Christmas at Greenway 2021 Thursday 9th & Friday 10th December

The Countdown to Christmas at Greenway has begun. It's time to tell you what's planned for this year's festive extravaganza and what you need to do to prepare...

WHAT'S ON?

Meet Santa in his Grotto at the North Pole (pre-book)
Elfridges Christmas Gift Shop (pre-book)
Win a fantastic Christmas Hamper
Cake Stall
Jazzy Jars
Non-uniform school day



PRE-BOOKABLE ACTIVITES

Please visit <u>www.pta-events.co.uk/gsa</u> for all details & to book

Thursday 9th December

ELFRIDGES CHRISTMAS SHOP

The Elves' Christmas shop will run Thursday 9th December. Children will visit class by class during the school day & choose gifts for their friends & family with a wide variety of presents for adults, relatives, and pets. Gifts are £3 or £5 and can be pre-booked via the GSA's website. Bookings close Friday 19th November.

Friday 10th December

SANTA'S GROTTO

Santa will be making a special visit to Greenway on Friday 10th December & children will be able to meet him in his North Pole Grotto during the school day. Pre-booking is required via the GSA's website. Prices are £4 per child and each child will receive a wrapped Christmas gift. Bookings close Friday 26th November.



SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

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Here's what other activities the children can expect Friday 10th December



NON-SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY Dress in your festive finest on **Friday 10th December!** Children can come to school wearing non-uniform and enjoy a day of festive fun.

CAKE SALE Delicious cakes, mince pies and biscuits will be sold after school on Friday 10th December.

JAZZY JARS A firm favourite with all the children! Please fill any see-through container of any size or shape with **wrapped sweets only** (no nuts please) and encourage your child to decorate it. Plastic jars great too. Donate any spare jars at the office. Please return them to school on **Friday 26th November.** Jazzy Jars will be on sale **after school Friday 10th December.**

And last but not least....

HAMPER RAFFLE Look out for raffle tickets in school bags for a chance to win a Hamper! Please return stubs (with completed contact details), money and any unsold tickets in a clearly labelled envelope to the GSA box in the School Office (to the left of the office window) by <u>Wednesday 8th December</u>. If you would like any extra tickets, please email <u>GSA@greenway.herts.sch.uk</u> or ask at the office.



WE NEED YOU!

Thank you in advance for helping to make this Christmas a great success! Below are a few small requests for extra support you can provide for which we will be hugely appreciative!

HAMPER DONATIONS – We will be putting together Christmas Hampers as raffle prizes with the winners notified by email. Each year group has a different hamper theme, and we ask everyone to bring in a donation to add to the Hamper in line with their class theme (themes and suggested ideas will be sent via your class reps). Please bring your donation into school anytime between 29th November and 3rd December. Keep in touch with class reps for more details and how to drop off.

CAKE DONATIONS – Our Christmas Cake Stall is always popular, but we need your donations to make it work. Mince pies, fairy cakes, big cakes or biscuits, the more the merrier! Cakes can be home-baked **or shop bought.** Please bring them to the school on <u>Friday 10th December</u>. Please label your cakes for any allergens as well as your name. Further details will be provided by class reps.

CHRISTMAS TREES – Children will be sent home with a leaflet to purchase their Christmas Tree from Christmas Tree place. If Greenway School purchases the greatest number of trees out of all schools in the area, we will win £200 for the GSA!