

REEDLEY HALLOWS NURSERY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2025

October 2025



Dear Parents/Carers

Before we finish today for the half term holiday, I want to thank you all for your support this term. Your children are amazing and a credit to you. They have achieved such a lot since starting in September, and have all had a lot of fun. We have loved welcoming you into school for story sessions and parent meetings over the last couple of weeks; if you didn't manage to get into your child's classroom this term, we hope that you can make it next time. The children love to show off their classrooms to their family members and it is a great opportunity for you to see what they're upto in school!

I hope you all have a lovely half-term holiday and look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 3rd November.

Mrs Gordon

SCHOOL FUND

A reminder that school fund will be due again when we return after the half-term holiday, unless you have already paid for the full term. This is £2 per week and can be paid weekly or in a block of £14 for next half-term. Please pay on Weduc or by card at the office.

School fund pays for fruit every day for the children, visitors into school, treats for special occasions etc



CAR PARK SAFETY

There has been a big improvement in safety in our car parks over the last few weeks - thank you so much to those of you that have followed my request to park your car in a space rather than stopping in front of the barrier.

A number of children are arriving at school on balance bikes, which is lovely to see. However, I have been made aware that sometimes children are riding their bikes away from parents and sometimes in the middle of the car park. If your child comes to school on a bike, please make sure that they stay with you at all times and that they ride on the path where possible.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

3rd and 5th November, 1:30 - 3:30pm - Primary School Admissions Support Afternoons in our family support room. If you need help filling in the online application for your child's primary school place, come along and someone will be able to help you.

6th November - visit from the **Guide Dogs Association**

Week beginning 10th November - Nursery Rhyme Week - parents will be invited in on Thursday 13th for a Nursery Rhyme crafts session

20th November - ZooLab experience - this will be for Ladybird, Butterfly and Sunshine classes only

9th December - Christmas performance - this will be for Ladybird, Butterfly and Sunshine classes only

19th December - Christmas party day - all classes. School closes for the Christmas Holidays

5th January 2026 - School re-opens

WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING THIS HALF-TERM?

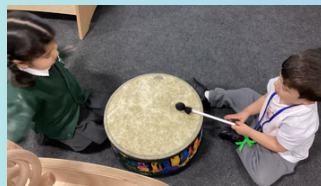
MATHS

Butterfly and Ladybird classes have done lots of very clever maths learning. They have been singing number rhymes, which helps the children to learn to say number names in order, and to count accurately a small set of objects or people. They have also been finding out all about 'more' and 'fewer'. They collected sets of objects to compare, and found out when 2 sets are the same.



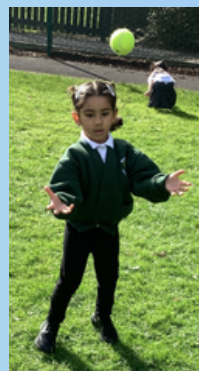
ROUTINES

Children in all classes have been learning to follow our routines in school and have been exploring all of the different areas inside and outside. Tidying resources away is an important thing to learn in school and the children are doing so well. They have been taught the phrase 'choose it, use it, put it away' to remind them what to do. Try it at home, they're really good at being super helpers! They have also been learning to share toys and resources and to take turns with other children.



FOOTBALL SKILLS

Coach Abbey has been working with Butterfly and Ladybird class children every week. She has been teaching them to follow her instructions, move in different ways, throw, catch and dribble small and large balls.



STORY WORKSHOPS

Lots of parents and carers joined us in school for a story workshop. Staff modelled sharing stories with the children and explained why stories are so important. The children loved having their family members in school with them!



BOOK BUS

The library service brought their 'Book Bus' to school last week. The children in Ladybird, Butterfly and Sunshine Room classes went onto the bus for a story and to look at all of the lovely books.



AUTUMN

Children through school have been learning all about Autumn. They have been exploring Autumn colours, looking at leaves to see their colours and shapes, exploring pumpkins and have been out around the campus for an Autumn walk.

