



Our values: Resilience, Kindness, Responsibility, Ambition



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✿ Weekly Roundup ✿

Our focus value for this half term is: Responsibility

A huge welcome back to you all, and I wish everyone a happy new year and all the very best for 2026. It has been lovely to welcome the children back to school and to hear about how much they enjoyed spending time with their families over the break.

January is often a time for forward planning, setting goals and approaching life with a renewed sense of focus and energy – and school is no different. This half term, our whole-school focus value is **Responsibility**.

We will be talking with the children about what it means to be responsible in school and beyond. Our key message is that we are responsible for our actions, our behaviour, and the way we approach our learning each day. We would really appreciate your support in reinforcing this message at home by talking with your child about what being responsible looks like in everyday life.

As always, we would like to thank you for your continued support and partnership. Working together helps us to create a safe, positive and purposeful learning environment where every child can thrive. Please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff if you have any questions or concerns as we move into the new term.



Class Dojo



I would also like to take this opportunity to thank parents for your patience and understanding during the recent period of poor weather. Hopefully, although the forecast suggests otherwise, we have now seen the worst of it. Please be assured that should we need to make any changes or adaptations to the school day in order to keep everyone safe, we will always communicate this as clearly and promptly as possible via ClassDojo.

Please ensure you have access to this platform, and if not, speak with your child's class teacher who will be happy to help.

Mr. Shaw – Baby Orla

I would like to share the lovely news that during the Christmas break Mr. Shaw became a father to his beautiful daughter Orla. We wish Mr. Shaw a lovely paternity leave and hope he enjoys this special time with his family.

Key Dates/Events



12/1/2026 – Y6 Library Trip

14/1/2026 – Reception Library Trip

16/1/2026 – Y3 Library Trip

19/1/2026 – Y4 Library Trip

★ Attendance Stars ★

Our whole school target is 97%

Weekly Class Attendance Winners

7B- 95%

Y2- 97%

Y5 – 97%



Parent Contact Details

Please can you ensure that the school office has up to date contact details and the details of an emergency contact that the school can use if required. It is vital that we have these details to ensure that parents are contactable if/when required. If you are unsure if school has the right details then please pop into the school office and speak with Miss Hathaway or Mrs Stockley who will update our school records.