

MOSSY LEA MESSENGER

Monday, 1st December 2025 I.XII. MMXXV

A Wonderful Week at Mighty Mossy! 🌿

Acorn Class have been super busy explorers this week!

🖥️ **Computing:** The children learned all about safe searching online and practised finding information. Each group researched a famous toy brand, discovering fun facts and watching videos to learn even more!

✎️ **English:** We began our new unit on persuasive writing. Acorns explored past and present tense, then looked at real persuasive posters to spot powerful language.

🏃 **Science:** Our young scientists investigated our bodies and exercise, comparing activities that get our hearts pumping with those that keep them calm.

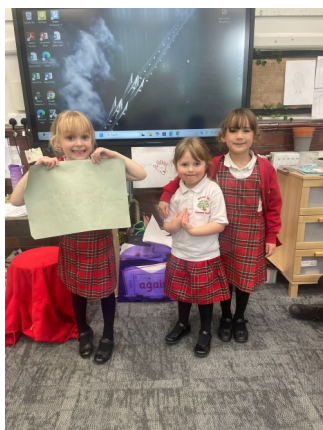
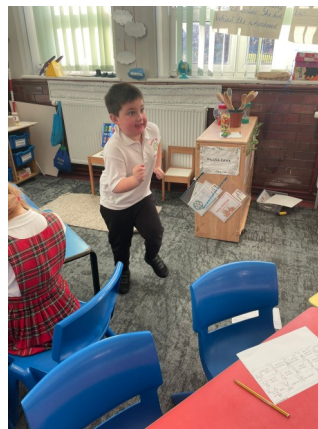
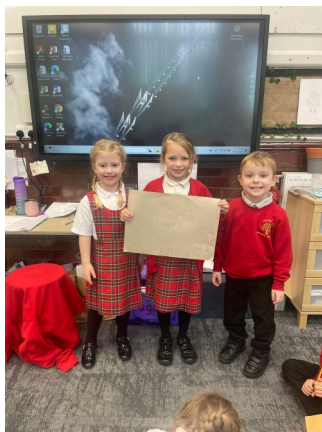
Oak Class have had an exciting and investigative week!

✎️ **English:** The children wrote their independent mystery ghost stories and even recorded themselves reading them aloud on Seesaw. Can you solve their spooky mysteries?

🔌 **Science:** Oaks explored insulators and conductors, testing different materials to see how they behaved in electrical circuits.

🗺️ **Geography:** The class cracked four- and six-figure grid references, using maps to put their new navigation skills into action.

🌳 **Forest Friday:** We rounded off the week outdoors, creating imaginative tree faces and enjoying our time in nature.



★ PTFA News ★

Our **Parent, Teacher and Friends Association (PTFA)** is always delighted to welcome new members! We meet once a term to share ideas and plan exciting fundraising events that support our school community.

Our **next PTFA event** will be the **Christmas Bingo**, and we'd love your help to make it a success! There are lots of ways to get involved — you could:

- 🎁 Reach out to local businesses for raffle prizes
- 🛠️ Help create hampers
- ✦ Lend a hand on the night



If you're able to help in any way, please send Antonella a message on Class Dojo. Every bit of support makes a big difference and is very much appreciated.

We will be having **2 more non-uniform Fridays** in the run up to the **Christmas Bingo on Thursday, 18th December 18:00-20:00.**

- 5th December for **bottles** (alcohol and/or toilettes),
- 12th December **clean/unused/new toys, games, or any prizes that can be used to make up a hamper.**

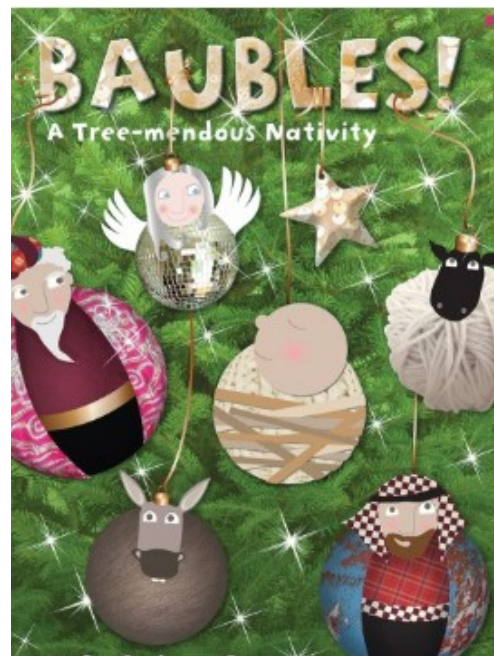
There is no charge for the non-uniform days; but we do ask that you send in a donation please for the Christmas Bingo, in exchange for your child coming to school in their own clothes.

Christmas Play

Rehearsals for this years Christmas play have begun!. The play will take place on **Thursday, 11th December at 15:45.**

Lines have been sent home, please, please support your child with learning these.

Costume requests have also been sent home. If you need any help with your child's costume, please speak to Emily



Christmas Party Day



On **Tuesday, 16th December**, the children will be enjoying a Christmas Party in the afternoon.

The children are change into their favourite party clothes in the afternoon.

Christmas Dinner

On **Wednesday, 17th December**, the school meal choice that day will be Christmas Dinner. We will have crackers and a Christmas party atmosphere... maybe even some sprouts!

If your child wouldn't normally have a school meal, we'd love them to join in the fun. Please pre book/pay on SCOPay.

Christmas Jumper Day

On the last day, **Friday, 19th December**, children are invited to wear a festive Christmas jumper, instead of their Mossy jumper or cardigan.



Christmas Carols in the school hall

On **Friday, 19th December at 15:00**, we are inviting yourselves into school, to join in with some Christmas carols and songs, to get us in the festive spirit. The children in Oak Class will also be performing a Christmas song on their

Christmas Sing-Along



Attendance Update

Your overall attendance
95.8%

You are in decile 5, the top
40-50% of schools

As the festive season begins to sparkle around us, the magic of Christmas has truly arrived at Mossy Lea.

We know the coming weeks will be wonderfully busy, with many events, activities, and celebrations planned. None of this would be possible without the continued support of our families and school community. Your involvement, enthusiasm, and generosity help make this season memorable for every child.

Thank you for being part of our school's Christmas magic. We look forward to sharing a joyful and festive few weeks together.



Star of the Week



	December
1st	Christmas Fair at St. Georges 18:00-20:00
5th	Non uniform—Bottles
11th	Christmas Play—15:45
12th	Non uniform— New and good quality used toys/games
16th	Christmas party day
17th	Christmas Lunch
18th	Christmas Assembly at Tunley Church Christmas Bingo 18:00-20:00
19th	Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Singalong 15:00 Break up at 15:30

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A monthly drop in where families can access support on:

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Access to service for:

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Relationship advice
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First
Thursday of
the month,
9am 'til
12 noon

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9AM-5PM PAID

9AM-5PM HAF

Ages 5-11

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LANCASTER LANE PRIMARY SCHOOL
Hunters Road PR25 5TT
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Tuesday 23rd December

CHORLEY ST PETER'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL
Eaves Lane PR6 ODX
Sunday 21st December
Monday 22nd December

SANTA VISIT

PANTO TRIP

XMAS PARTY

FESTIVE FOOD

FOR HAF BOOKINGS, USE SCHOOL-ISSUED VOUCHERS AND LINK

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