

Fellgate Primary School

Fellgate's News



Friday 25th September

Dear Parents and Carers,
Attendance Matters:

Acorns – 84%		Elms – 96%		Oaks – 95%	
Rowans – 94%	Hawthorns – 85%		Willows – 86%		Hollies – 81%
Birches – 98%					

Every day in school counts, and regular attendance helps children make good progress, build friendships, and fully enjoy all aspects of school life. Thank you for your ongoing support with attendance.

Early Years Open Evening: Do you know a family with a child due to start school next year? We would love your help in spreading the word about our fantastic school! Our Early Years Open Evening will take place on **Wednesday 14th October from 3.30pm to 4.30pm**, giving prospective parents and carers the opportunity to look around our Early Years setting, meet our staff and find out more about Fellgate. We are incredibly proud of our school community and would be grateful if you could share this information with friends, family and neighbours who may be looking for a school place for September 2027.

Meet the Team: Our Meet the Team sessions that have already taken place have been a great success, and it has been lovely to welcome families into school. We are looking forward to welcoming parents and carers from the remaining year groups over the coming weeks to spend time with their child and meet the class team.

Fellgate Football Team: Following last week's announcement, we are delighted to see the excitement continuing to build around our new Fellgate Football Team. The children have been actively involved in choosing and designing their football strip and have thoroughly enjoyed taking part in training sessions. Their enthusiasm, teamwork and commitment have been fantastic to see. We are looking forward to supporting the team as they prepare to represent our school on 16th October.

Everyday Heroes Visit: As part of our *Everyday Heroes* topic in the Resource Base, we are excited to welcome the Fire Brigade to school on Tuesday 6th October. The firefighters will be bringing their fire engine to our school yard and, provided they are not called to an emergency, will spend time with the children explaining their role and showing them around the vehicle. This promises to be a fantastic hands-on learning experience, and all children across school will be able to take part in this special visit.

School Shoes: A polite reminder that all children should wear appropriate school shoes every day. School shoes are an important part of our school uniform and help to keep children safe throughout the school day. Trainers, open-toed footwear, Crocs and shoes with high heels are not suitable for school, as they can increase the risk of slips, trips and injuries. Thank you for your support in ensuring that children come to school dressed safely and ready to learn.

Have a lovely weekend!
Miss C. Pierce
Head of School





Stars of the Week

Class	Pupil	Reason for Star of the Week
Acorns	Liam	For trying very hard to work independently and checking his writing
Rowans	Keenan	For his good listening skills and for always trying his very best.
Hawthorns	Lauren	for her growing participation in group and class activities and completing all work activities when she is asked. Well done Lauren!
Elms	Amaia	for working really hard to complete all of the jobs asked of her and for also putting her hand up lots to answer questions in class.
Willows	Olivia	for trying her absolute best with her writing this week. She has written a lovely letter, by sounding out her words very carefully. Well done Olivia!
Hollies	William	You are always willing to help adults and love a job. You show kindness to your friends every day, share resources and include everyone in games and activities. Well done William!
Oaks	Robert	For challenging himself to produce high standards of work.
Birches	Frankie	for being particularly caring about both his friends and his teachers this week.



Fellgate Primary School Key Dates 2026-2027

There may be further dates added to the annual calendar, and these will be shared on Dojo and on the Newsletter to ensure you are informed.

Autumn Term	
Wednesday 14 th October 3.30-4.30pm	Reception Open Day
Monday 19 th October at 3.20pm	Y6 SATS Information Meeting
Wednesday 21 st October – 1.30pm -2.45pm	Parent Carer Halloween Craft Afternoon - Acorns and Rowans
Thursday 22 nd October	Year 1 Phonics Information Meeting
Friday 23 rd October	Family Breakfast
Friday 23 rd October	Last day of term
Monday 2 nd November	First day of term
Friday 6 th November	INSET Day
Week Beginning 9 th November	Parents appointments for the Resource Base
Tuesday 10 th November	Parents appointments
Wednesday 11 th November	Parents appointments
Wednesday 11 th November	Remembrance Day
Friday 13 th November	Children in Need
Monday 16 th November – Friday 20 th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Wednesday 25 th November 3.30-4.30pm	Reception Open Day
Thursday 26 th November PM	PANTO – Rapunzel
Week beginning Monday 1 st December	Christmas Around the World
Monday 1 st December	Winter Warmer
Tuesday 2 nd December	Winter Warmer
Thursday 10 th December	Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Lunch Key Stage 2 Carol Concert
Friday 11 th December	Christmas Fayre
Tuesday 15 th December	KS1 and EYFS Christmas Performance
Wednesday 16 th December	KS2 Christmas Party
Thursday 17 th December	KS1 and EYFS Christmas Party
Friday 18 th December	Longest Journey Assembly
Friday 18 th December	Last day of term

Spring Term	
Monday 4 th January 2027	First day of term
Week beginning Monday 25 th January	Elms and Hawthorns class assembly
Week beginning Monday 1 st February	Children's Mental Health Week
Week beginning Monday 1 st February	Birches and Oaks class assembly
Tuesday 10 th February	Internet Safety Day
Week beginning Monday 8 th February	Hollies and Willows class assembly
Week Beginning Monday 8 th February	Parents appointments for the Resource Base
Tuesday 8 th February 3.00pm to 6.00pm	Parents Evening
Friday 12 th February	Family Breakfast



Friday 12 th February	Last day of term
Monday 22 nd February	First day of term
Thursday 4 th March	World Book Day
Friday 5 th March	INSET Day
Monday 8 th - Friday 12 th March	Thurston
Thursday 11 th March PM	The Big Opera North (Oaks, Elms and Birches)
Week beginning Monday 15 th March	Acorns and Rowans class assembly
Week beginning Monday 8 th March	Science week
Week beginning Monday 22 nd March	Shakespeare Week
Wednesday 24 th March	Smelly Egg Competition
Thursday 25 th March	Longest Journey Assembly
Thursday 25 th March	Last day of term

Summer Term 2025	
Monday 12 th April	First day of term
Monday 10 th May	KS2 SATs
Date to be confirmed	Family Picnic
Friday 28 th May	Family Breakfast
Friday 28 th May	Last day of term
Monday 7 th June	First day of term
Thursday 24 th June	Sports Day and Strawberry Tea
Friday 2 nd July	Summer Fayre
Week beginning Monday 5 th July	Class Celebration with parents
Thursday 15 th July	Year 6 Leavers Performance
Friday 16 th July	Longest Journey Assembly
Friday 16 th July	Last day of term

