

Dates for your diary:

Non-Pupil Day - 25 October

Half Term 28 October - 1 November

Return to School - 4 November

Remembrance Service 8 November - 2.30pm

Children in Need 15 November

Make the Rules Day 29 November

KS2 Northcott Theatre Trip
3 December

KS1 Nativity - 10 December

Lantern Parade - 12 December

Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day - 18 December

> Christingle Service 19 December - 2.30pm

> > Last day of Term 20 December

Stars of the week

Ash: Max
Beech: Azalea
Cedar: Lucas
Oak: Charlotte
Willow: Leo

Golden Leaves

Ash: Bethany Beech: Nicholas Cedar: George B Oak: Liam

Stars of the week last week

Ash: Martha Beech: Toby Cedar: Sidney Oak: Ralph Willow: Daphne

Golden Leaves

Ash: Fleur & Sophie Beech: Jacob Cedar: Jemima Oak: Millie Willow: Floise

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Message from Sarah Price

I want to start by saying a big well done to all the children who competed in the cross country event earlier this week. It is a tough race and we are proud of each and everyone of them for represented the school with such determination and resilience

It has been a busy first half term

packed with fantastic learning opportunities. If you would like to find out what your child will be learning when they return, please look at their <u>class page</u>. We also have lots of information on our <u>maths and English curriculum pages</u> to help you support your child's learning at home.

Have a wonderful break and we will see you on Monday 4 November.

Willow Class (Pre-school)

It's been a wonderful start on our play and learning journey this term across EYFS. The children have

enjoyed taking part in our "My World" topic and sharing their thoughts, feelings and knowledge with their peers. All of the children are developing and building on independent choice making, building friendships and becoming resilient. Have a wonderful half term and we will see you all when we are back.



Oak Class (Reception)

What a great first half term we have had in Oak Class! It has been lovely to get to know our class through our topic of 'My World' and to explore the world around us as we move into Autumn. This week we went on a welly walk with Cedar Class to look for seasonal changes in our local area. In English, we have been reading 'The Squirrels who Squabbled' together and enjoyed giving the squirrels advice on how to be a good friend. Through our Autumn topic, we have created leaf wreaths, pumpkin collages and made nests for the animals in our outside area. We have loved being outside in our outdoor area with Willow Class as we investigate the digging area, cook marvellous muddy meals and practice our obstacle courses together.



Cedar Class (Year 1 and 2)

Cedar have had a fantastically autumnal week this week! We observed the beginnings of lots of changes in our local area on our welly walk on Monday and predicted how it will look in a few weeks' time too. This was also a lovely way to end our geography unit as we could see lots of human and physical features that we've spoken about over



this half term. In English, we've been developing our vocabulary by thinking creatively about how to describe autumn treasures, drawing on our science knowledge too, ready to create our own acrostic poems about Autumn.

Beech Class (Years 3 and 4)

Beech Class have had a wonderful last two weeks of school. Within English, the children have enjoyed learning



from our text 'Tara Beach' and as a result have written some fabulous scripts. Within maths, the children have been taught how to exchange both in addition and subtraction calculations. Finally, the children did themselves proud at the cross country event showing determination and resilience in abundance. Have a great break.

Ash Class (Years 5 and 6)

Over the past two weeks we have been completing many of our topics: we have finished off our work on the 'Windrush Child' by writing a persuasive piece of writing about erecting a new monument; we have completed our printing project in art - as well as creating entries for our MPs Christmas Card Competition; and we have capped off our geography unit on ocean currents with a quiz! The children have also really enjoyed building their knowledge

on Islam - with a focus on what each of the five pillars mean. In PE, children from Ash competed in the Killerton Cross Country event with the rest taking part in tag rugby related games. In maths, we have progressed onto looking at multiplication and division as well as multiples, factors, and prime, square and cube numbers.

