



9th November 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

After school textiles club Years 4 & 5

Starting next Tuesday 14th November, I will be running a textiles club for 20 children in Years 4 and 5 where they will have the opportunity to design, create and sew a small Christmas tree decoration. If more than 20 children want to join the club I will hold 10 names on a waiting list.

As part of the Design and Technology curriculum, children will be learning that a 3-D textiles product can be assembled from two identical fabric shapes, refer to a design criteria and critique against it afterwards.

Your child will need to be willing to stay after school every **Tuesday from 3.20-4.00pm** and be collected from the school reception at 4pm. Each session will be run by myself and Mrs Smith and will involve children discussing their designs and careful sewing to complete the project in the time.

I would be grateful if you are able to provide any old tights or material suitable for stuffing the decorations. If your child particularly wants to use a specific patterned fabric, please provide them with a small square of it (not bigger than 30cm). Otherwise, we are able to provide some material in school but it may have a more limited choice of design.

Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis, booked here on WisePay and the first session will start on **Tuesday 14th November** and the last session will be on **Tuesday 12th December**. There is no charge for this club.

You will be notified by text on Monday 13th November if your child has secured a place in the club.

Thank you for your support.

Regards

Mrs Greathead.

Year 3 teacher.

Headteacher- Mr Gavin Douglas BA(Hons) PGCE NPQSL