

ROBY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

NSPCC NUMBER DAY - THIS FRIDAY

Roby Park will be taking part in numerical games, activities and Dress up for Digits while raising money to support NSPCC's vital services like Speak out Stay safe and Childline.



Children can come to school dressed wearing numbers or patterns. We will be collecting £1 donations for NSPCC.

JUNIOR DUKES MEETING - NEXT MONDAY



Our next Junior Duke meeting is on **Monday 10th February**. Please make sure your child brings their Junior Dukes journal completed with photos and reflections. Children on track to attend our huge Junior Duke Summer Festival should have completed at least 4 challenges by now. **Our celebration event is planned for Monday 14th July with Angels & Scallies.**

Don't forget to upload photos to Seesaw so we can share your fantastic challenges!

Y5 PARENTS MEETING FOR Y6 LONDON RESIDENTIAL INFORMATION

Thank you to those parents and carers who attended the Y6 London residential information meeting.

The information and payment plans have been shared via Class Charts. Please see here for more info:
<https://robyparkprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/London-Parent-Meeting-30.1.25.pdf>



BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK TRIPS

To celebrate British Science Week, children in Y1-6 will be visiting the Catalyst Museum on Wednesday 12th March. The cost of the trip is £12 and can be paid in two instalments on Parent Pay.



ARBOR LAUNCH

For a while, we have been planning to streamline our platforms. We intend to move our platforms over to Arbor after Easter. This will mean one platform that will enable:

- school to communicate with parents and carers
- payments to be made by parents/carers
- parents/carers to book clubs and events
- school to send medical and first aid communications



This will mean after Easter, there will be no use for Class Charts, Medical Tracker, Parent Booking and Parent Pay.

We will be hosting parent/carers workshops that we encourage you all to attend on Thursday 20th March with sessions at 9am, 2pm and 5pm enabling all parent/carers to attend.

WHOLE SCHOOL CHESTER ZOO TRIP

We are excited to be taking the whole school on a trip to Chester Zoo, on Friday 4th April, following our conservation project with the Zoo.

The cost of the trip is just £8 and it can be paid over two instalments in February and March.



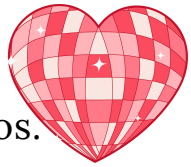
EYFS SUPER READERS

We have significantly invested in story bags to go home with weekly winners in Nursery and Reception. Bags contain, themed books and soft toy.

We hope children will enjoy these before returning the following Thursday for the next winner. We do ask that parents and carers take great care of these resources so all children get the opportunity to enjoy. Here are this week's winners:



VALENTINE'S DISCOS



On Thursday 13th February, we will be holding our Valentine's discos.

We will end the day, with our fabulous Valentine's discos with Nursery and Reception enjoying their party from 2.00-3.00pm during the school day. Y1 & Y2 will have their disco at 3-4pm with Y3 – Y6 having their disco 4.15 – 5.15pm.

All children can come to school in their party clothes. If children do not want to dress up, they can come to school in their uniform if they would prefer.

Nursery children who do not attend school in the afternoons but wish to come to the disco, can return to school at 2pm via the main office.

The cost of the disco for Nursery – Y2 children is £3.00 and includes a small packet of sweets, crisps and a drink. The cost of the disco for Y3 – Y6 is £3.00 and children get a chip cone and they can bring extra money to buy sweets, drinks and crisps.

There is also limited glow items. The disco must be paid for on Parent Pay by 9.00am on Thursday 13th February. Tickets are available now on Parent Pay.

All children in Nursery and Reception children should be collected from their respective classroom doors at the end of the school day. KS1 children should be collected from the main playground, by an adult, at 4pm and KS2 children should also be collected on the main playground, by an adult, at 5.15pm.

KS2 children must be brought to school for the disco by an adult and the adult must wait for children to have gone through the double red doors before leaving then collecting them at 5.15pm. Parents/carers are responsible for KS2 children until they have entered the disco itself.

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 are. 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.



ATTENDANCE RECOGNITION WINNERS

Y2 & Y3 were our attendance recognition winners this week and got the chance to move their class on our Classopoly board.

Mr Swatman said, "Well done to Noah and Harley who came to school, despite feeling a little under the weather, and trying really hard."

Miss Sutton said, "Well done to the whole class who have been so inquisitive this week about waterfalls, rivers and mountains in our new English outcome, especially Poppy and Tilly who were so eager to find some extra interesting facts!"

YOUNG VOICES CONCERT

The date for the Young Voices concert is fast approaching on Monday 24th February. All children participating have had the number of tickets requested applied to their Parent Pay accounts. Ticket payment deadline is today please. When tickets arrive, you will be invited to collect.

Children will be taken to and from the event via minibus. Parents make their own way to the Co-op Arena and back to school to collect children from the school. Children can not be collected at the end of the event at the Arena. More information can be found here: <https://robyparkprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/Parent-Info.pdf>.

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.

Y5 DOT ART COMPETITION

A number of Y5 children have been lucky enough to work with local Liverpool artist, Christine Conlin, to complete their Dot Art competition entries.

Entries will be uploaded on the Dot Art website and the online vote will begin on Monday 24th March until Thursday 24th April

We look forward to sharing our entries with you.



SPRING TERM 1 DATES

Dates are subject to change. Please keep an eye on Class Charts for any up to date information or amendments.



- 7.1.25 - Start of term @ 8.40am
- 10.1.25 - Y1 & Y2 Forest School sessions
- 13.1.25 - Y3 & Y4 Help Your Child Thrive Programme - session 1
- 17.1.25 - Y5 & Y6 Forest School sessions
- 20.1.25 - SEND Coffee Morning @ 9am
- 20.1.25 - Y3 & Y4 Help Your Child Thrive Programme - session 2
- 24.1.25 - Y3 & Y4 Forest School sessions
- 24.1.25 - Y4 Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 27.1.25 - Y3 & Y4 Help Your Child Thrive Programme - session 3
- 30.1.25 - Wellbeing Coffee Morning @ 9am
- 31.1.25 - Y1 & Y2 Forest School sessions
- 31.1.25 - Y5 Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 3.2.25 - Children's Mental Health Week
- 3.2.25 - Y3 & Y4 Help Your Child Thrive Programme - session 4
- 7.2.25 - NSPCC Number Day
- 7.2.25 - Y3 & Y4 Forest School sessions
- 7.2.25 - Y6 Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 10.2.25 - Junior Duke Meeting #3 - all children to bring their journals with them
- 11.2.25 - Safer Internet Day
- 13.2.25 - Valentines Discos (EY 2-3pm, KS1 3-4pm, KS2 4.15-5.15pm)
- 14.2.25 - Y5 & Y6 Forest School sessions
- 14.2.25 - Y3 Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 14.2.25 - End of Term @ 3pm



SPRING TERM 2 DATES

Dates are subject to change. Please keep an eye on Class Charts for any up to date information or amendments.

- 24.2.25 - Start of term @ 8.40am
- 24.2.25 - Fairtrade Fortnight
- 24.2.25 - Scholastic Book Fair - books on sale after school until 28.2.25
- 24.2.25 - Y1/2 Historic Workshop: Kings & Queens
- 24.2.25 - Young Voices Concert
- 28.2.25 - Our World, Our Future West End Workshop Y1-Y6
- 28.2.25 - YN & YR Forest School sessions
- 28.2.25 - Y2 Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 3.3.25 - Waste Week
- 3.3.25 - World Wildlife Day
- 5.3.25 - Spring Progress Meetings @ 3.15 - 7.30pm
- 6.3.25 - World Book Day
- 6.3.25 - Spring Progress Meetings @ 3.15 - 7.30pm
- 7.3.25 - Day of Unplugging
- 7.3.25 - International Women's Day
- 7.3.25 - Y1 & Y2 Forest School sessions
- 7.3.25 - Y1 Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 10.3.25 - British Science Week
- 12.3.25 - Y1-Y6 @ Catalyst Museum Workshops
- 13.3.25 - SEND Coffee Morning @ 9am
- 14.3.25 - Y3 & Y4 Forest School sessions
- 14.3.25 - YR Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 21.3.25 - Comic Relief
- 21.3.25 - Y5 & Y6 Forest School sessions
- 27.3.25 - Wellbeing Coffee Morning @ 9am
- 28.3.25 - Mothers' Day Celebration Assemblies
- 31.3.25 - Growing Up Week
- 31.3.25 - Y3-Y6 Tax Reduction Programme
- 31.3.25 - Y1-6 Chester Zoo Conservation Workshop #1
- 1.4.25 - Y1-6 Chester Zoo Conservation Workshop #2
- 2.4.25 - Y1-6 Chester Zoo Conservation Workshop #
- 3.4.25 - Easter Egg Hunt
- 3.4.25 - Easter Discos (EY 2-3pm, KS1 3-4pm, KS2 4.15-5.15pm)
- 4.4.25 - Whole school trip to Chester Zoo
- 4.4.25 - End of term @ 3pm