these to your class teacher as soon as possible and by Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> at the latest. Thank you.**



### Date Reminders

#### 18 December

Christmas Concert – All Saints Church, Kingston at 1:30 pm

#### 20 December

Christmas Party & Panto day

#### 21 December

KS2 Talent Show

### Announcements

#### Spelling

This week the children should be learning the use of the hyphen (and we will test contractions). Please keep revising the Y3/Y4 word list in your child's school diary and check they are also familiar with spelling these. **Your child may have been given an individual list of words to learn. If so, they should focus on these as a priority.**

Do not forget times tables and reading - daily!