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## Year 1 & 2 Christmas Musical

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to invite you to our Christmas Musical on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023**. The performance will take place in the KS2 hall from **2:00pm - 3:00pm**. Upon arrival, please enter through the front office, where a member of staff will be available to greet you.

After the performance, we would be grateful if you could remain seated while the children return to their classrooms, where they will collect their belongings. You will then be able to make your way out through the office onto the KS1 playground to collect your child at the end of the day, in the usual place. All other children/siblings are to be collected from outside their classroom at the normal time.

With regards to costumes, please note that we will be talking to the children this week about the songs that they will sing. The children will then be given their character and a sticker will be placed in their planner indicating the costume they will need. Please do not feel that you have to buy an outfit specially, a home-made outfit would be just as wonderful! We kindly ask that you send your child's costume into school in a **named carrier bag** by **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November**.

As you can imagine, the demand for places for such a special event is high. With this in mind, and to ensure that all children have the opportunity to have a family member or friend in the audience, we will need to limit the number of adults attending to **two per family**. Younger nursery aged siblings will be able to attend however due to limited space in the hall, we ask that they sit on parent's/family member's laps. Please complete the google form [here](#) by **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2023** to confirm your attendance.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all your support in providing costumes and helping the children to learn their words. We look forward to seeing you there!

Yours faithfully,

Miss M Kite & Miss R Khattak  
Class Teachers

