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**DECEMBER '23**

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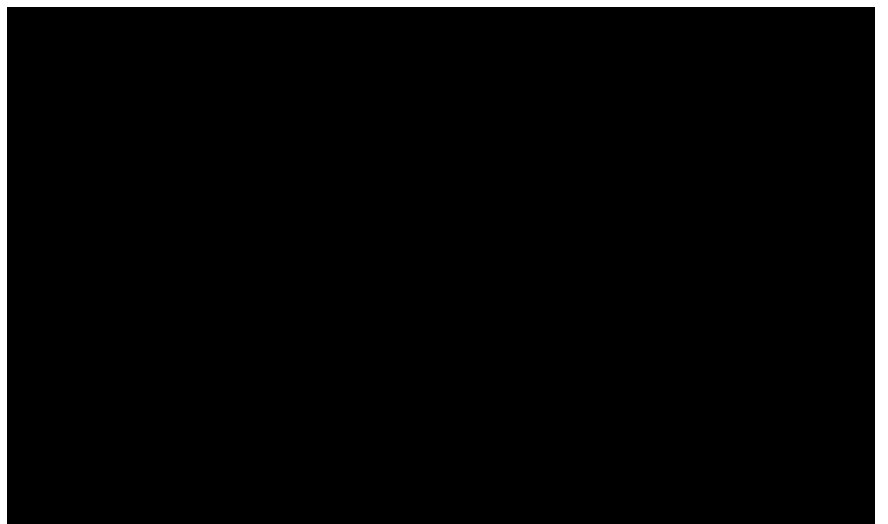
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# DECEMBER Overview Christmas Lunch

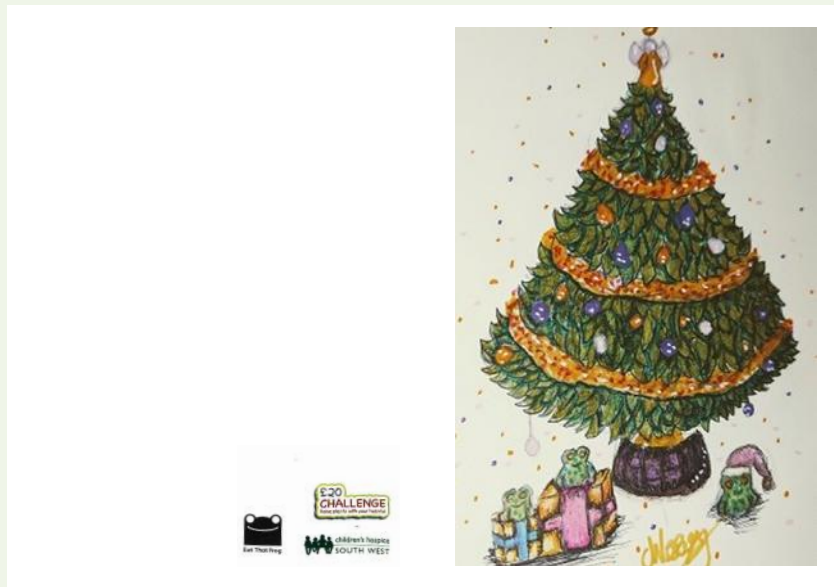
Centres throughout Eat That Frog took part in a Christmas lunch back in December. Inviting all learners and staff. Learners all took part in planning, shopping and preparing the meal.



# DECEMBER Overview



Eat That Frog learners are currently taking part in the Children's Hospice South West £20 challenge. In December, learner, Chloe got the fund raiser off to a flying start by designing a Christmas card and selling it to family, friends and the public, raising £30!



Merrick mesmerised our learners with a storytelling session; it had a great moral relating to being mindful about taking without giving something back. The learner's and staff were all enthralled; it was very atmospheric and heartwarmin with blankets and hot chocolate.

Newton learners, led by JS, spread holiday cheer by constructing a wonderful Christmas chimney as well as building lasting memories, putting their maths skills to the test in the process. MM and MR handled the construction, ensuring it looked fantastic.

CW created Christmas cards, HH crafted logs for a cozy atmosphere, and LT, AT, and PP worked on decorations. LB researched and curated a display showcasing alternative cultures' Christmas celebrations and traditions.





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Nathan organised a Christmas party for the learners as part of his qualification and planned everything from the designing of the poster for advertising, planning, shopping and preparing food items for the buffet, even producing a playlist for the DJ. The evening was a great success and I am happy to say they are becoming familiar with the Hokey Cokey - what a classic party tune.

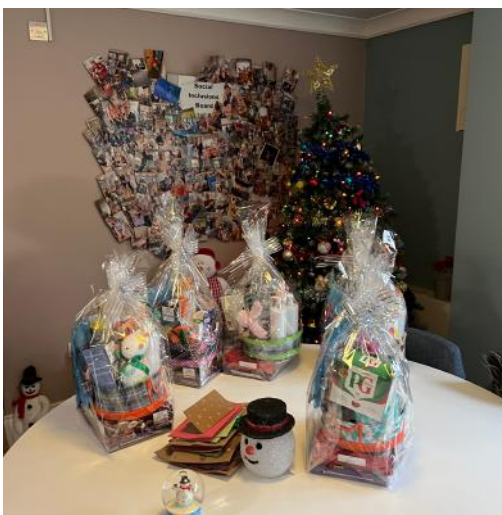


## Christmas Party

It was also Toby's birthday and we had to make sure he had a cake, which Charlie presented him with.



Staff and learners visited 5 care homes in Plymouth and dropped off Christmas cards and a hamper of goodies to each one for the lovely residents as part of our engagement with Elder Tree. The hampers had chocolates and treats as well as some fantastic hand made craft items the learners had helped to produce.





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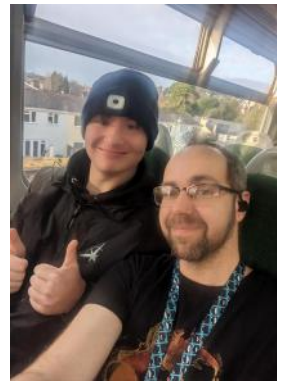


## TRAVEL Training

Learners participated in travel training to Exeter Christmas Market.

They had a fantastic time and for

some, it was their first train journey and first time visiting Exeter. Learner's had to help with working out train timings and it was an enjoyable treat whilst also ticking of some RARPA goals.



Learners took part in creating their own nail art designs in December. Some learners even managed to encourage tutors to have their nails decorated! Our amazing Katie led this activity and it was a great socialisation activity.





# BOOST YOUR



# CONFIDENCE WITH TEAM

Princes Trust learners successfully completed their end of programme presentation in December '23.

Parents, carers, colleagues and friends joined them to proudly listen to their experiences with Eat That Frog's Princes Trust Programme. Our talented learners were then celebrated and gifted their certificates by the Mayor of Torbay.



## What to expect...

**Week 1:** Induction

**Week 2:** Residential

**Weeks 3 & 4:** Planning a Community Project

**Weeks 5 & 6:** Working on the Community Project

**Weeks 7 & 8:** Individual Work Placements

**Week 9:** Next Steps

**Week 10 & 11:** The Final Team Challenge

**Week 12:** The Final Presentation

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# INTERNATIONAL Opportunities

In December, the Turing Scheme for schools partnered with South Devon College, delving into the vibrant Spanish culture for educational collaboration. ETF Spain and ETF UK prioritised safety while evaluating activities, ensuring a blend of adventure and security.

The infectious enthusiasm of the ETF Spanish team solidified confidence in the transformative partnership. Discussions began with Long Cause School for a January visit, alongside a budding exchange program with IES Simon Pérez.

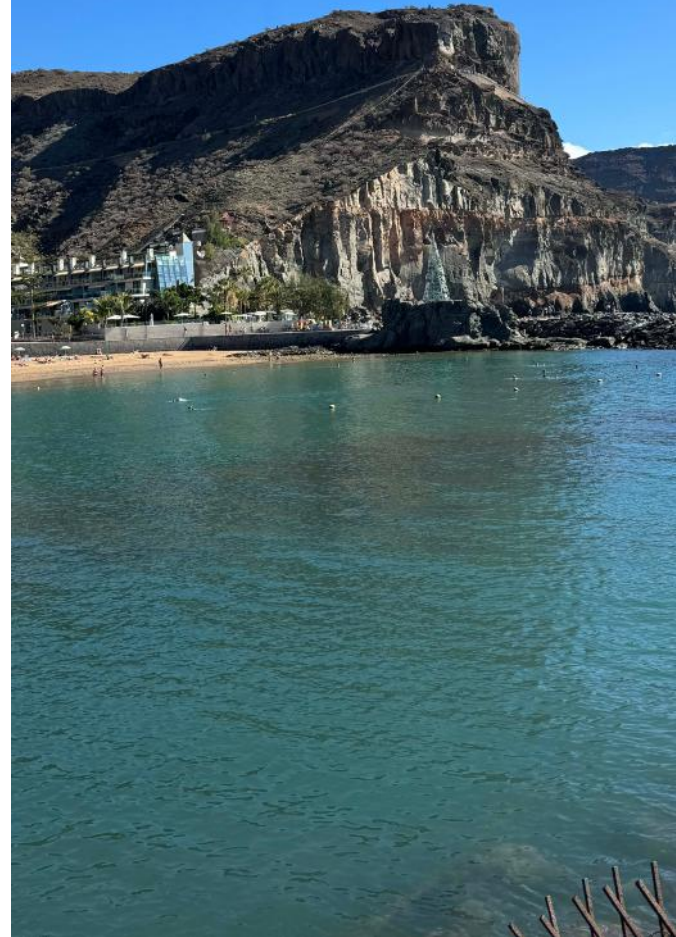
In vocational, education and training realm, managers from Combe Pafford School and South Devon College explored opportunities in Gran Canaria, laying the foundation for ongoing collaboration. ETF Spain meticulously planned for the January visit of the Prince's Trust and Post 16 groups, promising unforgettable experiences guided by local expertise.

This commitment to positive relationships ensures all participants feel welcomed on this extraordinary educational journey. Brace yourself for an enriching experience of cultural immersion and educational adventures!

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