



27th November 2024

Parents of KS2 Children only

Dear Parents,

On Thursday 12th December, we are having a Christingle service in school for Key Stage 2 pupils. We would like your help with the traditional Christingle oranges. Please could you make a Christingle for your child? We will supply the candles. Here are some instructions:

The Christingle service originated in Czechoslovakia and is now celebrated by children all over the world. The children carry an orange which represents the world, and in it is stuck a candle to represent Jesus, the light of the world. Four cocktail sticks with sweets or raisins are pushed into the orange to represent the four corners of the earth – north, south, east and west. The sweets or raisins remind us of all the good things which come from God. The red ribbon is to remind us that Jesus died for us. In a Christingle Service, all the lights are turned off and each child holding a Christingle has their candle alight.

Thank you for your support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M Platt'.

Mr M Platt
Headteacher