

Our School Dog... Dexter's News!



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Where did 2023 go? I can hardly believe we are already at the end of it but of course I have continued to remain exceptionally busy right to the very last day!



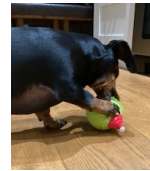
Following my dazzling official school photograph, at the very beginning of this month I was asked to make guest appearances in the Year 3 Production Class Photographs and as you can see, I definitely added a little something by joining in the fun...



One of the things I love most about December is the arrival of an advent calendar! I think it is such a lovely way to start each day with the excitement of what is behind each door (in my case a delicious Christmas shaped treat!)—I wonder how many of you also had an advent calendar to enjoy?

Throughout the first half of this month, I have also LOVED practising the carols with all of the children in our singing assemblies. I do have to tell you that Miss Redman was a bit mean as she said I could not join you all at St Swithun's Church for the actual service although I heard that the children were all fantastic (but not as loud as when they are in the school hall!).

Once the end of term arrived after a very busy couple of weeks of performances, parties, assemblies, concerts, Christmas lunches and even sad farewells to some Westfields' favourites, it was certainly time for a well earned rest. But not before I



had the best time opening so many presents—I was of course spoiled by my Westfields fans, friends and family, here I am with a particular favourite new squeaky toy sprout; although I'm not sure Miss Redman loves it as much as I do?! We also went away for a few days over Christmas, another trip to Brighton where I modelled (reluctantly!) my Christmas jumper on the big day itself!



After Christmas we also went on a minibreak to a lovely riverside cottage in a village called Wilton near Salisbury, as well as guarding the log burner, we did get out and about; here I am inspecting the very impressive cathedral... we had a lovely morning wandering around and of course I was admired by many on our travels as ever!



With my December news shared, all that remains for me to say is happy New Year to all of my Westfields Besties! I can't wait to share 2024 with you all!

Love,

Dexter

