









NEWSLETTER

28.11.2025





Winning Class for Week Ending: 21.11.2025

Blabey Class: 97.41%

Whole School: 94.88%

90-94%

95-97%

98-99%

100%

Upcoming Dates

2nd December: Dental Survey for 5 year olds

11th December: Christmas Jumper Day

11th December: FOES Christmas Bazaar: 18:00 – 20:00 18th December: Christmas Performance: 13:00pm onwards

Last Day

19th December: FOES Non-Uniform: Christmas Theme: Best Dressed

Competition PM & fingers crossed for a Fly-By visitor PM....

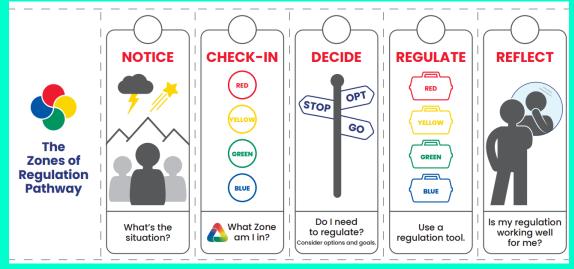
19th December: Head Teacher Awards, Active Badges, End of Term Attendance (End of Autumn Term Celebratory Assembly): **9am onwards: All welcome**

19th December: Louisa by the Piano: Christmas Songs: 10:20am (Children only)

19th December: Christmas Lunch at 12pm

19th December: Games etc. in class PM (activities voted by children). Treat provided by teachers.

Behaviour Curriculum Update



Zones of Regulation:

In lesson 10, we tied together the most important parts of the Zones of Regulation curriculum into 5 steps to follow in order to regulate in different situations. Children learned to follow the Zones Pathway by: noticing the situation they find themselves in, including identifying triggers and sparks; checking in to find out what zone they are in; deciding if they need to regulate by using Stop, Opt, Go; Choosing a regulation tool, if appropriate; reflecting on if the regulation is working.

See Lesson 10 HERE

Christmas Performance Costumes: 18th December

No costumes necessary! Children must wear smart 'Christmas Party Dress' (no football shirts). Pupils come into school on the 18th December wearing it, and perform in it, for you, from 1pm onwards. Pupils must be bare feet for the Performance, so no tights etc.

Non-Uniform: 19th December

Children can wear whatever they like, including **Christmas theme** if they wish. There will be the traditional FOES *Best Dressed Competition* we have every Christmas in the afternoon.

Christmas Post-Box

Children can post Christmas cards to their friends (name and class on envelopes) via the Christmas Post-box. Available from W/C: 8th December.

Bikeability

Don't forget to sign up for Bikeability (Yr 5/6) Numbers restricted – first-come-first-served.

Website Launch

Our new website launches On Monday. You can see the professional video on the homepage. Professional photos from the 'shoot' day will be added in due course.

See <u>HERE</u>



FOES Raffle Tickets:

Need any more tickets to sell? Pop into the office.

Learning Highlights of the Week

Bryon Highlights:

This week in Byron Class, we have enjoyed the story *Mr Gumpy's Outing*. We retold the story in our own words with actions. We also made our own boats and tested them in the water to make sure they

floated.





Yarlett Highlights:

This week in Yarlett Class we have started our new topic in music learning about tempo and learning how songs can feel fast or slow. In English we have worked hard on using punctuation especially question marks, and exclamation marks to make our sentences clear and expressive and the children enjoyed practising them in their own writing. A great week of progress!

Blabey Highlights:

In Blabey Class this week, we have learned about the beliefs of the ancient Egyptians. We discovered how they believe in hundreds of gods who control a feature of the world, and learned about their views on death. We even took part in a mummification, to see how pharaoh's bodies were prepared for the afterlife!

Morpurgo Highlights:

This week, Morpurgo Class have thrown themselves into the world of *Room 13*, using rich description to hook and intrigue the reader. The children have worked incredibly hard to build suspense, choose powerful vocabulary, and craft vivid scenes that keep you turning the page. After completing their first drafts, all children showed excellent focus during editing and revising sessions, by improving word choices and polishing their work, to publication standard. They should be proud of their commitment to the writing process!



This week's Curriculum Champions are:

Bryon Class: Noah, Siena,

Seren

Yarlett Class: Ellis, Robyn,

Abigail

Blabey Class: Oscar, Elysia,

Faye

Morpurgo Class: Lleyton,

Oceanna, Joshua, Lily, Megan



HOUSE WINNER THIS WEEK:

Biggest Improvement in Accuracy over the last 14 days in:

Year 2

1st: Cruise 2nd: Abigail, 3rd: Matthew

Blabey:

1st Finley 2nd: Elsie W 3rd: Emilia

Morpurgo

1st Oliver R 2nd: Eliza 3rd: Amelia



Celebration Awards Assemblies - click HERE

Events & Learning Gallery – click HERE













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Spring 1

6th January: Pupils Back at School

9th January: FOES Bake Sale: Yarlett Class donations

16th January: FOES Disco: KS1 then KS2: TBC: 17:00 – 19:30pm

23rd January: Blabey Class Assembly (& Celebratory)

11th February: Safer Internet Day

13th February: Head Teacher Awards (End of Spring 1 Celebratory Assembly) 13th February: FOES Love Your Year 6s: Enterprise Event: 15:15 – 16:15pm

Spring 2

23rd February: Pupils Back at School

5th March: World Book Day 2026: Dress as any character!

9th March: DT Day (British Science Week) 10th March: Maths Day (British Science Week) 11th March: Science Day (British Science Week) 13th March: Big Red Nose Coin Drop: Date TBC

16th & 18th March: Parents' Evening (Children can attend!)

23rd March: Egg Rolling Competition AM & Egg Decorating Competition PM

24th March: FOES Non-Uniform (wear weather-appropriate clothes for Egg Hunt PM)

24th March: Head Teacher Awards, Active Badges, End of Term Attendance (End of Spring Term

Celebratory Assembly: A few days earlier): 9am onwards: All welcome

24th March: FOES Egg Hunt after School

25th – 27th March: Hilltop Residential (Year 5 & 6)

Summer 1

14th April: Pupils Back at School

17th April: FOES Bake Sale: Bryon Class donations 1st May: Yarlett Class Assembly (& Celebratory)

11th – 14th May: Year 6 SATS

18th – 22nd May: Healthy Week 2026

20th May: Morpurgo Relocation Day: Enterprise Event

22nd May: Head Teacher Awards (End of Summer 1 Celebratory Assembly)

22nd May: Sports Day 2026: Gates open at 1pm

Summer 2

1st June: Pupils back at school

1st – 12th June: Year 4 Multiplication Check

8th – 12th June: Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

22nd June: World Music Day

25th June: Stay & Play: Pre-School Information Evening

3rd July: Bryon Class Assembly (& Celebratory)

W/C 13th July: Transition Week TBC

15th July: End of Year School Reports released tonight

17th July: Head Teacher Awards, Active Badges, End of Term Attendance (End of Year Celebratory

Assembly) followed by Year 6 Leavers' Assembly: 9am - 10:20 approximately

17th July: Year 6 swimming lessons, aquatic aerobics, takeaway lunch & pool party

17th July: FOES Best Dressed Summer Competition PM

17th July: Year 6 shirt signing in Hall PM