

ROBY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

AUTUMN PROGRESS MEETINGS

Just a gentle reminder that if you have not yet booked your Autumn Progress Meeting with your child's class teacher, now is the time to do so.

These meetings are a valuable opportunity to have a face-to-face conversation with your child's teacher, to hear how your child is thriving here at Roby Park and to discuss how we can work together to ensure every child continues to flourish.

Appointments can be booked via Arbor under the Activities → Clubs/Meetings section.

We look forward to welcoming you and working in partnership to support your child's success.

CHRISTMAS FAMILY DINING



We are thrilled to invite families to our Christmas Family Dining event, taking place in two weeks time. Bookings are now full, and we can't wait to welcome all attendees for this special festive occasion.

If you need to bring a baby in a pram, please let the office know so we can ensure you are seated at the end of a table with space for your pram. Thank you.

Y2 PGL MEETING - THIS TUESDAY

On Tuesday at 5.00pm, we are inviting parents and carers of our current Year 2 class to join us for an information session ahead of the Y3 PGL Trip taking place in November 2026.

During the session, we will:

- Share details about the trip
- Provide costings and payment information
- Talk through experiences from previous visits
- Answer any questions you may have



We look forward to welcoming you and helping you prepare for this exciting opportunity for our children.



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FIND OUT WHAT OUR CHILDREN
SAY THEY WOULD BE SAD TO
HAVE MISSED OUT ON IF THEY
WERE ABSENT THIS WEEK...

Seth Y2 said he thoroughly enjoyed our OPAL family afternoon play session to mark Outdoor Classroom Day.

Tobias Y1 is really enjoying his Maths learning and shared that he would have been disheartened to miss out.

Amelie Y4 is loving her gymnastics lessons in PE and said she would feel sad if she missed them.

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When children are absent, they miss out on valuable learning and enrichment opportunities. Regular attendance is encouraged so every child can enjoy, achieve and thrive.

OPAL FAMILY PLAY AFTERNOON

A huge thank you to all the families who joined us on Thursday for our OPAL family play afternoon as part of Outdoor Classroom Day. It was fantastic to see parents and carers enjoying play alongside their children and making the most of our exciting play offer. We hope you had as much fun as the children did!

If you have any ideas for what we could add or include to further enhance our play offer, we'd love to hear from you. Your suggestions help us continue to make playtimes engaging, inclusive, and enriching for every child



FACE SESSIONS

Please check your emails for information about our upcoming parent sessions, which all families can access free of charge.

Timetables for the remainder of November and December have been shared, along with full details on how to book your place.

We look forward to seeing many of you take advantage of these valuable opportunities to support learning and wellbeing at home and school.

 <div>Merry Christmas! December Timetable <small>All sessions delivered live online via zoom, 30 minutes long</small> £24 each or FREE with School Membership <small>Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk Recordings available for 48 hours (excluding Free Talk)</small></div> 	
Decreasing Depression	1 DEC 10am
Raising Self Esteem	1 DEC 7pm
Understanding the Teenage Brain	2 DEC 10am
Supporting Healthy Sleep	2 DEC 7pm
Autism - Improving Communication	8 DEC 10am
Improving Family Communication	8 DEC 7pm
Supporting A Child with ADHD	9 DEC 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	9 DEC 7pm
Anxiety Based School Avoidance	15 DEC 10am
Understanding Anger	15 DEC 7pm
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	16 DEC 10am
Facing Defiance	16 DEC 7pm

RECEPTION 2026 APPLICATIONS

Parents of children born between 1st September 2021 and 31st August 2022 are eligible to apply for a Reception place for September 2026.

Applications must be made online via the Knowsley Council website starting from 12th September 2025.

The national closing date for applications is 15th January 2026. Offer Day will be on 16th April 2026.

Please note: If your child is currently in our Nursery, this does not automatically give them a Reception place.

Y3 PGL TRIP

We are delighted to share with our school community just how incredible our Y3 children were on their recent PGL residential.

They showed themselves to be resilient, courageous, independent and well-mannered, impressing both staff and PGL leaders throughout the trip. Their positive attitude and behaviour received praise not only from us but also from the PGL team.

We are so proud of them all for representing Roby Park so brilliantly and for embracing every challenge with enthusiasm.



STARS OF THE WEEK

Use your camera to scan the QR code to see who our wonderful stars of the week are. We are proud of our children demonstrating our values of: collaboration, creativity, resilience, reflectiveness, being inquisitive and motivated.



ATTENDANCE RECOGNITION WINNERS



YN, Y1 & Y6 were our attendance recognition winners this week and were selected by Jaxon Y6, Cece Y5 & Smithika Y2. The 3 classes then got the chance to move their class on our Classopoly board.

Miss Waters said, “Well done for returning to school motivated for our Autumn 2 term! You have remembered all of our class rules and routines. Keep it up!”

Miss Clarkson said, “Well done for showing resilience and determination - you have been super stars during your first two weeks without continuous provision!”

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Miss Beggs said, “Well done to Nieve for coming to school every day with a smile on her face and a positive attitude to learning across the curriculum.”

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 be selected as our remarkable reader winner by engaging in reading at home and in school. Who will win next week? **PAGE 4**

