



Blewbury Endowed C of E Primary School

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*Nurture Grow Flourish*



10<sup>th</sup> October 2025

Dear parents and carers,

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who joined us for our Harvest Festival and for your generous donations of food for the local foodbank — your kindness will make a real difference to those in need. We would also like to give special thanks to Mr. Coleman for playing the piano so beautifully, and to Mrs. Jacob and Picasso Class for baking our wonderful Harvest Loaf. It was a lovely celebration of community and generosity — thank you for helping make it so special!



Here is a message from Didcot Foodbank:

*Please thank the children, parents and teachers for the very generous donation of all the tins, packets and jars of food that formed your harvest festival food collection this year. It is much appreciated at this time, as we look to meet the ongoing need for food assistance in Didcot and the villages. So far this year we have issued food for just over 5000 adults and children (including repeat visits), and you are helping to continue this work in the coming weeks. Of course, the families can't tell you this directly themselves, but they would want to thank you so much for helping them when they needed it.*

Have a look at what each class has been learning this week:

[O'Keeffe](#)

[Goldsworthy](#)

[Picasso](#)

[Banksy](#)

## Photos

The photographer from Colour Box Photography is coming in on **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October** and will take portraits of all pupils together with any siblings in school.

*Nurture, Grow, Flourish*



## Clubs

Thank you to all those who responded to our survey regarding clubs. The most popular response was for football, so next term Mr Sadler will continue to run football club on a Wednesday. This club is currently undersubscribed with only 5 pupils; it would be great to have more.

Below are the clubs for next half term. We are working on extending our club offer for the rest of the academic year.

- Wednesdays – 3.15-4.15pm – Football led by Mr Sadler, £5.50 per session.
- Thursdays – 12.30-1pm - Choir – led by Miss Reeder – Free. (We will be performing at the village carol service at the end of term).

Our clubs can be booked on MCAS.

We are also very excited to be launching a new lunch time club – French Beanies. Please contact Sarah directly to book.



## Open Morning

A reminder that our open morning is tomorrow, **Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October**, 10am – 12 noon. You can find the advertisement for it on our Facebook page: **Blewbury CofE Primary School** Please do share it, if you can.

## Celebrations

Congratulations to the following children who received a Star of the Week certificate in our celebration assembly:

Albie for being enthusiastic and keen to share his ideas.

Remy for great effort in reading

Ada for working really hard in her maths.

Harlow for working hard this week

Eliza for being a conscientious team player who always tries her best.

Lucas for brilliant writing this week.

Lily for showing gratitude and kindness.

Malika for her wonderful presentation.

## House points:

Attenborough	Curie	Hawking	Anning
587	506	533	575

Yours sincerely,

Miss Reeder  
Headteacher

Value of the term: **Generosity**

<b>Important Dates</b>	
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Bike ability for Year 6
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm	PTA AGM
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Picasso sharing event: football tournament
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> and Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Parents' Evenings
27 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> October	Half Term break
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	<b>InSET Day – School Closed to pupils</b>
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November 10.45am	Remembrance service in church
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December 2.30pm	Banksy Sharing Event
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole School to Panto at Oxford Playhouse
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> and Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2.30pm	O'Keeffe and Goldsworthy class Nativity
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day, Christmas lunch day AND school carol concert in church at 2pm
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Term finishes at 1.30pm
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January	Christmas Holidays
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	<b>InSET Day – School Closed to pupils</b>

[2025/2026 Term Dates](#)

PLEASE JOIN US FOR BLEWBURY SCHOOL'S



**PTA AGM** 

**& 1ST MEETING**

*of the 2025-2026 school year!*

**THURSDAY 16TH OCTOBER**  
**7.30 PM IN THE SCHOOL HALL**

 **EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**   
**REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED!**

Come and learn about the Blewbury PTA, opportunities to get involved, and the positive change you can make in the lives of our school and pupils!

**TEACHERS, STAFF, PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS,  
STUDENTS, AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS CAN JOIN THE PTA!**

PLEASE CONTACT [PTA@blewbury.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:PTA@blewbury.oxon.sch.uk) WITH ANY QUESTIONS

*We hope to see you there!*

**Celebrating  
kinship families,  
love and community**



# **Kinship Care Week**



6-12 October 2025




For family or friends who  
step up to raise a child.

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Find each of Santa's lost reindeer, culminating in a visit to Santa's workshop to meet Santa.

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# HALLOWEEN Workshop

DANCE AND SING  
ALONG TO ALL  
YOUR FAVOURITE K  
POP DEMON  
HUNTER SONGS

FLEET MEADOW HALL  
DIDCOT  
OX11 8TP

Thursday 30th

OCTOBER  
10-3PM

TO BOOK PLEASE CALL  
JENNIE 07920 875926



KPOP  
DEMON HUNTERS

EMAIL: ANGELSSTAGESCHOOL@YAHOO.CO.UK

## ELITE CAMPS DIDCOT

HALF-TERM ACTIVITIES OCT 25

OVER 8'S

UNDER 8'S

ARTS & CRAFTS

MON 27	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">BUBBLE FOOTBALL</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Danish Longball, Football, Kwik Cricket, Handball, Gymnastics</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">PAPER SPOOKY CHARACTERS</p>
TUE 28	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">CRAZY GOLF</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Hockey, Dodgeball, Yoga, Basketball, Volleyball</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">WITCH HANDPRINT</p>
WED 29	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">NERF WARS</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Handball, Tag Rugby, Netball, Dance, Hockey</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">3D SCENE CRAFT</p>
THUR 30	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">SOFT ARCHERY</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dodgeball, Football, Basketball, Kwik Cricket, Dance</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">HALLOWEEN HAND PUPPETS</p>
FRI 31	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">FANCY DRESS HALLOWEEN SPECIAL</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Halloween Festivities &amp; Fancy Dress</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">PUMPKIN TRICK OR TREAT BAG</p>

BOOK NOW

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