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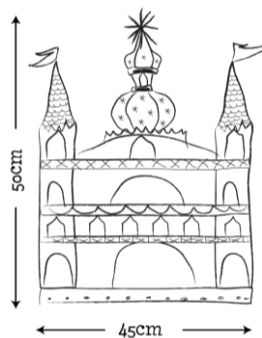
## What you need to do:

Ensure your model is sturdy!

Create a model that measures a maximum of L x 45cm, Wx 30cm and Hx 50cm

Clearly label your entry with your name and class on the back please

Please bring your finished crib to the reception desk on Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Nov by 4pm



The winning crib will be chosen on by Mr Beisly and announced at the Christmas Fair on Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Nov. Each Key Stage group winner (EYFS / KS1 / KS2) will receive a gingerbread house from Barbakan bakery!

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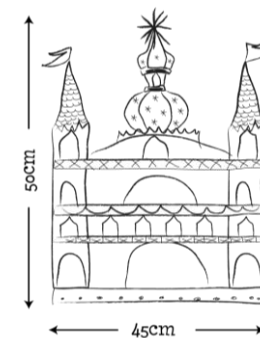
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