



MEADGATE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer,

The nativity this year is called *Baubles!* Reception and KS1 classes will be performing it to the school and of course parents! There will be two performances on **Wednesday 13th December at 6pm** and **Thursday 14th December at 9:15am**. The morning performance will be for parents and pre-school siblings and the evening performance for parents only

We will be allocating a maximum of **2 adult seats per child**. Pre-school siblings are welcome to attend the morning performance only but due to the limited space we kindly ask that they sit on your lap.

For the evening performance we ask that you bring your child back to school at **5.30pm** even if they do not have a parent attending, in order for them to get changed/apply face paint in time for the show.

Your nativity program will be your ticket to the performance so please ensure you bring this with you on the day. To request programs, please complete the slip below and return to the office by **Friday 1st December**, indicating whether you would like 1 or 2 programs with your preferred performance time, we will endeavour to accommodate everyone as best we can. The programs will be sent home with your child the Friday before the performance. If there are any spare seats available we will let you know nearer the time.

We hope to see you at the performance; the children have been practising the songs already and can't wait to show you this year's amazing nativity!

Please see attached the information of what we would like your child to wear.

Many thanks,

Laurence N. North & Mrs Francis

Miss Laurence, Mrs North, Mrs Ash and Mrs Francis

Child's name Class

Wednesday 13 th December- - 6pm Parents Only (Please indicate no. of tickets required)	Thursday 14 th December- 9:15am Parents/Siblings (Please indicate no. of tickets required)

I give/do not give permission for my child to have face paint applied for the nativity

Signed Print Name

"Baubles"- Costumes

If you wish to buy your child a costume that is up to you or if you would prefer to create it using clothing your child already owns that is absolutely fine too. T-shirts with patterns/pictures on can be turned inside out. See below for the details of your child's costume.

Reception children will be mice- grey, white or brown top and trousers/leggings. Ears would be fantastic and a pink nose and whiskers painted on your child's face would look great too.

Year 1 children will be innkeeper- plain dark trousers and long top/tunic with a dressing gown style belt. Tea towel or pillow case tied with a band for head gear.

Year 2 children- your child's role and costume will be highlighted below:

Narrators- Either a smart shirt with a jacket and trousers or a pretty party dress. Smart shoes also.

Mr Potts- Dungarees/overall of any colour with a shirt beneath and scruffy shoes/trainers.

Archie, Child 1, Child 2 and Child 3- School uniform!

Headmaster- Smart trousers, shirt, tie and shoes. (an academic gown and hat would be great extras if possible)

Townsmen- *Traditional costume*, school shoes fine.

Wife- *Traditional costume*, any shoes suitable.

Mary and Joseph- *Traditional costume*.

Donkey- *Traditional costume*.

Innkeeper 1, Innkeeper 2 and Innkeeper 3- *Traditional costume*.

Angel Gabriel and Angel- White dress (the more sparkly, the better), any shoes suitable.

Sheep 1, Sheep 2, Sheep 3 and Snoring Sheep- White t-shirt and trousers/leggings. Any shoes suitable.

King Casper, King Balthasar and King Melchior- *Traditional costume*.

We appreciate that some of these are difficult requests and if you don't already have them at home and are finding it difficult to locate things then please do not worry, just let us know ASAP. We can then look elsewhere should we need to. Please note that all items will be returned to you after the last performance.

Please send your child's costume in a NAMED plastic bag on or before Thursday 7th December.

Many thanks for your support.