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Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

<u>Eco Schools Award</u> – This week we have been awarded the Bronze Eco Schools accreditation in recognition of our achievement in working towards developing a sustainable environment.

<u>Christmas Art Work</u> – Children have been getting in the Christmas spirit this week creating their festive Christmas displays – they look great! Please come in after school on Monday 14th December to see them.

<u>Christmas Post Box</u> – The Christmas post box will be in use from Monday 7th December. Children should bring their cards into class and then they will be able to post them at registration. To assist our postmen, please remember to clearly mark envelopes with <u>full name</u> and <u>class</u>.

<u>Christmas Tree Competition</u> – Remember you can come in to school at 8.45am on Friday 11th December to see the class Christmas trees. The winner, chosen by the children will be our school's entry in the St Laurence Church Christmas Tree Festival on Saturday 12th and Sunday 13th December 12 – 6pm.

<u>**Rucksacks</u>** - Please do not send your child in with large rucksacks as the cloakrooms have limited space. Bags only need to contain homework, book and water bottle.</u>

<u>Celebration Collective Worship</u> – the last one for this year will be on Friday 11th December. Bring in certificates by Tuesday 8th December.

<u>Clubs</u>	Finish	Start
Arsenal Soccer	14 th Dec	11 th Jan
Girls Football	7 th Dec	After Feb half term
Performance Group	9 th Dec	13 th Jan
Science Club	9 th Dec	13 th Jan
SDC Activity Club	10 th Dec	14 th Jan
Y3&4 Tennis	11 th Dec	Course finished

Book of the Week – Mrs Greygoose's class have been reading "The Night Shimmy" by Anthony Browne. It is about a shy boy called Eric who is helped out by his secret friend the 'Night Shimmy'. We would recommend other books by Anthony Browne.

Mr A Simms



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We look forward to

seeing you tonight at the Christmas Fayre.



School doors open at 6pm

(main entrance)

Christmas Carols & Bag Pack (at Budgens) – Saturday 5th December

Come and have your shopping packed tomorrow while listening to carols sung by the Bidford School Choir from 10am-1pm.

www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk

So far, only 10 people have shopped via the Giving Machine **BUT** we have already raised £60 for school funds! Just think if 100 people did their Christmas shopping this way...

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