



Respect – Responsibility - Resilience – Kindness – Teamwork

Mrs Thirkill's Blog 26.09.25

Good afternoon,

Please can I begin by asking that children are not playing on bikes, scooters or equipment, either at the beginning or end of the school day. Our equipment must be supervised and can only be used under the guidance of our staff.

We are excited to let you know about our upcoming open days for Nursey and Reception. We have places available in nursery now and we are looking forward to showing perspective parents our school for reception places in September 2026. Please share our information about open day.

Hoyle Court Primary School
Nursery and Reception
OPEN DAY!

- ✓ We take children from 2 years old
- ✓ Teacher-led provision
- ✓ Excellent academic outcomes
- ✓ Wrap round care
- ✓ Hot lunches made on site

Saturday 8th November
10.00am - 12.30pm

Tuesday 11th November
9.30am - 10.30am
1.30pm - 2.30pm
5.00pm - 6.00pm

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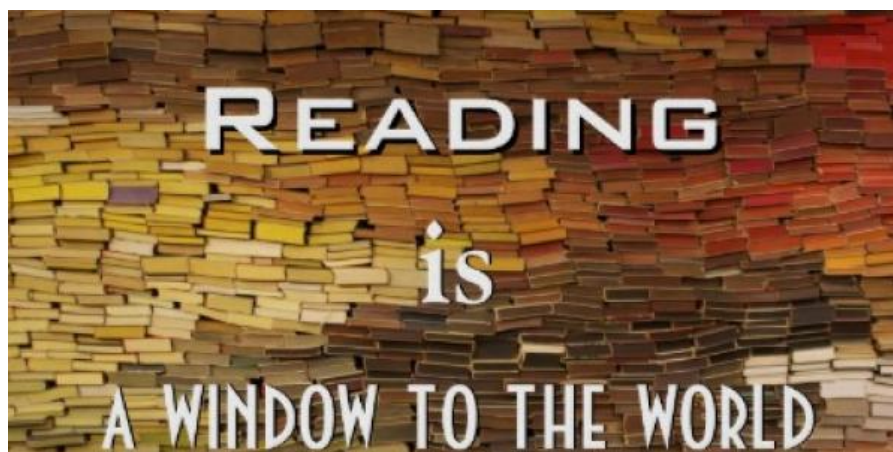
Come meet our amazing teachers, explore our classrooms & Forest School area and experience the joy of learning at our school! Our open day includes face painting, pony rides and a bouncy castle!

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We are delighted that lots of families were as excited as we were about the introduction of the Year 4 residential. Thank you to all the families who have already paid their deposits. We know the children will love it.

We are also currently making enquiries about our Christmas trip and look forward to sharing details of this soon.

Please keep reading with your children at home. Reading is one of our greatest priorities and only by practicing and developing fluency, can we ensure the children reach their full potential.



We are encouraging all families to consider applying for Free School Meals. Not only will this ensure a free school meal for your child throughout their time in primary school, but it will also ensure that you can get support with uniform and school trips too. Please speak to Miss Mellor if you need any help in checking if you may be entitled. If you receive a letter from Bradford Council about it, you still need to apply.

<https://www.bradford.gov.uk/benefits/applying-for-benefits/free-school-meals/>

Attendance

There seems to have been a few bugs around this week and that has impacted on attendance. Please try to get your child to school every day, if they are well enough.

Target 96%	Owls	Beech	Aspen	Sycamore	Ash	Hazel	Birch	Willow	Rowan	Oak	Maple
School average 94.3	96.7	94.8	93.9	90.8	98.2	94.8	94.8	88.0	96.7	92.7	94.8

We have had lots of road works in the surrounding area this week, which has had an impact on lateness. Unfortunately lateness this week is 9.2 hours.

Word of the week - Fun

Have a fabulous weekend.

Mrs Thirkill