KS2 Christmas Treasure Hunt

INFO FOR ADULT HELPERS

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All the information you need to help your little adventurers is on this sheet. You have the locations, together with the map, to assist you in finding the right place, plus the answers to each clue and the final answer to our festive anagram. If you're doing KS1 and KS2 together then be aware that they will get different answers for each location. Good luck!

	LOCATION	CLUE	ANSWER	
1	RAB School Sign	How well do you know this place? Add the number of balloons to the number of children on the school sign, then think of our school values and add the number of 'Rs' to get your first answer.	8 + 4 + 6=18	R
2	Battle Ditches Sign (Gibson Gardens/Gibson Way)	Got your wildlife sussed? Add the number of letters in the name of the spiky creature to the number of letters in the bird with the red breast and you've got your answer.	8 + 5 = 13	M
3	Carved Stone Almshouses Plaque	Bring the past to the present – translate the roman numerals on this stone plaque. Then use the first digit of the year you get for your answer.	1840 = 1	A
4	Pond Sign with Pictures (by the pond near Swan Meadow car park)	Pond life! Binoculars optional. To find your answer it's the number of amphibians multiplied by the number of birds, then minus the number of snails.	4 x 5 = 20 20 - 1 = 19	S
5	Cross Keys Molly's Tea House Symbols	Will this clue be a piece of cake?! Count the number of teapots you see, then multiply your answer by the number of days in that famous Christmas song. All together now: "On the first day of Christmas my true love sent to me... a partridge in a pear tree!"	2 x 12 = 24	X
6	Eight Bells (Side Wall on Right)	Find a pub that ring-a-ding-dings! Add the number of bells to the total number of 'Es' you spot in the wording on the right-side end wall.	8 + 6 = 14	N
7	Fry Art Gallery Sign	It may be closed now but how many months of the year is this place open? Hint: make sure you count April as the first month!	April to Oct = 7 months	G
8	Baron Butler Gravestone (St Mary's Graveyard)	Find the Butler our school was named after. Take the age of Mollie when she died, minus the age of RAB when he died, then subtract the number of years he was Master of Trinity to get your answer. Hint: It's a flat stone!	102 - 80 = 22 22 - 13 = 9	I
9	Pudding House (9a Museum Street)	It's officially Saffron Walden's most delicious address! Take the number of this house and minus the number of year groups at RAB school to find your next answer.	9 - 7 = 2	B
10	Painted Bollard (Market Square)	Buckle up for this clue and get your brain in gear. For how many hours are there **no** parking restrictions in the market square?	6pm - 8am = 14	N
11	Turf Maze Sign on Common	You made it to the final clue. A-maze-ing! To get your last answer, divide the length of the maze path by 100.	1500 / 100 = 15	O

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Are you ready for a challenge? Have you got your eagle eyes and your sharpened wits ready to go? Make your way around Saffron Walden on a numbers hunt, using the map locations and the clues below. Decode your answers to reveal the final festive phrase. Have fun!

1. How well do you know this place? Add the number of balloons to the number of children on the school sign, then think of our school values and add the number of 'Rs' to get your first answer.

2. Got your wildlife sussed? Add the number of letters in the name of the spiky creature to the number of letters in the bird with the red breast and you've got your answer.

3. Bring the past to the present - translate the Roman Numerals on this stone plaque. Then use the first digit of the year you get for your answer.

4. Pond life! Binoculars optional. To find your answer it's the number of amphibians multiplied by the number of birds, then minus the number of snails.

5. Will this clue be a piece of cake?! Count the number of teapots you see, then multiply your answer by the number of days in that famous Christmas song. All together now: "On the first day of Christmas my true love sent to me... a partridge in a pear tree!"

6. Find a pub that ring-a-ding-dings! Add the number of bells to the total number of 'Es' you spot in the wording on the right-side end wall.

7. It may be closed now but how many months of the year is this place open?

8. Find the Butler our school was named after. Take the age of Mollie when she died, minus the age of RAB when he died, then subtract the number of years he was Master of Trinity to get your answer.

9. It's officially Saffron Walden's most delicious address! Take the number of this house and minus the number of year groups at RAB school to find your next answer.

10. Buckle up for this clue and get your brain in gear. For how many hours are there **no** parking restrictions in the market square?
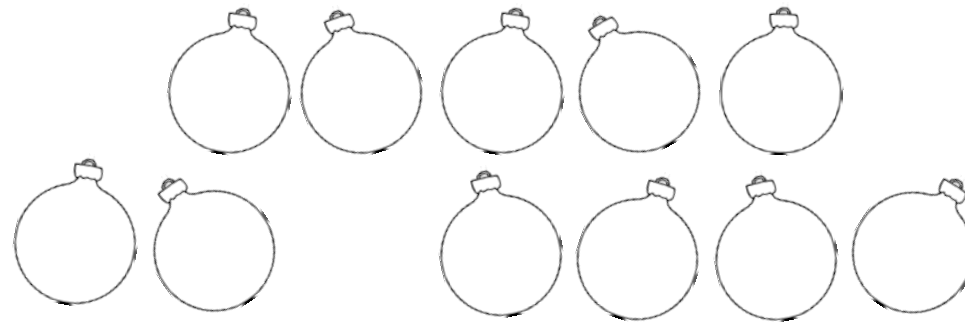
11. You made it to the final clue. A-maze-ing! To get your last answer, divide the length of the maze path by 100.

Ok, Christmas super sleuths - now for the final challenge. Use the numbers that you have found in your answers and think of a code that will transform them into letters instead. You'll end up with 11 letters but you'll have to sharpen your wits and use your anagram skills to unwrap this final answer!

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We hope you had a fun time! Why not pop a photo on our RAB PTA Facebook page to show us how you got on!