

Friday 20th December 2024

Good afternoon,

It has been a fabulous Christmas term at Loose albeit an extremely busy one. The children have worked incredibly hard, have had fun completing Christmas activities and enjoyed watching the Nativity. Thank you to those who attended Christmas service this morning, it was heartening to see the children singing with such enthusiasm as they performed Christmas songs that they have been practising during music assemblies. Their enthusiasm is a wonderful reminder of the joy that can be found this time of year.

In our writing lessons, the children have successfully completed their fiction reports on trolls, dedicating considerable effort to copying their drafts into their beautiful books and illustrating them with delightful decorations. We have now moved on to creating an independent of piece writing, where each child has selected a creature of their choice to create a fiction report about, allowing them to explore their creativity further.

In our reading sessions, we have continued our journey through "Ice Palace," and the children are nearing the end, where an exciting plot twist awaits. Their engagement with the book has sparked meaningful discussions and continued to improve their comprehension skills. We have been impressed by their thoughtful insights and reflections.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR NEXT TERM - Looking ahead to next term, we will be reading "The Wild Robot." If you wish to purchase a copy for your child, you are welcome to do so; however, please rest assured that there is no obligation. Should you decide to buy a copy, kindly refrain from allowing your child to start reading it until we introduce it in school to enhance their experience.

Additionally, we want to highlight the success of our weaving project. Every child has produced a lovely piece which they can be incredibly proud of. This past week, the children have been carefully removing their weavings from the looms and securely tying the ends to wooden sticks, allowing their creations to hang beautifully.

Thank you very much for your continued support this term. We wish you all a wonderful Christmas break and look forward to welcoming the children back in the new year.

Best wishes, The Year Three Team
