



# NUTLEY NEWSLETTER

3rd October, 2025



**Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,**

**It has been another busy week at our school with Forest School adventures, light boxes being made in Foxes class and Badgers getting into role with their World War II diary writing. Please keep an eye on our Facebook account for photos of our children's learning.**

**We had a bumper crop of certificates to share in Celebration worship today, with lots of sporting achievements throughout the school.**

**Thank you to everyone who has logged into their Arbor account and completed their consents. If you have not done so please can you do this as soon as possible because we will be using Arbor to book parent consultations next month.**

**Wishing all our families a peaceful weekend,**

**Mrs Denton**



# Class News



## Rabbits

What a lovely week we have had! We have continued to learn new sounds in phonics and have also started to segment words to write them and blend words to read them. This is really tricky to do so I have been super impressed with all of our Rabbits! In maths, we have been looking at grouping objects and types of objects we may sort in different ways. We read 'What makes me a me?' and drew pictures of our favourite things. This helped us to understand that each of us are different but all unique in our own way. We also looked at the life cycle of an acorn, now that the weather is changing and we have noticed more acorns on the floor! Hope you have a lovely weekend!

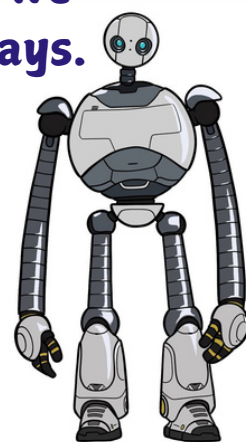
## Hedgehogs

Another fabulous learning week in Hedgehog Class! This week in our English lessons we created descriptions for our Funny Bones book. We created zig-zag books with pop-up front covers, after editing all our writing from this week.....they look beautiful! In Maths we have been learning our number bonds to 10 to help us to learn number bonds to 20 and even number bonds to 100! Very challenging and we are still trying to remember the different pairs of numbers! In Science we have designed a 'Pitta Pocket' snack, considering all the food groups necessary to make a healthy snack. Miss Debenham is going shopping at the weekend to get the ingredients to make them next week! In History we made another time line, this time we thought about significant recent events, including the year the King was crowned. Well done Hedgehogs, we have worked so hard this week, especially on our letter formation and handwriting in all our learning.

## Foxes

It has been a brilliant week at school! We had a lovely start to the week with forest school on Tuesday. Everyone had an amazing time, we tried apple cinnamon, balanced on the slack lines, explored the forest, and tried the hammock. In English we have finished our persuasive leaflets about the circus. In guided reading we have continued with the 'Wild Robot', which is our next focus in English writing. In maths we have been rounding to the nearest 10, 100, and 1,000. In science we made circuits again, however this time we tried to investigate materials and objects that would act as either insulators or conductors. In RE we focussed on Hindu worship and labelled our own Puja trays.

In DT we have been making finishing touches to our light boxes and including our fairy lights on them (They look amazing!!!). Have a lovely weekend 😊



## Badgers

WOW what an amazing week in Badgers! We have finished off our addition and subtraction topic in maths. In English we have finished writing and editing our narratives based on Letters from the Lighthouse. In RE, we investigated and discussed how science has an affect on peoples' faith, leading to some very mature conversations. In French we learned how to say goodbye to people! In our history lesson, we researched an area of World War II which had an impact on the outcome of the war, including rationing, gas masks and women working in factories. We have also been very excited to start Inktober! We spend 15 minutes drawing a picture related to the prompt given. We have some incredibly artistic children in our class! In computing, we worked with our learning partners to program dancing stick men on Micro Bits – and discovered that we can program in some very high-pitched sounds!

# DATES FOR THE DIARY

## OCTOBER 2025

<b>Tues 7<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Forest School Hedgehogs</b>
<b>Wed 8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Football Club 3.20 – 4.15</b>
<b>Thurs 9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Karate Club</b>
<b>Tues 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Forest School Rabbits</b>
<b>Tues 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>School Photos</b>
<b>Fri 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>End Term 1</b>

## NOVEMBER 2025

<b>Mon 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Start Term 2</b>
<b>Tues 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Parent Consultations 3.30 – 6.00</b>
<b>Thurs 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Parent Consultations 3.30 – 6.00</b>
<b>Mon 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Flu Vaccinations</b>

## DECEMBER 2025

<b>Wed 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Nativity am</b>
<b>Thurs 18<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Nativity pm</b>
<b>Fri 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Christingle Service</b>
	<b>End Term 2</b>

## JANUARY 2026

<b>Mon 5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Start Term 3</b>
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## FEBRUARY 2026

<b>Fri 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>End Term 3</b>
<b>Mon 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Start Term 4</b>



## Achievement Certificates

**Rabbits: Bertie and Ellis**

**Hedgehogs: Danyil and George V**

**Foxes: Thomas and George P**

**Badgers: Esmae and Lawrence**



### Star Certificates

**Axel 100 Stars**

**Charley 400 Stars**

**Ella 500 Stars**

**Attendance this year to date: Whole School: 96.3%**

**Rabbits: 96.6%**

**Hedgehogs: 97%**

**Foxes: 95.8%**

**Badgers: 96.2%**

**Red** under 92%

**Amber** 92-96%

**Green** above 96%





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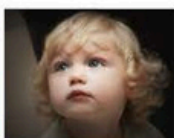
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