

19 November 2020

Dear Parent/Carers

Community Christmas appeal.

This Christmas, we are encouraging the children to think about the people who are in our local community. We are hoping to spread the festive cheer whilst learning about the meaning of giving at Christmas time.

For this, Reception and Year 1 have been teamed up with Avon Valley Care Home. We are hoping to create a Christmas Hamper for the 60 residents at the care home, so that they know they are in our thoughts this Christmas.

The care home said that their residents would be delighted with any token this Christmas, and that they would like an assortment of different things. Some possible hamper suggestions are:

- Home made Christmas card
- Pictures and art work from the children
- Biscuits
- Chocolates
- Scarves, gloves, hats
- Reed diffuser
- Puzzles
- Reading books
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- Photo frames
- Keepsakes for their room

If you would like to wrap and bring a donation into school for the resident's hamper, could you please do so by **Friday 4 December** - we will then quarantine any donations before delivering them. Due to this please ensure that gifts have an appropriate shelf life. If anyone has a hamper basket which they wish to donate, please could you let a member of staff know.

Thank you very much

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