

Class: 2B

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A Meaningful and Fun Christmas!

How do you celebrate Christmas? Most people exchange Christmas gifts, enjoy a big feast and play games. However, we thought this was boring, so there was something different this year - my classmates and I had a green Christmas celebration in the classroom last Friday. It was fun and meaningful!

Christmas is one of those holidays that just seems to be filled with cheer and wonder. To prepare for the celebration, my classmates and I took the newspapers from an MTR station and brought some cans to decorate the classroom. We also drew some pictures like gingerbread men and Santa Claus on the blackboard. To protect the environment, we brought our own bags to carry the recycled and second-hand materials. We did not use any decorating materials that were not eco-friendly because we thought that would produce lots of waste.

For many people, Christmas is about gathering with friends and family to celebrate. So our class also had a big feast with our teachers. To prepare for the big feast, we bought a suitable amount of food. Even though we could not finish all the food, we packed up the leftover food and took it home. To protect the environment, we didn't use any disposable plastic cutlery. Instead, we brought our own cutlery and containers.

I believe the most popular and exciting Christmas activity was exchanging Christmas gifts. Some people had bought their gifts while others had made them by themselves. To protect the environment, we used newspapers and recycled paper to wrap our gifts. I found this to be really environmentally-friendly.

To sum up, although it was less convenient to decorate the classroom and wrap the gifts by ourselves, the activities were fun-filled and meaningful. Having a green Christmas celebration made me realize that there is a lot we can do to reduce our carbon footprints. By making small changes to our lives, we can make our world a better place to live. Why not have fun while playing your part in protecting the Earth?