



Friday 7th
February 2025



Barden Primary School
Only my best is good enough for me



Dear Parents/Carers,

A huge well done to Skylarks class for their wonderful class assembly all about kindness. It was so lovely. Thank you to parents and carers that were able to share this special event with us. It was lovely to see you.

Take Care, Mrs C Holgate, Headteacher

Thank you for your continued support. If you should have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact school to speak with us.

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DATES: School closes for the half term break after school on Friday 14th February and returns on Monday 24th February 2025.

Attendance for Last Week
27/01/2025

Class	w/c
Eaglets	93.68%
Owlets	87.91%
Chicks	95.00%
Robins	96.21%
Sparrows	92.31%
Swallows	97.14%
Wagtails	92.07%
Lapwings	96.00%
Skylarks	91.43%
Doves	92.67%
Kingfishers	95.31%
Woodpeckers	91.94%
Puffins	91.03%
Jays	95.81%
Kestrels	90.94%
Eagles	96.53%
The Nest	93.12%
Pipits	94.00%

Overall school attendance was **93.57%**. Congratulations to **Swallows** who had the highest attendance last week. Well Done!

Badge Winners this Week

Class	Badge Winners
EYFS	Yaqub M, Aliza A, Muhammad E, Aishah A
Sparrows	Aayat S, Anayah F Y
Robins	Hussain A, Mujtaba Z
Swallows	Chidiebube A, Huzaifa M
Wagtails	Zyaan N, Zunaira I
Doves	Umme H A, Saim A
Skylarks	Louis M, Aizah K
Lapwings	Rubab A, Yasin I
Woodpeckers	Zahra A, Saaym R
Kingfishers	Haania B, Hooria N
Jays	Muhammad Y M, Airah K
Puffins	Esa N, Alesha N
Eagles	Abdul A, Mohammed A M
Kestrels	Lhynzae M, Ameera K
The Nest	Chayse I
Pipits	Dua S

Winning Team - AIR



BRONZE Award - Huzaifa M, Jawad N A, Diyan S

SILVER Award - Muhammad Y M

Gold Award Certificate - Ayyub K, Laith Z, Mustafa I, Yousaf H



How can children help their parents/carers to ensure they get to school on time?

This week, Mrs. Rawcliffe delivered an assembly aimed at routines at home in the evening and in the mornings before school. The aim was to ask children to think about what they can do to help their parents and carers so that they can get to bed on time, get up for school on time and arrive at school at 8.35am. Already, the impact is noticeable with only 2 lates on Tuesday, 6 lates on Wednesday and 7 lates on Thursday. This is compared to some days when there are as many as 15 to 20 lates per day.



As soon as children's teeth come through, they are ready for toothbrushing to start. Use a fluoride toothpaste (it does not need to be a child's toothpaste) it should contain at least 1000 parts per million (ppm) of fluoride – you will find this on the packaging. Use a smear of toothpaste for children under 3, and a pea-sized amount for children 3-6 and brush in circles for 2 minutes. Brush twice a day – including one before bed. this allows the fluoride to keep working while children sleep. Children should spit not rinse, after brushing, this avoids washing away the fluoride. Adults should help children brush their teeth until they are 7 years old to make sure they are brushing correctly.
Happy brushing everyone!!



Upcoming Diary Dates



DATE	EVENT
Every Friday @ 8.50am	Celebration Assembly. You will be invited by a text message to attend.
Tuesday 11th February	Safer Internet Day (more information to follow)
Thursday 13th February	Doves class assembly
Friday 14th February	School closes for half- term holidays at 3.05pm
Monday 24th February	Back to school @ 8.35am
Thursday 27th February	Year 5 Theatre Trip
Friday 28th February	Ramadan starts- TBC Barden Gets Cooking – Parent session test run in the afternoon



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Playground Improvements

The Play Team has worked really hard to improve our infant playground. The children are really enjoying the activities that are now available. If you have any donations, please let school know. They will be gratefully received.



In English, we have been looking at non-fiction texts.



Robins

Year 1



Sparrows



We enjoyed learning about Chinese New Year.

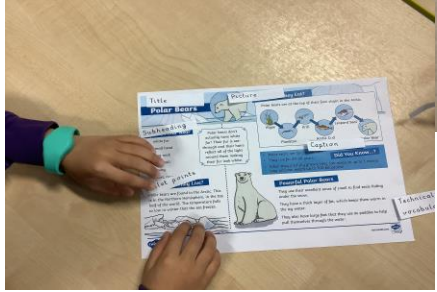


In computing, we have enjoyed programming Bee Bots.



In Science, we have been investigating how things freeze and melt. We froze a toy in water then watched the water melt.

We have been learning about the fire triangle at Forest School and how to keep ourselves safe.



We finished our DT topic off with making our curry in Forest School. It was delicious.



Jays

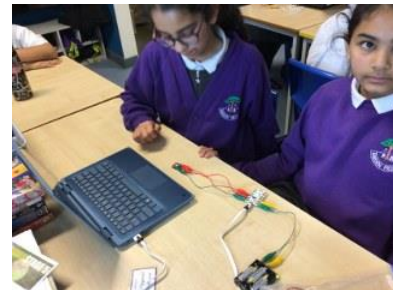
Year 5

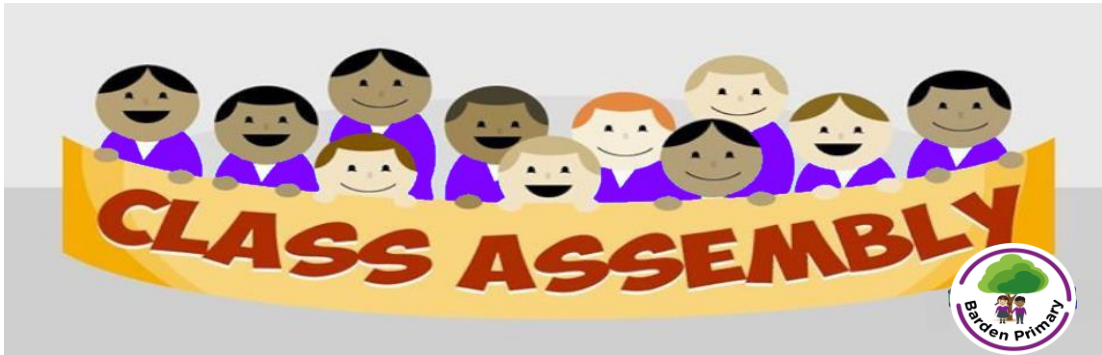


Puffins

As part of our Linking Project with Cherry Fold, we went to Burnley Youth Theatre and met our partner class. We made lots of new friends and had a great time performing drama.

We have been using the crumble kits in computing to programme our sparkles.





Join us for our upcoming class assemblies! We will be showcasing the learning that has taken place in class. Afterward, you can spend time with your child looking at their books. Then, enjoy a drink and some snacks with us back in the hall. We look forward to seeing you there!

Date (Thursday usually)	Class
3rd October	Puffins
10th October	Woodpecker
13th November	Kingfishers
21st November	Jays
23rd January	Kestrels
30th January	Eagles
6th February	Skylarks
13th February	Doves
Friday 21 st March	Lapwings
27th March	Swallows
Wednesday 2 nd April	Wagtails
8 th May	Sparrows
22 nd May	Robins
Wednesday 18 th June	Owlets
Friday 27 th June	Eaglets
3 rd July	Chicks