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# SCHOOL PATRON'S DAY



Every year on 8<sup>th</sup> of December we celebrate School Patron's Day. This Year there were a lot of art competitions and a great ceremonial assembly. Patron's Day is always an opportunity to cultivate tradition and respect history.





Our School Patron is **Henry III, Duke of Głogów**. Henry III is a model worth imitating. He was very harsh on raiders and thieves. During his times, there was general peace in Polish lands. Henry was also a generous founder of the church. To him we owe the establishment of the monastery of the Magdalenians in Bytom on the Oder River and the Poor Clares in Głogów.

**Henry III, Duke of Głogów**



Kinga Lener



# I've got a TALENT!

We've got a lot of talents at our school! In December every students could show them to us! We saw many interesting performances such us singing, playing instruments, dancing, painting even the pole dance!





# NATIVITY PLAY AT SCHOOL



On the last day of school before Christmas, there was a nativity play on the second lesson. Students from grade 2nd, 4th and even grade 6th played in the show. The performers sang carols, and anyone from the audience could join!





Some students said poems, and some acted out events that happened on the day Jesus was born.



Everyone who played in the performance did their best, and our principal thanked everyone who participated in the play, and wished everyone a blessed Christmas and a happy New Year.

Hanna Kubacka





## WE LOVE HELPING!



HELPerY SP14

All of you have already known **HELPerY SP14**. They do a lot of good. Charities like „*Szlachetna Paczka*”, „*Kiermasz Różności*”, „*Słodkie Kiermasze dla Michałka, Amelki i Filipka*” or „*Kasztany dla Amelki*” are the results of work of students who spend their free time on brainstorming, organising, preparing and finally, carrying out the charity events.



Thanks to their devotion and generosity of students, their parents, teachers and other school workers, we always raise big money for those who need them most.

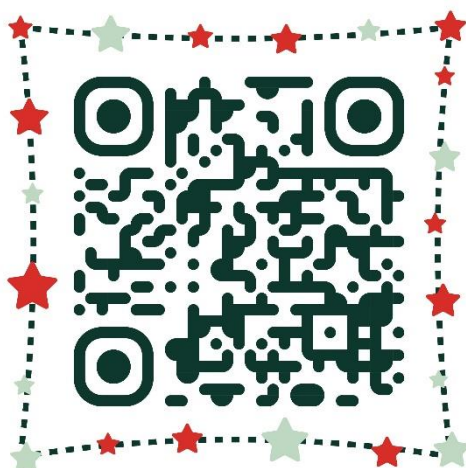






We're sure that the new half term will bring further action in charity in our school.

mgr Sylwia Komperda



Scan and watch the videos!



# Carnival balls

After Christmas we had 2 carnival balls at our school: one for younger children (classes 1-4) and another one for older students (classes 5-8). Every children could dress up! There were a lot of funny costumes such as spiderman, batman, princess Elsa and many others. Everyone had a great time and danced together.





**Carnival** - a period of winter balls, masquerades, processions and games. It usually begins on **Epiphany** and ends on the Tuesday before **Ash Wednesday**, which marks the beginning of **Lent** and waiting for **Easter**.

**Carnival** - karnawał

**Epiphany** - Święto Trzech Króli

**Ash Wednesday** - środa popielcowa

**Lent** - Wielki Post

**Easter** - Wielkanoc





# English Path 2

## Klasy 4-5

**Mr. Brown's phone  
is a smartphone.**



Telefon pana Browna  
to smartfon.

**Thanks for inviting me.**



Dziękuję za zaproszenie.

**What's wrong?**



Co się stało?

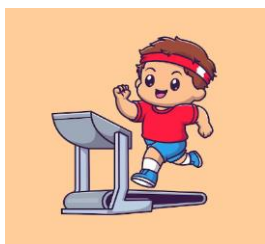
**I hope you like it.**



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Mam nadzieję, że Ci się  
spodoba.

**I'm as fit as a fiddle.**



Jestem zdrow jak ryba.

**\*Can you set the table  
please?**



Czy możesz nakryć do  
stołu?



# English Path 2

## Klasy 6-7

<p><b>Can I pay contactless?</b></p>  <p>Czy mogę zapłacić zbliżeniowo?</p>	<p><b>Here's your change and receipt.</b></p>  <p>Proszę, to Pani/Pana reszta i paragon.</p>
<p><b>What's the point?</b></p>  <p>Jaki to ma sens?</p>	<p><b>Can I ask you something?</b></p>  <p>Czy mogę o coś zapytać?</p>
<p><b>I couldn't care less.</b></p>  <p>Nic mnie to nie obchodzi.</p>	<p><b>*The lead actor used to have long hair but now he is bald.</b></p>  <p>Aktor pierwszoplanowy miał kiedyś długie włosy ale teraz jest łysy.</p>



# English Path 2

## Klasy 8

**I couldn't take part in the marathon because I had hurt my knee.**



Nie mogłem wziąć udziału w maratonie, ponieważ wcześniej zraniłem się w kolano.

**By the time the politicians arrived, the feast had begun.**



Zanim politycy przyjechali, ucztę się już zaczęła.

**If I were you, I wouldn't vote for that political party.**



Na Twoim miejscu nie głosowałbym na tę partię polityczną.

**Why don't you join us?**



Może do nas dołączysz?

**I've got a little time on Saturday if you need some help.**



Mam trochę czasu w sobotę jeśli potrzebujesz pomocy.

**\*Thanks to my intelligence, I got off without any issue.**



Dzięki mojej inteligencji udało mi się uniknąć problemów.



# CHRISTMAS around the world

## Spain

In Spain, every year someone gets a huge gift just before Christmas. On December 22, there are two **lottery draws**. On Christmas Eve, known as *nochebuena*, the whole family meets for a gala dinner. It's a real **feast** where people eat **seafood** or meat and lots of sweets.



## Ethiopia

Since Ethiopia uses the Julian calendar, Christmas is celebrated on January 7. First thing in the morning, Ethiopians go to **mass**. Then comes another feast and family celebration. There is no **Christmas tree** here and only small **gifts** are distributed - the most important thing is spending time with family and friends. Everyone is having a great time playing a game called *Gena* supposedly for field hockey.



*Gena* – the play similar to ice hockey but on the grass. It's Ethiopian traditional sport.



## Venezuela:

Venezuelan Christmas is full of colors, music and joy. Before dawn, residents leave their homes for mass. The sound of **Christmas carols** fills the air and beautiful **fireworks** light up the surroundings.



## USA



Christmas in the USA is marked by beautiful decorations for family gatherings and fun activities. On December 24, on **Christmas Eve**, the whole family meets to decorate the Christmas tree and decorate the house by playing Christmas carols. A Christmas dinner must include **baked turkey**, green vegetables and potatoes.

## Germany

In Germany, an important part of Christmas is the Advent period. There are many different **Advent calendars** used in Germany. Other than the cardboard calendars like the ones in Poland, there are also **Advent wreaths**, with four candles on them. Every week of the Advent, one candle is lit.







## Australia



In Australia, Christmas comes in near the start of the school break, in the summer! Sometimes, neighbors hold small competitions to see who has the best **Christmas lights!**

### Glossary:

lottery draws - loteria

feast - ucza

seafood – owoce morza

mass - msza

Christmas tree - choinka

Gifts - prezenty

Christmas carols - kolędy

Fireworks - fajerwerki

Christmas Eve - wigilia

baked turkey – pieczony indyk

Advent calendars – kalendarz adwentowy

Advent wreaths – wieniec adwentowy

Christmas lights - światełka

Rachela Kukla & Hanna Kubacka



# Comic Story

## SUPER MARIO - Episode 1





# Happy Valentine's Day!



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