

Newsletter

13th February 2026



Message from the Headteacher

Dear Taywood Families,

Congratulations to **Luna** for winning the attendance award. Enjoy your £20 Tesco voucher! Congratulations to all 24 children for achieving 100% attendance. They received a certificate and medal today.

Orchard Star of the Week

Thea, for good topic knowledge and remembering new words, as well as recalling information from previous weeks.

Acorn Star of the Week

Layton, for tidying up and joining in

Willow Star of the Week

Harper B for growing in confidence and asking adults for help.

Headteacher's Award

Benas, for representing Taywood children beautifully at the library.

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Slater Headteacher
head@taywood.lancs.sch.uk

Upcoming Dates

February

16th - 23rd - Half-term holidays and staff training day

24th - Nursery opens

25th - Meet Miss Holdsworth (Willow)

26th - Miss Hussain's last day

March

5th - World Book Day

10th - Sponsored Dance

13th - Mother's/Special Person Day

27th - Nursery closes at 3:15pm
No After School Club

Breakfast and After School Club

Contact Mrs Farr, c.farr@taywood.lancs.sch.uk



We followed on from our classroom learning, building towers and castles.

Please note, there is no After School Club on 27th March to allow staff to clean down classrooms for the Easter break.

Skills to practise at home



Starting to wipe after going to the toilet. (Typically from around 3 and half years old)

Our Learning



Seedlings

We hope you like your Valentine's cards. The children made them for someone special. We have enjoyed exploring new ways to build towers too.



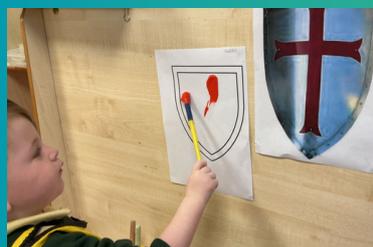
Orchard

We have been busy building and balancing! Our nursery rhyme this week is 'London Bridge', so we built our own bridges with blocks and balancing equipment outdoors.



Acorn

As well as Chinese New Year activities, we have been learning about castles and churches. One of our mark making skills is to form an X or + shape, so we made our own shields and formed these shapes.



Willow

Well done to the group of children who visited Coal Clough Library on Thursday morning. They represented nursery beautifully and enjoyed stories, rhymes, activities and games. We will continue to take groups of children to the library over the next term.



Messages



Reviews

We share many of our events and activities on our [Facebook](#) page. The reviews from parents are quite old. If you would like to leave a review, we would very much appreciate your comments and likes.

If you would like to write a Google review, here is the [link](#).

Thank you for your continued support.

Governor Vacancies

We're looking for new governors to join our governing body, and we'd love to welcome people from a wide range of backgrounds, professions, and life experiences. You don't need any previous governance experience – just enthusiasm, a willingness to learn, and a commitment to supporting our school community.

Governors play a vital role in shaping the direction of the school, asking thoughtful questions, and helping ensure every child has the best possible opportunities. Training and support are provided, so you'll never be expected to figure things out alone.

If you're interested in getting involved or simply want to find out more, please get in touch. A diverse governing board makes for a stronger school, and your perspective could make a real difference.

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