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Dear Parents,

Year 2 Nativity Concert

Y2 are busy practising their songs and lines for the Christmas Show! You are invited to one of these performances on:

- Tuesday 15 December 2:15pm
- Wednesday 16 December 9:15am

Seats are available to reserve via **Arbor** for **£2.50 per seat**, with each family able to book up to **two seats**. You may use these for the same performance or split them between the two dates. This limit ensures everyone's safety and allows as many families as possible to enjoy the show.

Important Information:

- Bookings exceeding two seats will unfortunately result in entry being denied, and refunds cannot be issued.
- We kindly ask for your understanding and cooperation in adhering to the two-seat limit, ensuring every family can share in this special occasion.

How to Reserve Your Seats:

1. Log in to **Arbor**.
2. Go to **School Shop >Year 2 Nativity Concert**
3. Select your preferred performance date(s) and secure your seats by completing the payment of **£2.50 per seat**.

Please note that **siblings attending the school** will have the opportunity to enjoy the show during a special dress rehearsal the previous week.

Here is a list of simple costume ideas for our **Year 2 Nativity play**. The most important thing is that the children are comfortable. There is no need to buy anything expensive - homemade and simple is perfect. These costumes will need to be brought into school by Wednesday 9th December in a named bag, in time for our dress rehearsal to the school on Friday 11th December.

Main Roles

- **Mary:** A blue dress or large blue t-shirt (a pillowcase with holes cut for arms/head works well!). A simple headscarf (like a tea towel or piece of light fabric) for her head.

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- **Joseph:** A brown, grey, or beige dress/t-shirt (again, a pillowcase is great!). A belt made of rope or a tie. A tea towel for his head, held on with a band.
- **Angel Gabriel:** A white dress or large white t-shirt. A tinsel halo (tinsel on a headband). Optional: tinsel for a belt and simple cardboard/paper wings.

Groups (Speaking & Non-Speaking)

- **All Narrators:** Children can wear their school uniform or smart "party" clothes to look special.
- **Townsfolk:** Simple tunics in different, plain colours (pillowcases or large t-shirts). Rope or tie belts. Some can have tea towel headscarves.
- **Stars:** Dark clothes (black or dark blue leggings and t-shirt). Wear a large star shape (cut from cardboard and covered in tinfoil or glitter) on their front and back.
- **Shepherds:** An old, large t-shirt or a dressing gown over their clothes. A rope or tie belt. A tea towel for a headscarf.
- **Angel Chorus:** Same as Angel Gabriel. White t-shirts, tinsel halos.
- **King Herod:** A "royal" cape (a piece of rich-coloured fabric like a curtain or blanket). A simple cardboard crown.
- **Wise Men:** Similar to Herod. Brightly coloured capes (blankets are perfect). Cardboard crowns decorated with "jewels" (shiny paper or glitter).
- **Caesar Augustus:** Similar to Herod. A cape (red or purple) and a cardboard crown.
- **Soldiers & Guards:** Dark t-shirt and trousers. A simple breastplate made of cardboard (painted or tinfoil) is optional.
- **Innkeepers:** Same as Townsfolk. An apron (a tea towel tucked into their belt) is a great addition.
- **Chief Priest:** A plain, long tunic (like a white t-shirt).
- **Attendants:** Same as Townsfolk (simple tunics).
- **Sheep:** A white or black t-shirt and leggings. Stick cotton wool balls onto the t-shirt. A headband with paper ears attached.
- **Stable Animals:** Brown or grey t-shirt and leggings. A headband with paper ears (long for donkey, round for cow). A tail (a piece of rope or wool) pinned to their trousers.

If you have any questions, please speak to the class teacher.

Thank you for all your support.

Year 2 team

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