

Newsletter

Deansbrook Infant School

NEWSLETTER NO.19 'Learn, Grow, Achieve Together'

6th February 2026



Value of the month:

Courage

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



Message from Mrs Catley

I would like to let you know that Miss Simon has been seconded to another local school for the spring term. This means that she will not be at Deansbrook on Wednesday and Thursday each week. We will really miss her but we are pleased that she has been given this opportunity and we wish her every success. Well done Miss Simon!

Children's Mental Health Week

Next week it is National Children's Metal Health Week and Mrs Griffiths has organised some special activities for the children.

Monday 9th February

Yoga and mindfulness whole school assembly led by Mrs Bharadia

Tuesday 10th February

Whole school KS1 assembly: 'Belonging' Led by Mrs Griffiths

Thursday 12th February

Come as yourself day: what makes you unique?

Children can wear their own clothes and make a donation of £1 towards funds to buy some additional resources to support children's mental health.

Dance-A-Thon

<https://shorturl.at/e3MUd>

Also, check out all the mental health activities and links on our website:



Children's Birthdays



Please can I remind you about children's birthdays: If you would like to celebrate your child's birthday at school, please do not bring sweets or cake or party bags to school for the children in your child's class.

Instead, we would love a new book for the class or some bulbs or seeds for the school grounds. Thank you



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

Dates for your diary

Spring Term 2026

Monday 9th February – Children’s Mental Health Week

Tuesday 10th February – Safer Internet Day

Thursday 12th February – Zoolab visit to Year 1

Thursday 12th February – Come as yourself Day – **Children wear their own clothes and donate £1**

Thursday 12th February - Dance-a-thon

Friday 13th February – Chinese New Year Assembly at 9am in the School Hall

Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February: **Half Term**

Monday 23rd February – Spring Term 2nd half

Thursday 5th March – World Book Day – Reading breakfast from 8am in the school hall

Monday 9th March – Science Week

Tuesday 17th March – Rock Steady Concert at 9am (for parents/carers of children who attend Rock Steady)

Thursday 19th March – Niteowls visit to the school (children can have their photo taken with an owl!)

Friday 20th March – Red Nose Day

Tuesday 24th March – Parents Consultations: 3.30 – 6.00pm

Wednesday 25th March – Parents Consultations: 4.30 – 7.00pm

Friday 27th March – 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**



Year 2 have recently taken part in the Monster Mayhem competition. The children used their creative skills to draw a picture of their own monster. These were sent to the competition organisers and we are now waiting for our published book to arrive! Every child received a sticker and a certificate and one picture will be used on the front cover. Well done Year 2!



Half term holiday club
Monday 16th – Friday 20th February

CANCELLED

We are sorry to inform you that the 'Super Star Sport' holiday club has unfortunately been cancelled!



Birthdays

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

Ezlin in the Nursery
Leo and Moses in Blue Class

We hope you all had a lovely day.

Attendance

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

Class	Attendance %
Gold Class	93%
Silver Class	96%
Green Class	93%
Purple Class	92%
Red Class	87%
Blue Class	93%

Well done Silver Class!

Safer Internet Day 2026 | Tuesday 10 February

Coordinated by the UK Safer Internet Centre

saferinternetday.org.uk

For more information and resources please click on the link
<https://saferinternet.org.uk/>