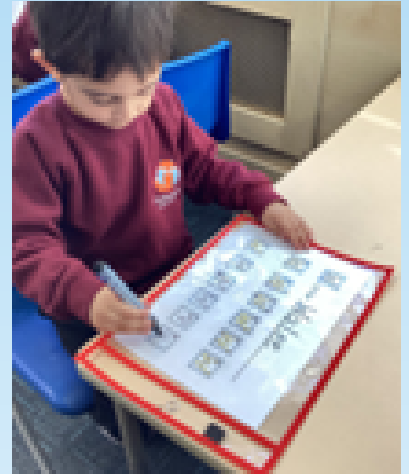
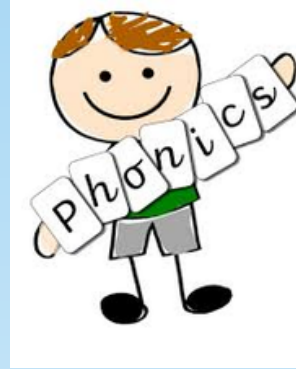




OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER



This past fortnight has been filled with wonderful activities across the school, beginning with the Year 2 class assembly on Friday 23rd January. The children performed brilliantly, sharing their learning with confidence, and we were delighted to see so many parents attending to support them.

This week, on Friday 30th January, our Stay and Read sessions offered another lovely opportunity for families to join us in school. Nursery welcomed parents in the morning, creating a warm and engaging reading environment, and later that afternoon children from Reception through to Year 6 enjoyed sharing books with their families. It was a pleasure to see our school community come together to celebrate a love of reading.



Looking ahead, we have several important dates for parents and carers to note. On Monday 2nd February and again on Monday 9th February, we will be hosting phonics workshops at 08:45 for parents of children in Reception and Year 1. These sessions are designed to help families better understand our phonics approach and to offer practical ideas for supporting reading at home. We encourage all eligible parents to attend. Our final day of Spring Term 1 will be Friday 13th February, with school finishing at the usual time of 15:30 before we break for the half-term holiday.

After the break, school will reopen on Tuesday 24th February at 08:30 for the first day of Spring Term 2. That same afternoon, at 15:30, our after-school clubs for the new term will begin. We look forward to welcoming everyone back and starting another busy and exciting half-term together.



Attendance



Class	Attendance W/C 19.01.2026	Attendance W/C 26.01.2026
Nursery	87.9%	87.4%
Reception	96.6%	92%
1 Hedgehog	96%	97.3%
2 Porcupine	96.2%	97.3%
3 Robin	96%	92.7%
4 Woodpecker	96.3%	93%
5 Kingfisher	93.8%	94.3%
6 Red Kite	96.2%	95.2%
Whole School	95.5%	94.2%



Reminder

Coming to school every day supports children to build friendships and help them feel part of the school community.

We expect attendance to be 96% or higher.



Attendance
W/C 19.01.2026

Attendance
W/C 26.01.2026



Dates for your diary



Monday 2nd February 2026

08:45 – Phonics Workshop
Parents of Reception and Year 1
Invited

Monday 9th February 2026

08:45 – Phonics Workshop
Parents of Reception and Year 1
Invited

Friday 13th February 2026

15:30 – Last Day of Spring Term 1

Tuesday 24th February 2026

08:30 – First Day of Spring Term 2

Monday 2nd March 2026

08:45 – Phonics Workshop
Parents of Reception and Year 1
Invited

Wednesday 4th March 2026

13:15 – School Closes for All Pupils Due
to Parent Consultations
13:30 – Parent Consultations Online

Thursday 5th March 2026

15:45 – Parent Consultations Online

Friday 13th March 2026

08:55 – Rocksteady Assembly
Parents by invite only
14:45 – Year 1 Class Assembly
Parents of Year 1 Pupils Invited



Foxborough News

Coffee Morning and Community Hub Update

Our next Coffee Morning and Community Hub update is on **TO BE ARRANGED** from 08:45am. Please try to come along and join us.



Attendance

If your child is unable to attend school for any reason, you must notify us by either of the following methods:

Phone 01753 546376
- Option 1

or

Email:
attendance@foxboroughprimary.co.uk



Holidays

Please can we just take this opportunity to remind all families If your child misses 5 days or more to go to go on holiday or has 10 unauthorised sessions off over a 10 week period during term time, you are likely to incur a fine from Slough Borough Council.

Medication

If your child requires prescribed medication and is well enough to attend school, please bring the medication to the school office where paperwork can be completed and the medicine can be administered during the day.

Vacancies

If you are interested in any vacancies that we have within the Trust please click on the following link:

[Join our Team](#)

Vacancy	School	Deadline for applications
Headteacher	Desborough College	Monday 2 nd February 2026
Pastoral Support Officer	Desborough College	Friday 6 th February 2026
Teacher of Design Technology	Desborough College	Monday 9 th February 2026
Teacher of Music	Desborough College	Monday 9 th February 2026
Classroom Teacher	Foxborough Primary School	Tuesday 24 th February 2026

Super Work

Nursery



Our topic in Nursery for this term is Journeys. We manage to travel on the boat in the bus and in the car.



We went on a bear hunt, on a trip with Mr Grumpy and we visited polar region.



We love drawing together and we are so good with following instructions.



Super Work

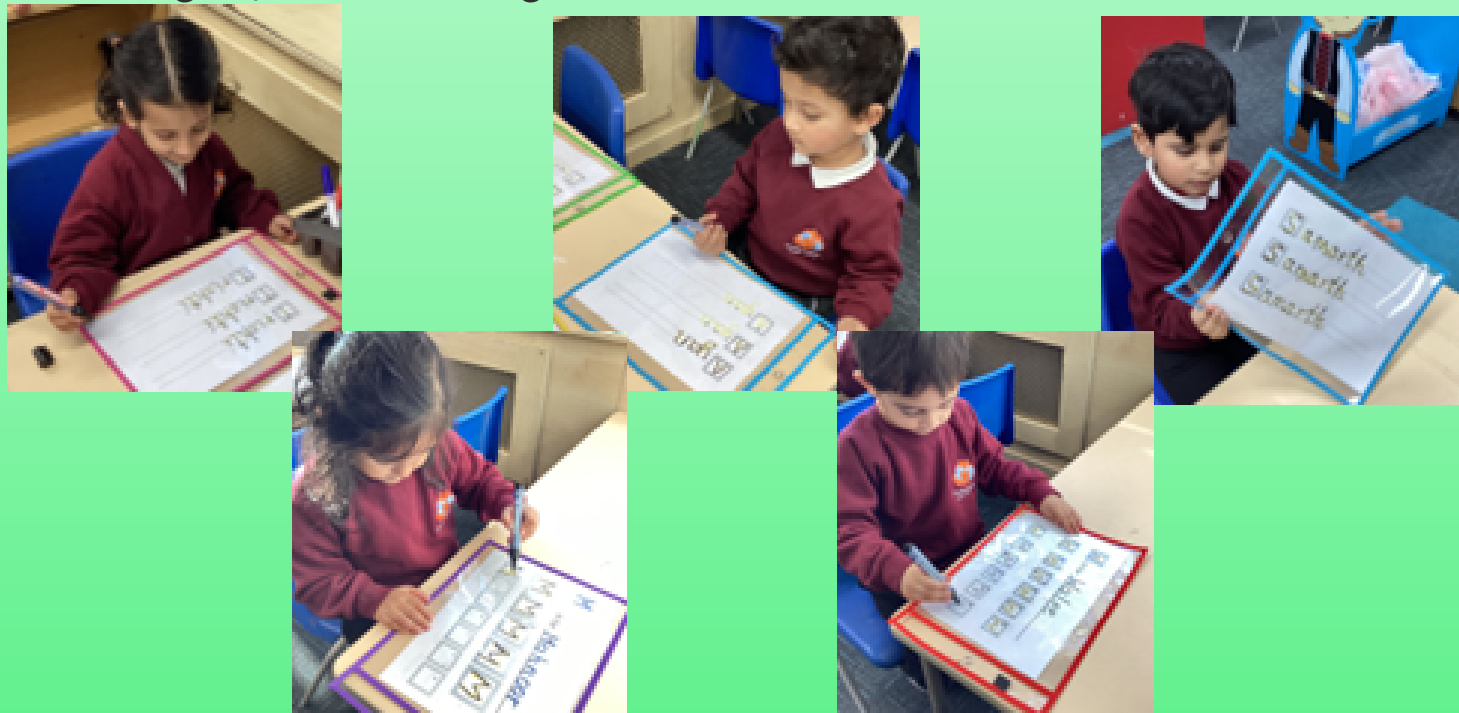
Nursery Continues



Our new children, Carteppillars are learning to hold pens and trace lines.



The older children are practicing the capital letters of their name or becoming experts in writing their names.



We know how to use measuring equipment and this week we started learning to subitise numbers to 5.



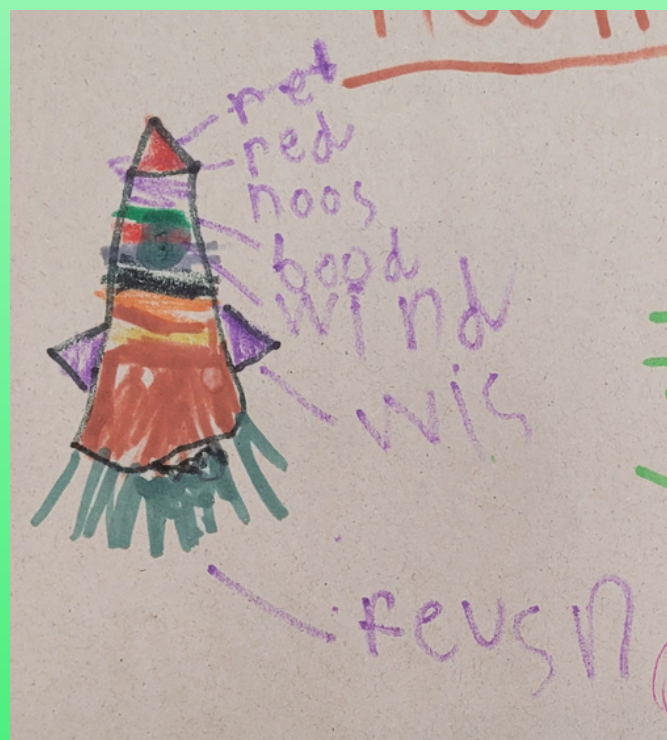
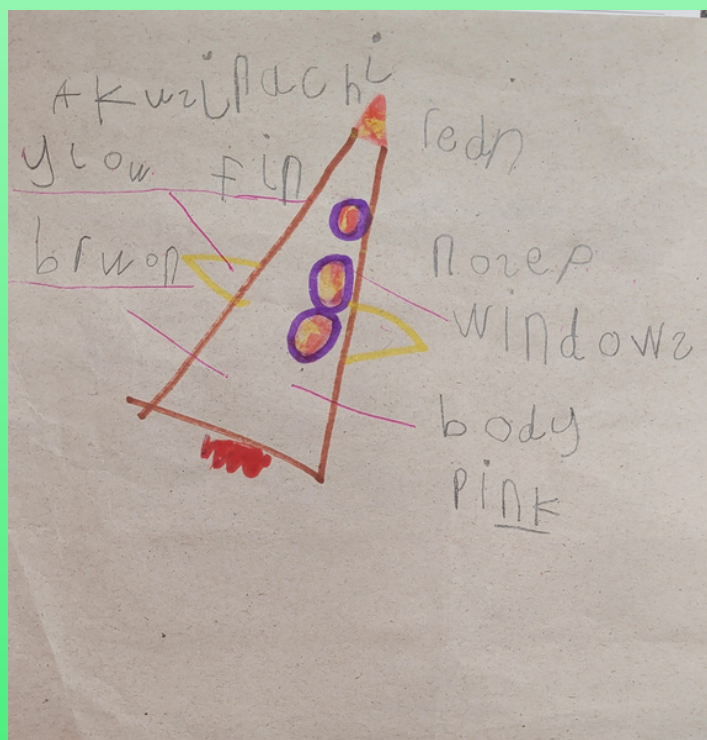
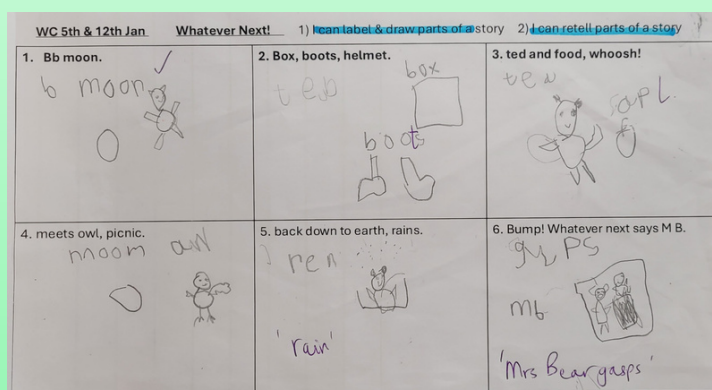
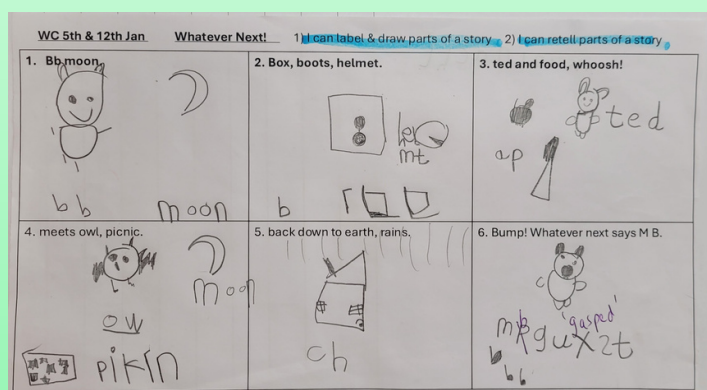
Super Work

Reception Badger



Reception are learning about Space. The children created a story map to retell 'Whatever Next!' By Jill Murphy and used their writing formation & phonics to help them.

Additionally, the children have been Rocket designers this week. They have labelled the parts and colours of their rockets and will use junk modelling, different materials & resources to make their rocket models.





Teachers Corner

This week's teacher's corner is by Mrs Uniyal

Sometimes our days can feel very busy, and our minds can feel full. It's important to remember that taking a small moment to breathe, relax, and look after ourselves helps us feel calm and ready to learn. This poem is a little reminder that everyone—children and adults—needs a quiet moment now and then. I hope it helps you pause, smile, and feel your best.

A Moment to Breathe

In the rush of every school day,
When the noise begins to rise,
Take a moment just to pause,
Close your thoughts and rest your eyes.
A breath can be a steady friend,
A stillness we can choose
A gentle way to gather strength
On days that challenge or confuse.
So let us give ourselves the space
To grow, to learn, to mend—
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But a journey we can tend.



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Michelle

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