

# Classroom News



Class Name: Blaise Term: Autumn 2 2024-2025 Topic: Is There Anybody There?

## What we have been doing this term:

This term we learnt about the solar system by reading our sensory story 'The Tiny Astronaut' where we explored the properties of each planet and their order from the sun. The students then chose their favourite to make using paints, shaving foam and paper plates for our display, but not before creating our starry backdrop with a Jackson Pollock style art-attack!

We also had lots to prepare for Christmas and joined Norman Team to perform a sing-along rendition of our very own twist on 'The 12 Days of Christmas' to parents. This dominated much of the last few weeks with rehearsals, and culminated in a wonderful trip to the local Garden Centre where we enjoyed the beautiful Christmas lights and snowy scenes.

We also had a visit from a pantomime company who performed 'Jack and the Beanstalk' for us here at school, and Singing Hands too! Many of the students in Blaise have also been creating their own Christmas cards and posing in front of our tree for our annual Christmas photo-shoot.

We've made lots of yummy treats for our families too with chocolate s'more-style edible sparklers, iced star biscuits and ginger Christmas biscuit ornaments, which Faye helped us resource by joining Skipton on their weekly shopping trips to buy our ingredients.

We said a very sad farewell to our friend Khushal this term, we send his family lots of love and hold him safe in our hearts.

## Some photos of us!



## Dates & Points to remember:

Last day of term: Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December

First day back: Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January