



EYFS
Autumn 2 Letter
2025-2026

Welcome Back!

Welcome back! Our EYFS children had a fabulous first half term in school. We have a very exciting half term planned. Our EYFS topic this half term is called 'Light up the sky'.

We will continue our learning about different celebrations such as Divali, Bonfire Night and Christmas. The children really enjoyed making their Diya lamps before half term and we hope you liked them. We have lots of things to look forward to this week such as making firework pictures and edible chocolate sparklers!

We also have our amazing nativity to practise and perform for you later in December and we cannot wait for it!

Please can we remind you to complete your child's Reading Record every time they read their BugClub eBook and bring it back into school every Tuesday.

Thank you for your continued support,

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EYFS Topics

Autumn 1 (02.09.25 – 22.10.25)	Spring 1 (05.01.26 – 13.02.26)	Summer 1 (22.04.25 – 23.05.25)
Me and My World	People who Help Us	Roar!
Autumn 2 (03.11.25 – 19.12.25)	Spring 2 (23.02.26 – 27.12.26)	Summer 2 (02.06.26 – 17.07.26)
Light Up the Sky	Amazing Animals	Holidays

Weekly Timetable

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Bring in your reading book and record in in class every day				
	Reading books set		Forest School	PE



Our Learning this half term



Our topic for the first half term is '**Light up the World**'. Throughout this half term, we will be focussing on:

Literacy: We will focus on our phonics and recognising the sounds that the letters make and begin to write letters. Through Drawing Clun, we will also explore the book 'Room on the Broom', the tale of 'The Gingerbread Man' and the animation 'The Magic Roundabout'.

Maths: We will look at and practise counting, writing and making numbers to 5, subitising numbers to 5 and use our understanding of number to solve practical problems in play.

PE: We will develop the fundamental skills through a variety of activities.

Topic: We will be learning the songs and a dance for our Nativity, we will also learn about Remembrance Sunday and Bonfire night. We will look at the importance of Birthdays and how we change as we grow – **please can you email or send copies of 5 photos to show how your child has grown over each year.**

PSHE: We will begin to think about the feelings of others and how our actions might impact on them. We will also focus on our relationships with others, sharing and taking turns and trying new things.

Forest School: We will continue to develop our confidence and independence through free exploration and learn to follow rules and boundaries. We will enjoy toasting s'mores with our buddy to celebrate Bonfire Night and create some Nature Art. Our Forest School sessions will usually take place on a Wednesday however, we have the option to go on any other day so as the weather gets colder, please send named gloves, scarves and hats.



Key Events for Autumn 2: 03.11.25 – 19.12.25



Anti-bullying week	Odd Socks Day	Non-Uniform Day	
Monday 10th November – Friday 14th November A week dedicated to promoting kindness, respect and standing up against bullying.	Monday 10th November Children wear odd socks to celebrate what makes us all unique.	Friday 14th November Children can come to school in their own clothes in exchange for Christmas Hamper donations.	
Whole School Surprise	Christmas Pop-Up Shop	Christmas Craft Sharing	Christmas Dinner & Party Day
Friday 28th November A special treat for the whole school – shh, it's a surprise!	Monday 3rd December Children can buy and wrap small, affordable gifts for family and friends.	Friday 12th December A festive parent event where families join their children to make Christmas crafts.	Thursday 18th December A joyful day of Christmas lunch, music, and celebrations to end the term.



EYFS Routines



Entering / Exiting (KS1 Yard)	Cloakroom	Snacks and Drinks
- Gates open at 8:35am (there is no school led supervision) - Doors open at 8:45am - Gates open at 8:35am (there is no school led supervision) - Doors open at 8:45am - Please drop off and collect your child from the EYFS gate. - Home Time is at 3:30pm NO parents are to use the staff car park unless permission has been given, by Governors, for exceptional circumstances.	- Each child has their own peg for personal belongings, such as their coat and PE kit. - Each child has a tray to store their snack and anything that they make in school that they would like to take home.	- All children receive a free piece of fruit every morning playtime - Children are allowed to bring in a healthy snack (i.e. fruit or sugar free snack) for afternoon playtime. This should remain in their tray (not lunchbox) until eaten. - No chocolate or crisps permitted. - We cannot store yogurt in a fridge - Please note that we are a nut-free school due to the severe allergies that we have. Drinks:- Children should bring water in a clearly identifiable water bottle each day which will be kept in class. They will be able to refill if necessary, during the day.
	Playground Gates Open –8:35 a.m. The school yard is not supervised by staff before school. For everyone’s safety, we kindly ask that children do not use the playground equipment during this time. If a child does use the equipment, the school cannot accept responsibility for any accidents that may occur before or after school hours.	

PE

All children **MUST** have their PE Kit in a draw string bag that is kept in school on their peg. It will be sent home to be washed and size checked each half term.

P.E. Kit

white round neck t-shirt

black shorts

black pumps (indoor)

plain black or **white** trainers (outdoor) - these may be brought in each week

plain black tracksuit bottoms / leggings (outdoor)

* **plain black** tracksuit top (outdoor)

drawstring pump bag

* = optional

Note - watches and earrings must be **removed** for PE and long hair must be tied back.

We could be **indoors** or **outdoors**, depending on the weather.



This half term, our PE day is **Friday**.

School Uniform



Girls

- school logo bottle green sweatshirt or cardigan
- white polo shirt
- green checked skirt / pinafore or plain black skirt / pinafore
- * black trousers
- white or black socks / black tights
- black school shoes
- * bottle green and white checked dress for summer

Boys

- school logo bottle green sweatshirt
- white polo shirt
- black school trousers
- white or black socks
- black school shoes
- * black school shorts for summer

P.E. Kit

- white round neck t-shirt
- black shorts
- black pumps (indoor)
- * plain black trainers (outdoor)
- drawstring pump bag

Forest School - EYFS

- EYFS provide wellies and an all in one suit for Forest School – this means we have the freedom to go up on any day of the week.
- hat and gloves / cap (weather dependant)

Extras

- * bottle green school book bag
- * bottle green school logo coat
- * bottle green school logo fleece
- * named water bottle
- * green small logo ruck sack

NO jeans

NO trainers or boots

NO jewellery, make-up or nail varnish

NO extreme hair cuts - long hair must be tied back

(watch and plain stud earrings only)

* = optional