

Friday 9th October 2026

Bankside Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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Headteacher's Award Winners – Our Learning Cog
of Empathy!



Well done to the children in Years 1, 2 and 3 this week who were chosen by their teacher to receive the award in our headteacher's assembly!

Next week we will see who the winners are in Years 4, 5 and 6!



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Road Safety Week!

We worked in partnership with Leeds City Council's Road Safety Team to deliver our annual Road Safety Week at Bankside. As part of this crucial learning around keeping safe, pupils were taught how to keep safe on the roads surrounding our school as well as ways to keep safe when using transport to travel on our roads.



RESPECT



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BELONGING

SHOW RACISM THE RED CARD DAY

WEAR RED ON FRIDAY 16.10.26!



Wear something **RED**



Bring **£1** if you can
School Council Fundraising



Stand together against racism



Support School Council projects
chosen by pupils across the school

Any donations received will be given to our School Council
and used to fund pupil-led initiatives and improvements
chosen by children across the school.



TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE



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Key Dates This Term:

- Tuesday 20th October – Parents' and Carers' Evening
Year 1, 4, 5 and Reception
- Wednesday 21st October – Parents' and Carers' Evening
Year 2, 3, 6 and Rainbow
- Friday 23rd October – last day of term. School closes at 3.15pm
- Monday 2nd November – school re-opens at usual time
- Monday 23rd November – Flu vaccinations with school nursing team
- Tuesday 15th December – Red Base Star Hunt Performance at 2.30pm
- Friday 18th December – last day of term, pupils finish at 12pm



Friends of Bankside Wanted!

This year we are focusing on strengthening our links with local businesses and organisations that would like to support our school!

At Bankside Primary, our community is at the heart of everything we do. We are incredibly lucky to be surrounded by local businesses, organisations, and individuals who share our commitment to giving our children the best possible start in life.

We have developed a tab on our school website to share and promote the local businesses and organisations that have generously contributed to enhancing the school's provision or gifting valuable resources to the school.

Want to become a Friend of Bankside? We are always looking for community partners. Whether it's sponsoring a school event, volunteering your time, offering your expertise, or donating resources, we would love to hear from you!

Get in touch with us at fundraising@banksideprimary.org to find out how you can get involved!

