

September Newsletter

Dates for you Diary

- Wednesday 5th October - Mayor visiting for assembly
 - Friday 14th October - Great News Assembly (9am)
 - Wednesday 19th October - Harvest Assembly
 - Wednesday 19th October - Wellbeing Wednesday
 - Friday 21st October - School closes for Half Term
 - Monday 31st October - INSET Day (school closed to pupils)
 - Tuesday 1st November - School reopens
 - Tuesday 1st November - Nasal Flu Vaccinations (Reception, Year1 and Year 2)
 - Friday 4th November - Great News Assembly (9am)
 - Friday 4th November - FOSS After school family activities with a 'Firework' theme
 - Wednesday 9th November - Individual Photos
 - Friday 18th November - Great News Assembly (9am)
 - Monday 14th November - Antbullying Week begins
 - Friday 18th November - Children in Need
 - Wednesday 30th November - Wellbeing Wednesday
 - Saturday 3rd December - Federation Christmas Event
- Further information about Christmas Events nearer the time.**
- Friday 16th December - School closes for Christmas
 - Wednesday 4th January - School reopens

What a great start to the year!

What a busy few weeks we've had – and it's not even October yet!

The children have settled in brilliantly and have done a great job of making friends, getting into new routines, having fun and learning lots!

As you will know over the Summer lots of work has been completed on our wonderful building – including preparing the new, relocated Oaks classroom! Have you seen it? It's a lovely place to learn!

It has been wonderful to welcome parents and carers into our Special Mentions assemblies on alternate Fridays – more exciting than the Oscars! Over the coming weeks and months we will be combining these with family events – watch this space.

We are really pleased as well that attendance has been so good since we came back to school – we are aiming to keep this up over the year. Well done everyone!

This is another opportunity to say thank you to all our parents / families for their support of our brilliant school – during our recent inspection 100% of parents/carers who responded to ParentView said that they would recommend Stubblings – when prospective families come for a look around, they usually tell us that a friend has recommended us...thank you – keep spreading the word!

Ms Caswell

Can you help?

We are looking for a new Clerk to our Governors; you may have seen the adverts around school. If you or anyone you know are interested in this position please ask for more information at the school office.



We showed our support for Jeans for Genes by raising £47.70 .

Thank you for your kindness.



St.
Augustine's
Centre

St Augustine's Centre welcomes all, regardless of faith, ethnicity or background. It is Calderdale's specialist

charity working with people seeking asylum and refugees as well as local people. They are appealing for donations of good quality new or second hand children's clothing (age 3-15), they need vests, knickers, socks, winter coats, winter clothes and shoes. If you have any donations please send them into school.

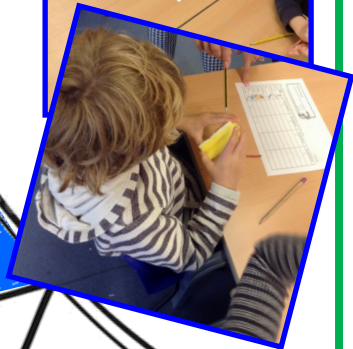
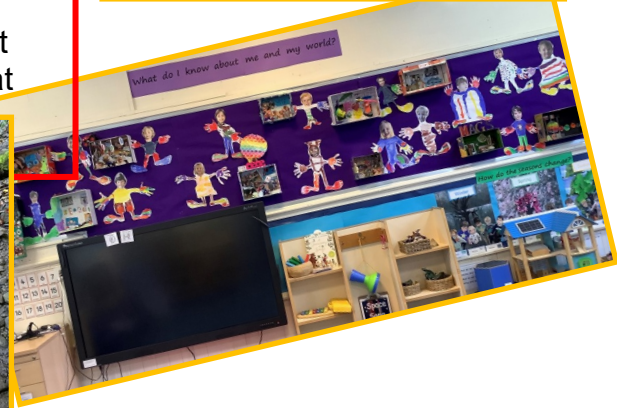
Acorns

It has a been busy and wonderful start to the year in Acorns. We have been getting to know each other, learning how to work together so that we can all feel safe, happy and able to learn.

Thank you for helping your child make their All About Me box, they have loved sharing their interests and family photos with their friends.

We have enjoyed learning about our universe and reflecting on our place within that.

We have been out to the park and to the woods and enjoyed using all our senses to explore signs of autumn. We have searched for different shaped leaves and we discovered food that the squirrels, rabbits and birds are rather partial to. We made sure that when we left the woods it was as we found it and that we left the acorns and beech seeds there for the animals to eat and store away for their winter supplies.



The Oaks have had a busy start to the year. They are all really settling into our class and have been enjoying the topics we have been learning about. We have looked at Materials in Science and questioned the suitability of materials. Children have thought about why some objects are made from certain materials and have used this knowledge to design a house for one of the three little pigs. They worked with a partner to design their house, thinking about making it strong enough to withstand the 'huff and puff' of Mrs Main's hair dryer! Then we added the added challenge of making a roof that would keep our little pigs dry. Children became completely engrossed with this challenge and we had a blast testing our designs to see which materials did the best job! Well done everyone! I think there are some budding engineers in our midst!



Oaks