

ROBY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

OPAL PARENT PLAY AFTERNOON

This Thursday, we look forward to welcoming parents and carers to come and enjoy an afternoon of OPAL play.

Parents & carers are welcome to come and join us from 1.30pm onwards. You will get to experience all of our new additions to the site and see what your children's play experience is like here at Roby Park...which is pretty amazing!



Play is part of the children's curriculum time so children will remain in school until 3pm, if parents/carers need to leave before 3pm.

JUNIOR DUKE WORKSHOPS

Junior Dukes is an award scheme inspired by the Duke of Edinburgh Award and aimed at primary pupils that encourages the development of valuable life skills.

Parents are invited into school to learn more about the programme and what it entails, whilst working with your child/ren to select the activities you want to complete. We have purchased all the resources so there will be no additional costs to parents and carers. We look forward to you joining us. Workshops should last approximately 45 minutes.

Workshop dates are:
 Mon 16th Sept: Y1 & Y2
 Tues 17th Sept: Y3 & Y4
 Weds 18th Sept: Y5 & Y6.
 Thurs 19th Sept: YN & YR



EUROPEAN DAY OF LANGUAGES



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To celebrate European Day of Languages, children can come to school in Spanish themed costumes or wear red & yellow on **Thursday 26th September**.

They will enjoy a day of Spanish workshops and a Spanish themed lunch menu!

CLASS CHARTS APP

Please make sure you are logging into Class Charts Parent app regularly for all letters, newsletters, enrichment info and updates. Don't forget children can use their Class Chart reward points to buy prizes on the Class Charts Children app.



RECEPTION 2025 APPLICATIONS



If your child is due to start Reception in September 2025, the application portal is now open. You have until 15th January 2025 to submit your applications. Please remember that if your child attends our Nursery, this does not guarantee them a place in Reception so make sure your application is on time. All information has been sent to you via Class Charts.

Y6 2025 APPLICATIONS

If your child is due to start Y6 in September 2025, the application portal is now open. You have until 31st October 2024 to submit your applications. All information has been sent to you via Class Charts.



Y4 RESIDENTIAL PARENT MEETING

We will be hosting a parent/carer information meeting this Tuesday at 10am (following on from the Junior Dukes workshop) to share all the information regarding the Y4 residential to Ormside that we have booked for June 2025. We look forward to seeing you there in attendance.

ROBERTS RECYCLING

Are you planning a sort out before the colder months arrive? We are always collecting clothing which will be recycled so not ending up in landfill whilst raising money for our school. Saving the planet and help us fundraise at the same time!



PLEASE DON'T FORGET YOUR COATS

The weather is getting colder and it is extremely temperamental at the moment. Please make sure all children have a suitable, waterproof coat in school. The children play out in all weathers and so need to be prepared for the wetter weather.



CONGRATULATIONS MR SWATMAN

Congratulations to Mr Swatman and his family on the birth of their son. Mum and baby are doing well.



Mr Swatman will be on paternity leave this week coming and then returning on Monday 23rd September.

ASDA REWARD CASH POT

Asda Rewards Cashpot for Schools

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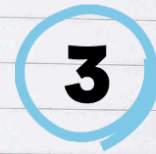
Download and sign up to the Asda Rewards app

Opt into the Cashpot for Schools campaign and select a specific primary school or select 'Schools in Need'.



Shop in store across Asda and George, or online at Asda.com

Asda will donate a percentage of your shop to your chosen school each time you shop and scan.



Asda does the rest

The money raised will be donated through Parentkind to schools to spend on what they need most. This won't affect your own Cashpot earn.

Once opted in and selected a school, we will add £1 to your chosen schools Cashpot to help get them started.

So far we have raised £139 in our school cash pot. For every person who signs up, we get £1 so even if you don't shop at Asda you can help us by signing up to the rewards app and selecting our school cash pot. If you do shop at Asda, we get a percentage of purchases. All money raised goes towards resources for school.

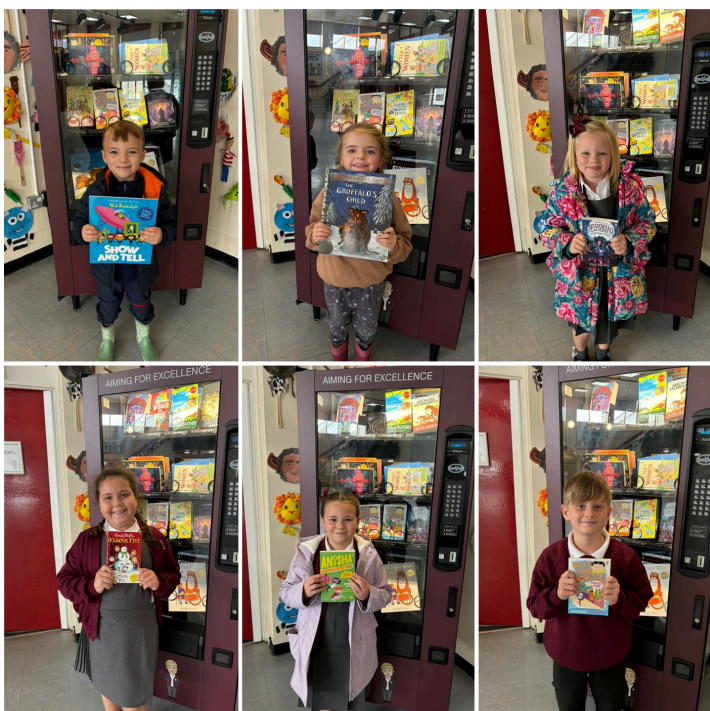
REMARKABLE READERS



Well done to our remarkable readers this week. Children get to bring the remarkable reader bag home with a book, hot chocolate, bookmark and pencil.

Children also get to choose a book from our book vending machine.

Children can earn remarkable reader points by engaging in reading at home and in school. Who will win next week?



STARS OF THE WEEK

Use your camera to scan the QR code to see who our wonderful stars of the week. Our children have had a fantastic start back to school with lots of children demonstrating our values of: collaboration, creativity, resilience, reflectiveness, being inquisitive and motivated.



WHAT HAVE CHILDREN ENJOYED THIS WEEK AT SCHOOL?

“There are lots of new OPAL resources to play with like water walls and the massive mud kitchen café area. I love playtimes.” Y6 pupil

“We dressed up as rock stars for Rock Kidz day. I loved the songs about not quitting. I want to be a rock star when I grow up.” Y2 pupil

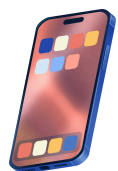
CLASSOPOLY



In our celebration assembly this week, we launched our new Classopoly board. Staff nominate their class for attendance recognition and children get to don the top hat and roll the dice! If children land on key stations, they can win prizes.

All classes are now on the board but who will be first to win a class prize?

CONTACT DETAILS



If your contact details change at any time, please inform the office. It is important we can contact you in case of emergencies. We must have TWO emergency contacts per pupil.