



Newsletters

We have now established a very good routine in school and I cannot emphasise enough how much I have appreciated your ongoing support throughout COVID-19. **THANK YOU SO MUCH!!** Moving forward, it would be my intention to send out newsletters on a bi-weekly basis rather than on a weekly basis.

Christmas has arrived in WPSNU

All of the children in school will make a Christmas decoration that they will hang on our Christmas trees in the foyer. Children will only ever be in the foyer in their class bubbles and no two class bubbles will be there at the same time.



Whitehead Foodbank – Adopt a Hamper

As a school we have been invited to support our local foodbank by participating in an 'Adopt a Hamper' project. Our local foodbank delivers around 40 hampers every Christmas and this year they want to extend this in order to send a positive message to the many residents who may be lonely, ill, feeling vulnerable, or who may just appreciate a little something to brighten up their day. They have drawn up a list of around 80 residents who would really appreciate a small, simple hamper.

Given how difficult a year this has been for everyone I felt that this would be a lovely project to be involved in. **If you would like to support this project by putting a small hamper together please email Mrs Lowry, elowry738@c2kni.net by Friday 27 November.** Mrs Lowry will then provide you with some very basic details of the recipient (no names). It's not about a big bold gesture, more a simple way to spread some kindness and show that we care, so please don't get carried away. This is not for someone in need of food, it is more about reaching out to someone who needs a bit of a lift. Hampers should have no more than 15 items in them. Sweets, biscuits, jams, a nice bottle of juice, that sort of thing. **The most important thing your children could include is a hand drawn Christmas card with a message inside. This will mean more to the person or family than anything.**

Hampers will be collected from the school on Wednesday 16th December to be distributed on Saturday 19th December (allowing the hampers a quarantine period).

Key Dates in November & December

- Friday 27 November – Tanzania Day
- Monday 30 November – Anti Bullying Week
- Friday 18 December – Christmas Dinner Day
- Friday 18 December – Christmas Concert & Carol Service on Seesaw
- Tuesday 22 December – Finish for Christmas

Tanzania Day

We have raised **£450** so far. In order to sponsor 16 children (1 per class) we need to raise **£624**.

With your support we will ensure that 16 children in Tanzania can go to school, have a school uniform and get a simple meal, each day for a whole year.

On **Friday 27 November** don't wear school uniform but come to school in the colours of the Tanzanian flag (green, yellow, black & blue).