



Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Dear Parent / Carer,

### **CHRISTMAS STORY BOOK VIDEO**

As we are unable to run some of our annual Christmas events, such as the carol concert and Christmas shows. Therefore, we have decided to create a 'Christmas story book video' for all the families of HPP to share at home. The idea will be that each class, from Nursery to year 6, will take part of the story and perform a section each.

The book we are going to re-create is: **How the Grinch stole Christmas!**

A link to the video will be emailed to all parents to enjoy at home. We would ask parents not to share this link as it is for your household family to enjoy.

We are incredibly pleased to announce that this will be professionally filmed and edited by a parent from the Infant School - we are very grateful for this offer.

The filming will take place on **Tuesday 1st December** and on this day we would love the children to come into school dressed in either a **Christmas Jumper** or the following **year group themes**.

**Nursery: Snowed Themed (Snowflakes, snow angels etc.)**

**Reception: Stars**

**Year 1: Elves**

**Year 2: Christmas decoration**

This year the charity we are supporting is shooting Stars the charity. As the children are going to be coming into school in mufti with either a Christmas jumper or Christmas themed dress up we would ask that all parents make a donation on the day.

### **Colouring competition**

As well as videos from each class, we would also like to complement the story with pictures from the children across the partnership. We will be sending out colouring pages which we would encourage children to colour in as part of a competition or the children may like to create their own artwork. These will be sent home next week with details of when we would like children to return them to school. The Executive Leadership Team will then choose a selection of pictures to use within the video. Please ensure that any entries include your child's name and class on the back of the page.

We are all incredibly excited about this event and are sure the end product will be something to treasure.

Ms Lockey

Miss Tester

Mr James