



Nursery Hill
Primary

Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your continued support this half-term. The children are working very hard and display fantastic attitudes to learning.

We hope that everyone has a good rest and that everyone returns to school on Monday 2nd November refreshed and ready to learn.

The Autumn term is always busy leading up to Christmas. We will publish our dates for Early Years and KS1 Christmas performances after half-term and KS2 will have the opportunity to sing carols and share the Christmas story at St Laurence Church on Friday 18th December.

We are also excited about Turkey and Tinsel Christmas dinner where a family member can come and have Christmas dinner with their children. There will also be an opportunity to visit Father Christmas. Details will follow shortly.

Don't forget that the clocks go back tomorrow Saturday 25th October – a chance for a lay in perhaps?

Best wishes,
Mrs Jeans and staff.

Pumpkin Trail

Thank you to all the families who visited the pumpkin trail, it was lovely to see everyone get involved. Another big thank you to everybody who entered a pumpkin into our competition – they were fabulous! We raised an amazing £250, thank you for your ongoing support.

Congratulations to our pumpkin competition winners: **Acer C, Maisie, Macey, Aaliyah and OJ!**

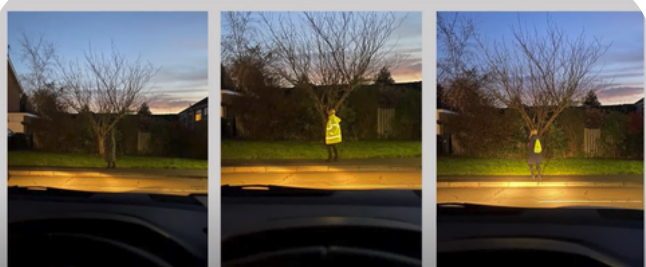


BE BRIGHT BE SEEN THIS HALLOWEEN

If you're planning on trick or treating, or just going out and about this Halloween, please consider taking a torch or glow sticks, or adding something reflective to your outfits; anything to make it easier for others to see you.

When out and about, please be aware of your surroundings. If you can, stay on well-lit paths, and if there is no pedestrian crossing nearby, cross the road near a streetlight so that traffic can see you more easily.

Which material ... ?



5.00pm

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6.30pm



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Reminders

23rd October - School will be closed to pupils for INSET day
2nd November - Return to school for all children.
15th November - School Photograph ordering deadline
18th December - KS2 Carol Concert - St Laurence Church
18th December - Break Up for Christmas

Christmas Cheer

This year we have decided to mix up our Christmas celebrations to keep it interesting and exciting. We would like to invite you to a 'Turkey and Tinsel' afternoon on **2nd or 4th December from 2pm**. Parents and carers can purchase tickets to enjoy a Christmas lunch together with their child(ren). Tickets will be available to buy from the school shop at £5 per person (a ticket will need to be purchased for your child too). The tickets are limited and will be issued as they are paid for. Please note School Money Shop is the only way to purchase the tickets. **Ticket sales will be available at 2pm Friday 23rd October.**

Tickets are limited and we are not able to refund any tickets.

When you have had payment confirmation please contact the school office with food choices no later than **20th November.**

Santa Claus is Coming to Town

On Wednesday 2nd and Friday 4th December, Father Christmas will be stopping by at Nursery Hill. He will be popping into every classroom to say hello. Whilst he is here, he will spend time in his grotto and there will be an opportunity for your child to visit him and receive a small gift. Should you want your child to visit Father Christmas, tickets will be available from the School Money Shop at **£5 each. Ticket sales will be available at 12pm Monday 9th November.**

Please note these tickets are not connected to the Turkey and Tinsel event and do need to be purchased separately.

Autumn 2 Term Clubs

Monday - KS2 Dodgeball 3:20 - 4:20pm
 Tuesday - KS1 Glow Sports 3:20 - 4:20pm
 Wednesday - KS2 Forest School 3:30 - 4:30pm

School Trips

Please ensure permission slips and medical forms are completed and given to the school office.

Y6 Whitemoor Lakes - 11/11/26
 Y5 Planetarium Visit - 26/11/26
 Y3 & Y4 Clore Learning Centre - 01/12/26
 Y1 & Y2 Belgrade Theatre - 15/12/26

Ready Respectful Safe

We work best when we work together



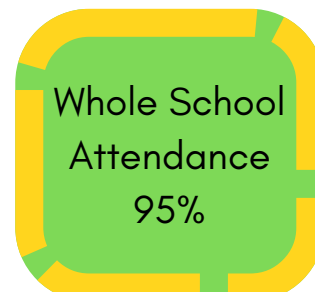
Supporting the Poppy Appeal

We're proud to be supporting the Royal British Legion's Poppy Appeal this year. Poppies will be available in school from Monday in exchange for a voluntary donation. All donations will go directly to the Royal British Legion to support serving and ex-serving members of the Armed Forces and their families. If your child would like a poppy, please send them in with a donation, any amount is welcome and appreciated. This is a wonderful opportunity for our pupils to learn about remembrance and show their support for those who have served our country. **Please note donations are cash only.**



Did you know?

Regular attendance helps children build friendships, develop social skills, and feel part of their school community – all essential for wellbeing and confidence.



Merits

These children have been noticed for working hard. They go over and above in all they do in school and we enjoyed a lovely hot chocolate.

Year 1 Kaliyah

Year 2 – Elsie

Year 3 Beatrix

Year 4 OJ

Year 5 Alice

Year 6 Maya

Headteacher Award – Columba

Our values are:

Respect Kindness Perseverance

Tolerance Co-operation

Positivity Empathy Resilience

This half-term, our focus is **Respect** and is led by Year 3.

Well done to Freya in Y1 and Ivy in Y5 for being respectful to all in our school community.

