

Some suggestions for how pupils can take what they have been learning in school about *The Joy of Christmas* into the home setting.

# The **JOY** of Christmas ...at HOME



## Gratitude & Hope Journal

Try writing in a little journal each day!

- Write three things that made you smile or that you're thankful for.
- Then write one thing you're hoping for—like something fun, kind, or exciting. If you like, you can turn your writing into a little prayer to say out loud or in your heart.

## Sharing Joy

Create a poem, story, drama, dance that you can perform for your family, that shares about the *joy of Christmas*.

## Hope Boxes

Create a hope box with your family for an elderly neighbour or a local care home, filled with things that might bring them joy. This might be with things that you make and doesn't have to be expensive. Even a small act of kindness, like a home made Christmas card can bring a little bit of hope!

## Say Thank You to Someone

Can you think of someone in your family you'd like to say thank you to? It could be a aunt, uncle, grandparent, or someone you don't see very often. You could:

- Make a Christmas card
- Draw a picture
- Send a voice message Just to let them know you're thinking of them!



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