



## Leeds and Broomfield C of E Primary School

Many Hands Build a House, Many Hearts Make a School  
(Matthew 7:24-27 : The Wise and Foolish Builders )

**Resilience, Curiosity, Honesty, Respect, Empathy**  
**NEWSLETTER 18—Friday 23rd January 2026**



**As many hands build a house; many hearts make a school.**

**What could you do to spread peace within the school and at home?**



**Smile, forgive, say sorry.**

**Hedgehogs** - have been exploring printing in art using hands, feet and other classroom objects. Today we explored texture by creating rubbings.

**Foxes**— have had a visit from some piglets, and have been learning about weather on the different parts of mountains. They have also been busy writing adventure stories.

**Squirrels** - have looked at water resistance in science this week and created diagrams to explain it. We have also looked at music made in response to civil rights issues. In English we have written setting descriptions of the river in our book we are reading and described Water Voles.

**Badgers** - have been creating poetry this week. We looked at different poems and used these as inspiration. We have also been using the crumbles to create light displays.

**After School Club**— have enjoyed blindfolded navigation around the school and more problem solving activities this week



## Speech and Language Top Tip of the Week

Give your child plenty of time to respond, even if it feels like a long pause, to help them process and build confidence in their language skills.



**Reminder that all children's hair that is shoulder length or longer should be tied up at all times. Half and half is good too!**



**Jewellery should be minimal. Stud earrings or small hoops. A watch. Earrings must come out for PE lessons and swimming.**

## Young voices



Well done to everybody who attended Young Voices on Monday. It was a fantastic event and the children had a great time. A massive thank you to everyone who helped with the event. A video of the day is available to purchase here: <https://www.youngvoices.shop/>

To help us with planning for future young voices events, we welcome feedback from anyone who has either been before or is considering going in the future.

<https://forms.gle/7Pm8SYiJVJhJt79AA> Thank you.



Hedgehogs- Sophie

Foxes— Storm

Squirrels— George S

Badgers— Alfie



### Christian Vision and Values

Hedgehogs— Mya (Empathy)

Foxes— Dennis (Empathy & Respect)

Squirrels— Sophia M (Respect)

Badgers — Ronny (Respect & Resilience)



### Future Dates:

**Friday 30th January—Crazy Hair day**

Thursday 12th February—Valentines Disco KS1 3:30-4:30 KS2 4:45—6pm

Friday 13th February—Term 3 ends

Monday 23rd February—Inset Day—no children

Tuesday 24th February—Term 4 starts—children in

Wednesday 4th March—Colour Run—information to follow

Wednesday 18th March—Non-uniform day bring in bar / box of chocolates

Wednesday 1st April—Chocolate Bingo in the church

Thursday 2nd April—End of term 4

Monday 20th April—Term 5 starts—children in

Tuesday 28th April—Year 3 & 4 to Gudwara—information to follow

Friday 22nd May—Term 5 ends

Monday 1st June—Term 6 starts—children in

Wednesday 10th June—Year 2 to Synagogue—information to follow

Friday 26th June—Inset Day—no children in school

Tuesday 21st July—Term 6 ends

