



NEWSLETTER

Autumn Term 1
2025/2026



Dear Parents and Carers,



Mrs Curry

It's been another busy and exciting week here at Windy Arbor!

We held a successful Open Morning and Evening, thank you to all our staff and families who joined us for these. It was wonderful to see so many smiling faces and enthusiastic visitors exploring our classrooms and school community.

Our children had a fantastic time planting trees outside the school, helping to green our space and contribute to a more sustainable environment - the children chosen were winners from their designs for the mural that can be found outside of school!

I am sure you will all have noticed the area near the hut has been transformed! Our Community space is nearly complete, creating a safer and more welcoming space for everyone!

Our youngest learners enjoyed a special reading workshop this week, encouraging a love of books and storytelling from the very start of their school journey - thank you to all the families who attended, our home-school partnership is integral.

Looking Ahead to Next Week:

We're excited to celebrate the season with our annual Harvest Assembly. Don't forget to wear yellow for Mental Health Day as we come together to mark this festive occasion and if you can give to Helping hands we will be most grateful!

Flourishing Futures: Kicking off on Friday, this initiative promises exciting opportunities for our students to explore, learn, and grow. Please ask your children all about this when they come home on Friday.

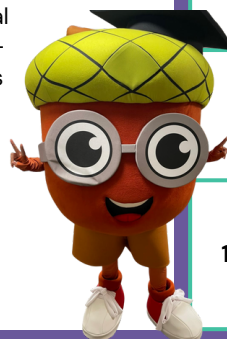
Letterbox Project: We will be holding our first reading session next week, keep an eye out for updates on our ongoing letterbox project, where children and their families can share messages the love of reading!

Thank you for being part of another wonderful week at Windy!

Flourishing Futures

Last week we launched **Flourishing Futures** to all pupils in Years 3–6 with a special visit from Oakley, our programme mascot. Oakley joined assemblies to help explain the programme and celebrate the start of this exciting new chapter. Flourishing Futures is our Prosper Together Trust's wider personal development programme, giving children the chance to take part in after-school clubs, trips, community activities and career-themed programmes linked to the 7 Skills for Life: **Oracy, Problem Solving, Innovation, Leadership, Staying Positive, Teamwork and Aiming High.**

Each activity counts as points towards graduation milestones, from Quartz through to Diamond, which are celebrated at an annual graduation event. Over the next few weeks the programme will also be introduced to our Reception to Year 2 pupils.



Calendar Dates

6th October	Whole School Flu vaccine
9th October	Letterbox 1 – Invite Only
10th October	Hello Yellow Day and bring in harvest donation
10th October	Year 5 Harvest Assembly – 9:30am
15th & 16th October	Parents' Evening

SMART Award Winners

- Nursery - Brogan
- Reception - Haroon and Axyl
- Year 1 - Myla-Rae and Tommy
- Year 2 - Summer and Nathan
- Year 3 - Harley and Brody
- Year 4 - Martina and Addison
- Year 5 - Shavon and Louie
- Year 6 - Grace and Billy
- ARC - Jayda and Belle

PE Star of the Week

- Year 1 - Kyan and Ivy-Lillie
- Year 2 - Brooklyn and Joss
- Year 3 - Taylor and Summer
- Year 4 - Kacie and Seeley
- Year 5 - Indu and Belle
- Year 6 - Tafadzwa and Mia



Stay connected and discover all the amazing things happening in your child's class by following their Class Story!

Attendance

96% School target

Blue Caterpillars	93%	ARC	92%
Purple Butterflies	97%	Yellow Butterflies	99%
Bluebells	94%	Daffodils	96%
Snowdrops	93%	Foxgloves	97%
Beech	90%	Ash	93%
Hawthorn	96%	Ivy	90%
Maple	92%	Oak	88%
Willow	90%	Sycamore	92%

Golden Ticket Award Winners

Book vending machine, this week's winners...

Billie W, Talia H & Poppy-Jo M

100% Attendance

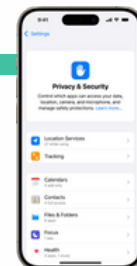


Zones of Regulation:

For pupils in KS2 we use a programme called Zones of Regulation to help teach children about recognizing their feelings and learning to manage their emotions. Zones of Regulation have 4 colours: Green is for calm and happy – this is the zone you want to be in so that you are able to focus on learning and playing with your friends. Blue is for sad or feeling under par. If you are in this zone you might be unwell, tired or just lacking energy. You need to learn how to give yourself a boost to get back to green. The yellow zone represents being a little heightened, maybe a bit excited, maybe a bit worried or maybe a little cross.



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