

## Christmas Poem & Activities to do at home with your baby

### You are your child's

#### teacher:

Explore and discover different textures and be creative.

Encourage other family members to do these activities.

Repeat activities as much as possible.

Read a Christmas story and sing Christmas songs.

EYFS: Expressive arts and design: It is important that children have regular opportunities to engage with the arts, enabling them to explore and play with a wide range of media and materials

Christmas poem:

#### Twas the Night before Christmas Poem

Twas the night before Christmas,  
when all through the house  
not a creature was stirring,  
not even a mouse.

Use the poem and add your baby's hand and foot prints around the poem, using green or red safe washable paint. Use a black felt tip and turn your baby's hand or foot print into a little mouse by adding eyes, ears, nose, whiskers and a tail.

Christmas tree decorations:

Cut out your baby's painted hand and foot print add string or ribbon and hang them on your Christmas tree add glitter.

Picture of your baby:

Take a picture of your baby in a santa hat and create a Christmas card or calendar. These will

