



Wishing everyone a very merry Christmas from all the pupils and staff at Brookfields School.

Please enjoy our Autumn 2025 Newsletter.

What a wonderful first term we have had together. The children have settled beautifully into their new environment, and it has been a joy to watch them grow in confidence, resilience, and independence. They have adapted to new routines, new people, and new expectations with remarkable strength. We are incredibly proud of how they have welcomed the adults in the room, building trusting relationships that have allowed us to support, guide, and connect with them throughout the term.

Our topic, *“Being Me and Winter Festivals,”* has given us many opportunities to explore who we are, how we fit into our classroom community, and how we celebrate special times of the year. Christmas has been a magical part of our learning, filling our days with joy, curiosity, and shared experiences.

We have also ventured out into the local community on small trips using the minibus. The children behaved beautifully, showing maturity, excitement, and fantastic teamwork. These outings have helped them build resilience and confidence in new environments, and we could not be prouder.

Our photo collage captures just a glimpse of the rich learning that has taken place this term. You’ll see moments of:

Early maths exploration, including counting, matching, sorting and using colourful number frames.

Fine motor activities, such as threading, building, and using tools and small objects.

Sensory play, where children explored textures, materials, and hands-on experiences that helped them engage and regulate.

Creative and imaginative play, from small-world animals to role-play and construction.

Outdoor learning, including movement, balance, riding equipment and exploring the world around them.

Social play and shared moments, showing how well the children have learned to be with one another—taking turns, playing alongside peers, and sharing experiences.

Working with adults, showing trust, connection, and the positive relationships they have built as they allow us to join them in their learning.

Each child has made wonderful progress—sometimes in small steps, sometimes in big leaps—but always moving forward with courage and curiosity. We are so proud of their resilience, tolerance, and growing confidence in themselves and others.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to even more learning, joy and shared memories next term.





What a fantastic start to the academic year we have had in Bumblebees class, this term we have been learning through the theme “What Came Before Us?” We have enjoyed exploring photos of ourselves and animals and transport from the past. We have also explored whole school themes including Remembrance Day and Black History month. We love getting outside and on our educational visits have visited Cronton park and Jake’s Sensory World for our Christmas trip. I hope you enjoy looking at the pictures of our learning journey so far. Wishing you all a lovely Christmas from Stacey, Pauline, Coleen/ Leanne, Amy/ Robyn. Wishing you a safe and festive end to 2025.



Foxes Newsletter Autumn 2025

Foxes have been exploring our topic 'what came before us.' Exploring space, dinosaurs. We have explored this topic through learning through play and exploring lots of different fun activities.

**We wish you a merry Christmas
and all the best for 2026. Love
Foxes team.**



Foxes had enjoyed reading our 2 talk for writing books, Jasper's beanstalk and 15 things not to do with a baby. We have enjoyed exploring items of interest and sensory trays.



Foxes have settled into class well. We have enjoyed daily bucket therapy sessions to build our attention skills, early hand writing skills, sensory circuits to support our regulation, early phonics sessions and so much more. We have had a fantastic term.





Duckling newsletter Christmas 2025



This term we have been working hard in Ducklings class. Our topic this term was 'What came before us'. We enjoyed both our storybooks, and we enjoyed fine motor activities including planting seeds, mark making and practising our letter formations.

Ducklings have been testing out our new balancing scales during our maths lessons and towards Christmas we have been creating snowmen and trees with different shapes. Some of our educational visits have been to see the aeroplanes and the park. Ducklings Christmas trip was a lovely morning to Warrington play and sensory centre; we had great fun playing together and having a special treat for lunch. Other curriculum activities this term have included balancing skills during our PE lessons, enjoying our new sensory circuits and planting during our science lessons. What a busy term we have had in ducklings' class!!



**We wish everyone a
Merry Christmas and a
happy new year from
Emma, Emily, Sophie,
Leanne and Jess**



Butterflies



Butterflies started this term off by enjoying settling in together in the indoor and outdoor areas.



Our Autumn topic was 'Going on an adventure' and we had many opportunities to learn inside and outside of the classroom.



In DT we enjoyed den building and combining foods, in geography we made links between items we find outside and explored them in the sensory trays. In science we used our dolls and small world whilst learning about how we grow and develop. We enjoyed music making and made our own instrument.



We ended the term exploring Christmas traditions during history and had fun getting ready for Christmas.





We have enjoyed a range of different learning opportunities, both inside and out of the classroom. We have made so much progress with our communication, problem solving and creative work already.

Hedgehogs Autumn Term



We have learnt a lot, built fantastic relationships, and made lots of happy memories. The Hedgehogs team wish you a very Merry Christmas x

Our 'Adventure' topic has covered our personal learning journeys, the school, community, and adventures to various parts of the world through sensory exploration. We have enjoyed music therapy this term too.





Squirrels have been busy this term learning about Castles, Kings and Dragons. During our community visits this term we have travelled to see the local Castles in the area such as Beeston, Peckforton and Halton Castle. Have a look at some of the wonderful things we have been up to in the Autumn Term.



We have been engaging with multi-sensory stories.



We have been practicing our gross motor skills outside the classroom.

We have been developing our fine motor skills.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the Squirrels team!



We have been exploring our senses through fun with food sessions.



WOODPECKERS HAVE BEEN VERY BUSY THIS TERM LEARNING ABOUT CASTLES, KINGS AND DRAGONS.

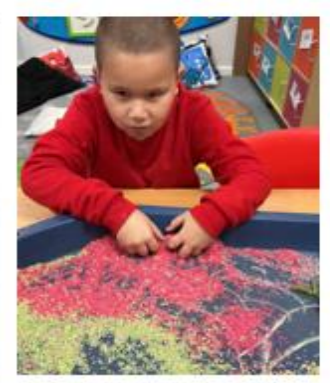
LOTS OF ROLE PLAY AND SMALL WORLD ACTIVITIES LINKED TO OUR TALK FOR WRITING STORY - GEORGE AND THE DRAGON.

WE HAVE ENJOYED LOTS OF OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN FROM THE WORLD AROUND US, VISITING PUMPKIN FARMS, PARKS AND GARDEN CENTRES. WE HAVE MADE WITCHES POTIONS, EXPLORED ROCKS, MADE SANDCASTLES, BUILT CASTLES, HOW TO BE SAFE AND LOOK AFTER OURSELVES AND OF COURSE HAD LOTS OF CHRISTMAS FUN



WISHING YOU ALL A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

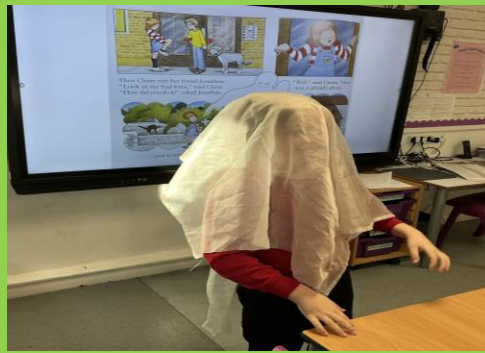
Kingfishers



We have had a busy Autumn Term, learning all about animals and their habitats and deciding what types of animals we find on land and in the sea. We have had a fabulous time acting out the story of The Three Little Pigs, linked to our DT and Art topic all about different types of homes. We have enjoyed lots of different number activities, Rebound sessions and getting to know our new friends in class.

Thank you for all your support throughout the term.
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year,
From the Kingfishers class team.





This term, Seals class have been very busy: lots of role play linked to our Talk for Writing books, learning about the world around us, building on our pencil control & arm muscles by writing under the tables, developing our maths skills, getting creative with up-cycling materials & craft sets as well as meeting dragons!

Seals class team wish all our families a very Happy Christmas!





The autumn term has been a busy time in Herons class. We have had fun times in music with Laila and challenged our senses in DT making smoothies, soups and space helmets. We have been preparing through adulthood by learning through play and helping with snack in class. In science we have been measuring the wind and rain! Wishing you all the happiest Christmas x





Hawks have had a wonderful Autumn term together. We have enjoyed lots of learning opportunities linked to our topic 'Wild Weather'. We have also made fantastic progress during bus trips and experienced learning outside the classroom relating to the weather and seasons. Well done Hawks!

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.





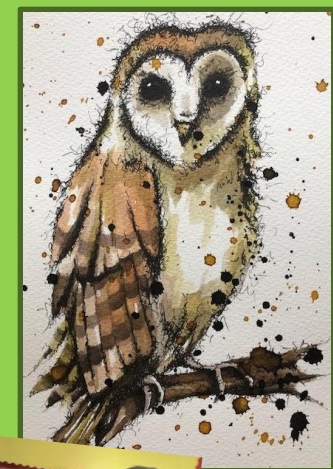
Otters have enjoyed their topic this term learning about the Rainforest! - We have been very busy!! We have been learning about the different layers of the forest and who lives there as well as looking at how they are adapted to living in the Rainforest. We have compared the homes of the animals from the rainforest and our own. We have researched about Francisco De Orellana, a famous explorer of the Amazon river, and this led to us researching other famous explorers.



We have accessed rebound this term and been out on many educational visits - The palm house for a sound bath, Widnes fire station, cinema, pumpkin picking and Liverpool museum which have all linked into our Rainforest topic.

Thank you for all your support over the Autumn Term.
We wish you and you families a very Merry Christmas!
Love Otters class team x





Owls Class have had a fabulous Autumn Term, filled with fun and laughter, developing their skills and knowledge through sensory, practical and formal learning activities and educational visits. Students have practised and learnt new skills in discrete subject lessons, communication, social interaction and independence skills alongside enjoying a variety of sports, music and creative arts. Wishing you all a joyous festive season and a Happy New Year! With love from the Owls team xx

