



Our Christmas Fair raised an amazing £3,864.52!

This money will go to the Friends and Families of Tonacliffe to be spent on things for the children.

Mrs Heap and the staff would like to thank the Friends and Families of Tonacliffe for their hard work in the run up to and on the night.

Thank you also to everyone who came to support the event!

The Ash Team have earned the most Behaviour Stars this half term. Children in Ash Team will have their non-uniform day in the New Year.

Ash team's non-uniform day will be on Friday 9th January 2026.

Please remember to book any meals, clubs and snacks that your child(ren) may want for the next half term.

School meals are bookable until midnight the night before and snack for Spring Term 1 closes at 9am this Friday (19th December).

Please note that the School Spider app must be fully up to date— if the app is not working, it can be updated in the app store.



Green Class had a great time at Whitworth Library.

The children participated in some crafty activities, enjoyed a story together, looked at books independently and many joined the library.

Family Hubs Network Rossendale Partners

Children and Family
Wellbeing
Service

Rossendale Newsletter, December 2025

New: MMRV Vaccine for Children

Starting **1 January 2026**, the NHS will introduce the **MMRV vaccine**, protecting against **measles, mumps, rubella, and chickenpox**. This combined vaccine replaces the current MMR-only vaccine.



Who's affected?

- **Children born on or after 1 Jan 2025:** Two doses at **12 months** and **18 months**
- **Children born July–Dec 2024:** Two doses at **18 months** and **3 years 4 months**
- **Catch-up programme:** Nov 2026–Mar 2028 for children born Jan 2020–Aug 2022



Vaccination is the safest way to protect your child. - <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/introduction-of-a-routine-varicella-mmr-vaccination-programme/introduction-of-a-routine-varicella-mmr-vaccination-programme-for-children-at-one-year-and-at-18-months>

Stay Protected This Winter – Get Your Flu Jab!

Flu cases are rising fast—three times higher than last year and hitting earlier than expected. The NHS urges eligible adults to book their flu vaccine now to stay protected this winter.

It's quick and easy to book online or by calling **119**. Parents, please return school consent forms or book for 2- and 3-year-olds.

The NHS also recommends:

- **RSV vaccine** for pregnant women and older adults
- **Pneumococcal vaccine** for over 65s



Parents: Don't forget to return your child's school vaccination consent forms or book an appointment for 2- and 3-year-olds to keep them protected ahead of the festive season.

Click this link for more information-<https://www.england.nhs.uk/2025/11/nhs-issues-flu-jab-sos-with-worst-of-winter-only-weeks-away/>



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Your ideas matter.
Help shape local services by
sharing what's important to
you.

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Need something?
We'll point you in the
right direction—services,
resources, and more.

RAWTENSTALL FAMILY HUB

The Old Fire Station, Rowtenstall, BB4 8EW
The **First Thursday** of the month, **9:30-11am from September**

HASLINGDEN FAMILY HUB

Haslingden Community Link, Bury Rd, BB4 5PG
The **Second Thursday** of the month, **9:30-11am from September**

MADEN FAMILY HUB

Rochdale Rd, Bacup, OL13 9NZ
The **Third Thursday** of the month, **9:30-11am from September**

Can't attend? Join us via
Microsoft Teams during
the sessions!

Scan here for more information



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STAR PUPILS

HOUSE POINTS

Nursery:	All of nursery.
Green Class:	Neve R.
Pink Class:	Jax B.
White Class:	Blake A & Albie B.
Red Class:	Ruby D.
Yellow Class:	Maisy P-R.
Orange Class :	Tia H.
Lime Class:	Bobby C.
Turquoise Class:	Leo G & Isabel J.
Gold Class:	Amber W.
Purple Class:	Ava-Grace B.

Ash: 244

Oak: 329

Hazel: 265

Willow: 281

Well done

to the Oak Team who are this week's winners!

ATTENDANCE

We aim for at least 97% attendance each week;
here are the attendance figures for last week:

		Yellow Class:	91.7%
Green Class:	99.1%	Orange Class:	96.3%
Pink Class:	96.8%	Lime Class:	97.9%
White Class:	92.3%	Turquoise Class:	91.2%
Red Class:	92.4%	Gold Class:	89.2%
		Purple Class:	86.2%

Our overall school attendance figure for week ending

Friday 5th December is: 92%

FRIENDSHIP &

KINDNESS AWARD

Nancy H.

For showing wonderful
kindness and
thoughtfulness for
others.





Please remember to visit our website for long term dates. Thank you.

Tuesday 16th December: Christmas Dinner day.

Tuesday 16th December: Christmas Jumper day.

Thursday 18th December: Key Stage 2 Christmas party day.

Thursday 18th December: Christmas sing-a-long—**2pm prompt.**

Friday 19th December: Reception & Key Stage 1 Christmas party day.

Friday 19th December: FFoT pantomime at school.

Friday 19th December: Last day of Autumn 2.





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Tuesday 6th January: School reopens for Spring Term 1.

Tuesday 6th January: Turquoise Class swimming begins.

Monday 12th January: Reception & Key Stage 1 Right Start pedestrian training begins.

Monday 12th January: Mad Science club begins— 3:30-4:30pm.

Monday 12th January: Robinwood parents' meeting—3:45pm.

Tuesday 13th January: Yellow Class library visit.

Thursday 29th January: Lime Class library visit.

Tuesday 3rd February: Yellow Class parents' assembly.

Wednesday 4th February: Year 6 Robinwood trip.

Thursday 5th February: Year 6 Robinwood trip.

Friday 6th February: Year 6 Robinwood trip.

Tuesday 10th February: Purple Class parents' assembly.

Thursday 12th February: Spring Disco— Reception— Year 3— 3:45-5pm. Years 4-6—5:15-6:30pm.

Friday 13th February: School closes for half term.

School Term Dates 2025/2026

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	Training days (children do not attend school)
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School Term Dates 2026/2027

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Holiday

Training Day