

<b>Contact Letter</b>	<b>Date:</b> 29.11.19	<b>Year Group:</b> 4
<b>Topic:</b> St James' - Our Journey		
<b>This week's learning: The matchbox Diary</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Maths:</b> We have revised multiplying numbers by 1 and 0. We have used this knowledge to divide numbers by 1 and 0 and made links between the two operations.</li> <li>• <b>English:</b> We have been learning to check and improve our writing, considering if we could make our sentences more interesting and coherent and improve the range of punctuation we are using. We have also been applying some of the spelling rules we have learnt, including plural suffixes.</li> <li>• <b>Wider curriculum:</b> We have continued to learn the songs and script for the year 4 Christmas production. We enjoyed a very successful RE day where the children took part in a variety of activities linked to the Christmas story, they then watched the staff act out the story on the playground!</li> </ul>		
<b>Next week's learning: Christmas</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Maths:</b> We will continue exploring the concept of multiplication, division and the commutative law, using arrays as a way of understanding and recording.</li> <li>• <b>English:</b> We will be using the structure of the text we have been reading to help us plan our own journey story. We will explore how to start the story before using questions to plan the rest of the journey. In spellings, we will be looking at irregular verbs.</li> <li>• <b>Wider curriculum:</b> We will continue rehearsing our Christmas play and the songs that are part of it. (Thank you to those who have managed to get the costumes in already, by Monday please.) The children will be recording the Christmas story in RE. We will be looking and comparing the results of the children's research into what school life was like for their parents, grandparents and even some great grandparents.</li> </ul>		

