Dear Parents,

December was an extremely busy month for Senior Infants. Below are some of the wonderful things we got up to:

Craft Day

Our Parents Association kindly volunteered to hold a craft day with the school. They had wonderful activities organised for the children centred around a winter theme. The chidren were so proud of the art pieces they made and thoroughly enjoyed the morning.



Community Present:

We were so grateful to receive this wonderful Christmas tree from Kavanagh Christmas Trees. The children had great fun making custom decorations for it.



Winter Concert

The children put a huge amount of time and effort into their Winter Concert. Learning the lyrics and the dance moves took dedication and concentration, they should be so proud of themselves! Below are the songs/poems they performed:

- 'Run Run Rudolph' Chuck Berry
- 'Snowball' Shel Silverstein
- 'I Want A Hippopotamus for Christmas' Gayla Peevey
- 'Feliz Navidad' José Feliciano
- Bualadh Bos



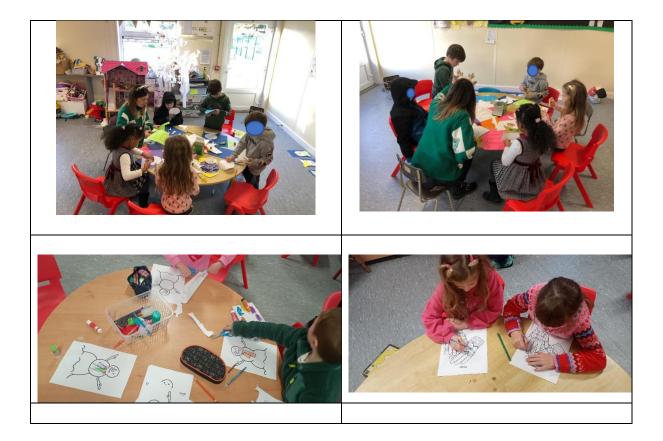
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Our theme for November was 'Winter Wonderland'. The children learned about the Christian festival Christmas and the Jewish festival Hanukkah and did activities to reflect this, along with more typical Winter crafts.

Activities included:

- Menorah making
- Snowman making
- Winter role-play
- Polygon construction
- Winter themed creative writing





Last Day Celebration

On our last day before the holidays, our elf Éanna threw us a party. He very cheekily left snow all over our classroom floor but very kindly brought us healthy treats. We played lovely games, ate our yummy treats and watched a very entertaining winter movie. An extremely exciting day in school!



That's all for now.

Kind regards, Gráinne