

Oak and Beech Class

2nd December

Well done!

The children have been brilliant at practising the songs for the Christmas play. Thank you for organising your child's costume. Please bring it in by Monday 5th December. Thank you!

Thank you to the very kind and strong drillers and those wielding saws. The toy cars are coming along very well indeed!

Handwriting

The children have been working really hard on their cursive writing. We have been reminding everyone to hold their pencil with 'froggy fingers.' Well done to everyone for trying so hard.

Dear Parents,

This week we have enjoyed reading all the letters from 'The Day the Crayons Quit.' We have had great fun working out a story map for the Pink Crayon letter with Kung Fu punctuation as well. We worked with a partner to retell the letter as well as acting out the punctuation needed. On Friday we used our story maps to write the letter. The children worked hard to remember their 'curly school writing' as well as spaces between words, capital letters and full stops. Next week we will be continuing the letter theme and basing our work on The Jolly Christmas Postman.

Maths

This week the children have been working on subtraction using counters and bricks as well as a 100 square. They have been writing number sentences related to the practical work. Eg $20 - 5 =$ Next week we will be using plastic coins to teach the children the value of the coins to £1. We will also be making a shop in the classroom and learning how to make different amounts with the coins. If you come to the Christmas fair on Sunday 11th it might be a great chance for your child to pay for small things.

