

Newsletter

Deansbrook Infant School

NEWSLETTER NO.4

'Learn, Grow, Achieve Together'

3rd October 2025



Value of the month:

Friendship

Link to the British Value of Mutual respect and tolerance of others



Message from Mrs Catley

We are so sorry that the school photographs were postponed today due to our photographer being unwell. It is re-booked for next Friday with sibling photos, before school, from 8.30am.

Don't forget to send your child with their best smile! 😊

Teddy Bear's Lunch

We had a wonderful Teddy Bear's lunch yesterday with so many bears and other soft toys enjoying having lunch with their owners.

All visitors received a special sticker!



School Photographs

Please note that our school photographer will now be visiting on **Friday 10th October** to take individual pictures of the children. These will be taken during the school day.

We are still giving you the opportunity to have a photograph of your child with their sibling(s). Please bring your children to the school hall via the fire exit door between 8.30am and 9.00am on October 10th.



PTA

We held our annual AGM of the PTA on Tuesday and I am delighted to inform you that the following people were elected:

Joint Chairpersons: Lynne Colyer & Jo Ho
Secretary – Rebecca George
Treasurer – Julia Hutton-Squire



Our next PTA event is:

Halloween Day
Friday 24th October

Children can pay £1 to wear a Halloween costume to school

Halloween cake decorating competition.
Prizes for the best decorated Halloween themed cakes
Cake Stall at 3.15pm.

What happens to the money raised by the PTA?

The money raised by the PTA in 2024-2025 will be used this year in the following ways:

- £800 towards science workshops in the spring term
- £2000 towards new laptops for our children
- £450 to cover the cost of two visits from Electric Umbrella who promote inclusivity through dance and music

THANK YOU



Dates for your diary

Autumn Term 2024

Tuesday 7th October - Nursery Meet the Teacher Meeting at 9am in the hall

Friday 10th October – Individual photographs (sibling photos available 8.30am – 9.00am)

Friday 10th October – Tour of School for prospective parents 9.30am

Tuesday 14th October – Year 1 Harvest Assembly

Thursday 16th October – Year 2 Harvest Assembly

Friday 17th October – Just One Tree (children wear green or brown and bring £1 to plant a tree)

Tuesday 21st October – Diwali Assembly at 9am in the hall

Tuesday 21st October – Parent Consultations 3.30pm – 6.00pm

Thursday 23rd October – Parents Consultations 4.30pm – 7.00pm

Friday 24th October – Dress up for Halloween (children can wear a Halloween costume to school)

Friday 24th October – Cake Sale 3.15pm (Halloween themed cake competition)

Friday 24th October – End of half term

HALF TERM BREAK – October 27th – October 31st

Monday 3rd November – 2nd half of Autumn Term starts

Monday 3rd November – Flu Vaccines (am)

Tuesday 18th November – Year 1 educational visit to the RAF museum

Monday 8th December – Flu Vaccines (pm)

Thursday 3rd December – Reception visit to the Arts Depot

Tuesday 9th December - Rocksteady Concert (parents of rocksteady students can attend)

Wednesday 10th December – Y2 educational visit to 'A Christmas Experience'

Thursday 11th December – Red and Green Classes end of term concert at 9am

Friday 12th December – Nursery concerts at 11am and 2.30pm

Tuesday 16th December – Blue and Purple Classes end of term concert at 9am

Wednesday 17th December – Gold Class end of term Concert at 9am

Thursday 18th December – Silver Class end of term concert at 9am

Thursday 18th December – End of term for am and pm nursery

Friday 19th December – End of Term

Reception finish at 1.15pm

Full time Nursery, Year 1 and Year 2 finish at 1.30pm

***all dates in bold type can be attended by parents/carers**

Attendance

This week the attendance in each class has been...

Class	Attendance %
Gold Class	96%
Silver Class	96%
Green Class	93%
Purple Class	97%
Red Class	92%
Blue Class	97%

Well Purple and Blue done Classes!

Do you need to hire a space?

Our school hall is now available to hire through the website Sharesy. The hall is suitable for a regular booking for a class or club or for one off family occasions, such as a children's party.

Please click on the following link:

<https://www.sharesy.com/s/deansbrook-infant-school-main-hall>



Birthdays

Happy Birthday to these children who celebrated their birthday this week:

Imran in the Nursery

Hira in Purple Class

Joon and Asti in Green Class

Zadie in Silver Class

We hope you all had a lovely day.

Outrageous parking and extremely dangerous driving. Moving on and off the pavement while children and their families are trying to walk to school! If we see this again the police will be informed.

