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NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2023

BUSY DECEMBER

December has been a very busy month and we all got engaged in much more activities than usually. Besides the preparation for Christmas show, we could not forget about learning or working on little presents for you, either. Children wanted to take everything home right away, so waiting until the end of the month was hard, but worth it, don't you think?







CHEER AT CHRISTMAS FAIR

Right away at the beginning of December, we had a chance to visit the Christmas Fair in downtown, so children could feel the right taste of Christmas spirit.





ST NICOLAS VISIT

Of course, as usually, we welcomed a special visit of Mr Saint Nicolas and his helpers - beautiful angel and cheeky devil. We all had much fun while showing them the Xmas performance that we had been preparing for a long time. Moreover, they were a perfect audience! Because they were cheering us on all along the show, and in return for it, they even gifted us with yummy treats.



TEACHERS INQUIRY: What is your favourite Christmas story?

Miška (KOL): I like The Little Match Girl. It's a nice story.

Veronika F (MD): My TOP Christmas story is for sure Perinbaba...I love the music, the plot, all the beautiful characters but mostly lots and lots of snow!

Edinka (SM): I love A Christmas Carol because Tiny Tim's courage and faith touch my heart every time, I read it.

Olga (SM): The Elves and the shoemaker, I remember it the most, because I performed it as a child in a primary school for the Christmas Show.

Simi (MD): I love a classic story about Cinderella, I like the book and the movie Three Nuts for Cinderella with Libuška Šafránková and I can't imagine our Christmas Eve without it.

Majka K (HP): Curly Sue

Mirka (KOL): I love Grinch, because the bitter was made to sweet.

Táña (HP): I love Stickman by Alex Sheffler and Julia Donaldson.

CHRISTMAS SHOW FOR PARENTS

This year, Children from all Funiversity locations joined to practice the same Christmas show, in which they time travelled to various times and places to find Santa. Everyone had an amazing time to rehearse their scripts; kids responsibly learnt their songs and dance moves what they proved during the big performance in front of their families. It was touching to see the mixed groups of kids on the stage, with big ones helping out the little ones to perform and not to be afraid. Well done Funi Kids, you are amazing!!!



WE SPY: How can Santa make it to prepare all the Christmas presents? ?

NURSERY

Danylo (Seahorses HP): If I will listen, I will get presents.

Rebecca (Meercats MD): There are helpers.

Vivi (Seahorses HP): We had an elf on the shelf and he helps him. He is gone now.

Eliot (Meercats MD): Five Batman help.

Miško (Turtles KOL): Because we bake cookies and make gingerbread man for Santa.

RECEPTION

Beni (Hedgehogs SM): Santa puts the presents down the Christmas tree.

Emma (Llamas HP): Every year he asks his mum and dad to help him.

Jakub (Giraffes KOL): Reindeers help him.

Marínka (Llamas HP): Ježiško is bringing presents, not Santa.

Ninka (Squirrels SM): I think that Santa will get to homes and there will be presents in the morning.

Maria (Toucans MD): Nobody knows.

Gordon (Llamas HP): He has elves who are helping him.

Liam (Giraffes KOL): He has presents in the bag and he has helpers.

Mia (HP Llamas): I do not know how he does it, but it is difficult. I do not want to be Santa.

YEAR 1

Davidko (Alpacas MD): You need to eat! He is buying a lot of things when you eat.

Alex (Sharks SM): It's magic. He has a magic wand, and it makes abraka dabra and presents are under the tree.

Alejandro (Arras HP): Santa has special elves that help him. They are small and sometimes green.

Ferko (Sharks SM): When he is outside, he makes a spell and presents come inside.

Janko F. (Koalas KOL): He throws gifts into the houses.

Adamko (Alpacas MD): He will buy so many presents what the kids want, and he will put them under the tree. The reindeers are helping him, so he is faster.

Ela (Koalas KOL): Angels help him.

Riško (Penguins HP): He is magical and he has his super fast sleigh and that is why he can manage.

CLASS PROJECTS



Children enjoyed various **Christmas stories**. While Koalas (Y1) & Giraffes (R) in Koliba, e.g. learned about Gingerbread man; Arras (Y1) in Horsky park read about Elf in the shelf.

Some classes (e.g. Koalas, Sharks or Alpacas) created their own **advent calendars** enjoying proper Christmas countdown before getting presents.



Some classes (e.g. Meerkats, Llamas or Seahorses) took a **Secret Santa** project to make their friends happy.

Many children from all over (e.g. Turtles, Squirrels, Arras, Toucans) took a part in **decorating** their class **Christmas tree**.



Many classes (e.g. Koalas, Alpacas) even made their very own **Christmas wish lists** for Santa to make sure to get what they want.

EVERYDAY LIFE





Are you interested what was special in our classes? Click here to check the activities we've been working on.

[OUR ART GALLERY](#)

CLOSER LOOK AT...

In December, we would like to share with you the overview of various **COMMUNITY** events and activities we run over the academic year.



COMMUNITY

LATEST NEWS



In December, all the employees from kindergarten and school took their well deserved fun at Staff Christmas party and rest to be full of energy again in New Year 2024.

WHAT'S NEW IN OUR SCHOOL

In December, CIS, except for Christmas events, ran also the PBL week children always enjoy. For more, check www.cambridgeschool.eu



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