

#### WB 4th December 2023

Brrr...what a chilly week it has been!

The children are having lots of practise of being independent and managing their own coats and hats.

They have been doing very well and we are so proud of their efforts!

We have underfloor heating in the nursery which keeps us toasty warm so please avoid extra layers like pyjamas or long johns under trousers.

Mr Manning, our caretaker, has been spreading salt on the school paths but please take extra care on your journey to school.

Our Reading Share session with parents has unfortunately been cancelled for the remainder of the term.

The children will still have the opportunity to have a library book so please bring them in on Thursday's and we will give you a new one the following day.



#### Maths—Pattern



The children have now had two group learning sessions on pattern and we have also been focusing on teaching this concept in the classroom environment.

The first stage of learning about pattern is by the child copying a pattern that you have already made. This is shown to the left.

#### Challenge!

I challenge you to copy this learning at home. Can you make a simple ab pattern with toys that you have at home? The toys could be building blocks, pencils or even pieces of pasta! Please post a picture on Tapestry if you are able.

For more information about ab patterns, please see this video— https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jMsTvH6gTGk

# Our Topic is: **Celebrations**



We are fast approaching our Christmas Nativity performance on Monday 11th December!

It would be fantastic to have as many children as possible to nursery this week so that we are all able to have a good practise.

Thank you for your support!



#### <u>Jewellery</u>

Hooped earrings are not permitted to be worn at school as they are a safety risk. If a child's earring gets caught, this could case serious injury to their ear. Please change to a stud-style earring. Thank you









#### **Monday**

We will be reading our new story—Dear Santa.



#### Tuesday

Nativity Rehearsal

#### Wednesday

We will read our new story, Dear Santa and use matching props. We will then leave these props out for the children to use and retell the story.

#### <u>Thursday</u>

No outdoor learning today—we will be having a dress rehearsal for the show.

Please return library books today.

#### Friday

Christmas Jumper Day!

Nativity performance rehearsal ready for Monday!



## Hillside Primary School Nursery Nativity Performance



Join us on

### Monday 11th December 2023

Drop your child off at the normal time and return at

10.30am

to watch the performance.

Costume details to follow

