

Cherry Trees School News



Diary Dates

**Friday 5th
December:
Christmas Fair**

**Tuesday 9th
December:
Nativity (Blue,
Red & Orange
Class)**

**Friday 12th
December:
Panto**

**Tuesday 16th
December:
Nativity (Green,
Purple & Yellow
Class)**

**Wednesday
17th
December:
Santa's Grotto**

**Friday 19th
December:
Last Day of
Term**

Friday 28th November: Issue 3

Headteacher's message: Alison Garrett



What an incredible month it has been at Cherry Trees. Our pupils have truly thrown themselves into a whirlwind of exciting experiences and learning opportunities. From stepping back in time to build WW2 Anderson shelters to celebrating the rich diversity of global cultures, they have had so much fun.

One of the standout moments for me was our Language Day adventure, where the children 'boarded a plane' (role play of course!) and journeyed to India. They immersed themselves in vibrant activities, sampled delicious traditional foods, and explored the beauty of Indian culture. It was a joy to see their faces light up as they learned through such a hands on experience.

And now, as the festive season approaches, I can hardly contain my excitement! Christmas is always the most magical time of year at Cherry Trees, and preparations are already in full swing. Our school is already buzzing with anticipation for the whole school pantomime trip, the enchanting grotto will be back and of course we must not forget to mention our nativity performances. These events truly bring our community together, and I cannot wait to share these special moments with you all.

Thank you for your continued support in making Cherry Trees such a vibrant and joyful place to be. I look forward to seeing you at our many festive celebrations!

Warm regards,

Alison Garrett, Headteacher

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Blue Class News

November has been another very busy month in Blue Class!

We began our topic 'Celebrate Good Times' with the story 'Meg and Mog'. We engaged in some lovely creative activities themed around Bonfire Night. We made collage pumpkin pictures and sorted pumpkins for big, small and from biggest to smallest in Maths. We learnt about Remembrance Day and everyone enjoyed making a printed poppy picture.

Our next topic story has been the traditional tale of 'Hansel and Gretel' where our activities have been themed around sweets, gingerbread houses and gingerbread men. The children have particularly enjoyed decorating biscuits with icing sugar and sweets. Also, our songs and rhymes about gingerbread houses and gingerbread men and all our related activities.

We have also had our Anti-Bullying Week where everyone enjoyed our activities to explore this theme. Last week children explored lots of lovely activities around our India Day theme.

We have now begun our story 'Mog's Christmas' which is the beginning of all our exciting Christmas activities. Everyone has enjoyed this story and we have made some beautiful collage Christmas tree pictures.

Well done as always to all our children for their hard work and achievements again this month. We are really looking forward to all the exciting things we have planned for the children over the coming weeks leading to Christmas!



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Red Class News

The children have been continuing to work extremely hard this half-term. We have been exploring a wide array of learning through our lessons. We have been continuing with our Phonics learning and our English skills.

We have been looking at patterns, measurement (length), doubling and halving in our Maths sessions.

During afternoons, we have explored electricity, the art work of Georgia O'Keeffe, using ICT to create multimedia work and different places of worship. We even took a trip to India to explore their food, customs and some very exciting activities.

Well done Red Class! Keep up the wonderful work.



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Orange Class News

Orange class continue to amaze us everyday!

Our topic this half term is 'Trains, planes and automobiles'. The children are loving exploring different vehicles, driving cars on our car mat, and exploring different animals from our story. We are particularly excited for our first class trip next week. We are going on our minibus to see lots of different vehicles on the road. We are going to use core boards to communicate what we can see.

In maths, we are focusing on our number recognition, 2D shapes and using our problem solving skills to fill and empty small and large containers. Orange class have been working very hard to focus on new and trickier tasks, and we can see a big difference in all of their work.

We are excited to move into the festive season, and we have so many amazing activities to look forward to. Well done Orange class, we are very proud!



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Green Class News

Happy end of November!

This half term has been filled with team work, fun and laughter. We have had our focused week on Anti-bullying, starting with odd socks, using bubbles to say kind things, completing different activities. We have continued to work hard with getting along, playing games together, reading together and sharing.

We also flew to India. The class dressed up in traditional clothes and all looked amazing!

Our art work has been coming along nicely. We have been focusing on LS Lowry. We have created a background scene, and painted using only the colours he did: black, white, red, blue and yellow.

The children, not so much staff, are on the countdown to Christmas and Santa. It won't be long until he visits!



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Yellow Class News

What a busy month we have had in Yellow Class. In Phonics the children have been listening and exploring many instruments as well as looking at rhythm. Our Topic this term is Winter Festivals of light and this has allowed us to explore many exciting and interesting festivals. The children have had the opportunity to paint firework pictures for Bonfire Night and make Divas for Diwali. Lots of beautiful artwork has been produced. The children have also been looking at Winter in Geography and we have explored what Winter means to us and animals. Some lovely hedgehog pictures were made using leaves.

This month we also had Anti-Bullying week. We looked at what makes us good friends in Yellow Class and produced a kindness tree. The children also planted a kind plant. We took part in many activities including Odd Sock day where we looked at how we were all different but also the same.

We have continued to read our class story 'Ella's Night Lights' and have looked at the characters and sequenced the story. We have also had India Day which was a wonderful celebration of all things associated with India. The children had the opportunity to try Indian foods, play cricket, make a Rangoli pattern and explore clothing from India. Well done everyone.

Next month Yellow Class will be even busier as we prepare for our Nativity and our Christmas Fayre.

Yellow Class Team.

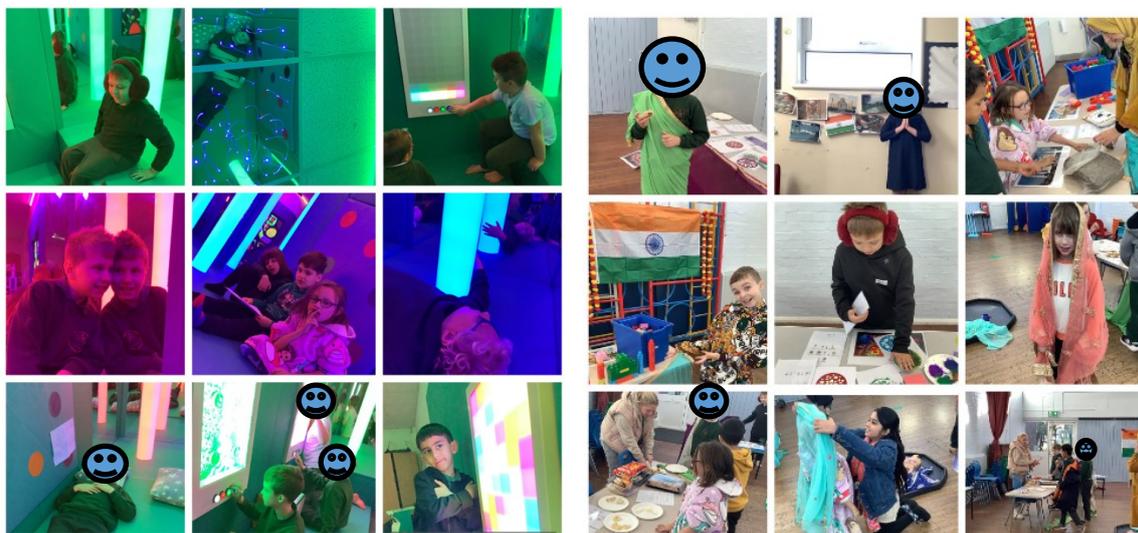


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Purple Class News

What a busy month we have had in Purple Class! We have been learning lots of facts about World War II as well as designing and building our Anderson shelters. We have also been learning about people who made a difference in RE, and focussing on Mother Teresa. In maths, we have been recognising money, adding and comparing amounts. We are loving our text this half term, 'The Hodgehog' and have been creating some super sentences as well as writing some instructions for how to cross the road safely.



Cherry Trees Communicating



Children in Need

On Friday 14th November, we had lots of fun in school supporting Children in Need.

We raised total of £33.50! Thank you all so much for your donations!



India Day

On 21st November, the children boarded the Cherry Trees plane and set off on an exciting adventure to India, where they explored Indian art, tasted new foods, enjoyed vibrant music, and tried traditional sports.



Remembrance day



Remembrance Day All classes have taken part in Remembrance Day activities and poppies have been sold to support the Royal British Legion. Two of our pupils went to lay a wreath at the local war memorial in Wombourne Village and made us all so proud.

Cherry Trees Sharing



Sign of the Month



Gloves

Motion as if smoothing a glove over fingers.
Repeat both sides for plural.

To watch a tutorial of this, please click [here](#).

Whole Class Monthly Attendance

Group	% Attend
Blue Class	84.3%
Red Class	90.0%
Orange Class	94.7%
Green Class	88.2%
Yellow Class	94.1%
Purple Class	90.2%



Congratulations to:

Orange

You have the best
Attendance for the Month
Well done to all of you.



Cherry Trees Safeguarding



From Monday 10th to Friday 14th November 2025 our whole school came together to celebrate Anti-Bullying Week with this year's theme "Power for Good." The message behind this theme is that every child has the power within them to make a positive difference.

We kicked off the week with Odd Socks Day and it was wonderful to see everyone, children and staff alike proudly wearing their mismatched socks! It was such a fun way to remind ourselves that being unique is something to celebrate.

Throughout the week the children took part in lots of lovely activities all about kindness, friendship and celebrating differences. It's been heart-warming to see how thoughtfully and enthusiastically

