

# Sing Up for Fair Pay Now



## DING DONG MERRILY ON HIGH

1. Ding dong pay has fallen fast  
In town halls and in classes  
In the pay stakes we are last  
No claret fills our glasses  
Gloria, we want a decent pay rise

2. Ding dong merrily we fight  
As council and school workers  
Campaigning with all our might  
We work hard, we're not shirkers  
Gloria, we want a decent pay rise

3. Tories say that they are broke  
The pay cap wont be lifted  
Christmas is not for working folk  
Your fun will be restricted  
Gloria, we want a decent pay rise

4. But UNISON is on the case  
Austerity will vanish  
1% is out of place  
The Tories we will banish  
Gloria, we'll have our decent pay  
rise



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## AWAY IN A MANGER

1. Away in Westminster  
The Tories are cruel  
They have capped our pay rises  
They want us to eat gruel  
But we teach your children  
Keep communities strong  
We will fight with our union  
'Til the pay cap has gone
2. Our earnings have fallen  
By over 20 per cent  
Since Teresa decided  
That the money's all spent  
The rich hide their taxes  
So they cannot be used  
For the good of all people  
It is time they're diffused!
3. There's plenty of money  
To be found on these shores  
We are just here to tell you  
That it's not theirs - it's yours  
And we'll be here to help you  
In your town halls and schools  
But we must have a pay rise  
Or we will just 'down tools'
4. UNISON is our union  
And together we'll fight  
For a wage that's half decent  
We believe that's our right  
We'll throw that old pay cap  
Just where it belongs  
Wishing you merry Christmas  
With our wonderful songs



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## IN THE BLEAK MIDWINTER

1. In the bleak midwinter  
Council workers face  
Another blooming pay freeze  
Earnings don't keep pace...  
The Tories starve the workers  
Just like they've always done  
We call it exploitation  
They call it "fun"
2. They say they've got no money  
That stingy Tory bunch  
But we all pay our taxes  
While they go out to lunch  
The rich are in the Caymans  
The poor are in the red  
We'll knock that neo-con trick  
On the head
3. UNISON is fighting  
That pay cap's got to go  
From schools and council buildings  
We all tell them so  
With Christmas round the corner  
Our kids join in the fight  
They want a stuffed full stocking  
On Christmas night
4. With Jeremy behind us  
We'll fight the Tory foe  
Boris, Phil, Teresa  
You will have to go  
We'll have a Labour pay rise  
Not stinky Tory gruel  
And have a right old knees up  
A Labour Yule

