



# PRESTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Week 3 Spring Term

## WEEK ENDING 24<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY

As you all know we love to read at Preston and encourage children to develop their love for this so that they become lifelong readers. We are always looking for opportunities to promote reading and as part of this have been moving our library into our main corridor so that the children are able to access the books more easily. Over the coming weeks we also have lots more planned.

### This week in school

Acorns would like to say hello to their new friend and have been busy looking at vehicles. Nursery have been focusing on the Gingerbread man and drawing different patterns. Reception have been focused on learning about healthy eating and in English they have started reading the book 'The Princess and the Pea'. Year 1 have been using different types of lines using a range of media such as oil pastels, water colours and pencils. Year 2 have been writing diary entries about Amelia Earhart's first solo flight. Year 3 have been making abstract sculptures as part of their art topic. Year 4 have been doing animal dances in PE and learning about the environment. Year 5 have been creating self portraits in art and learning about gravity in science. Year 6 have been really enjoying their class book 'Holes' and writing about it. They are also very excited about their trip to London next week.

### Reading at Home

Reading is an important part of children's learning at Preston and we love sending books home to be read, however over the first term a large amount of reading books have not been returned to school meaning that there is less choice for children to pick from in school. I understand how easy it is to misplace books but would ask if everyone could please have a look at home and see if they have any school reading books that can be returned to school.

### After School and Breakfast Club

Please can all parents use the Elmwood road gate when they are dropping off and collecting from afterschool and breakfast club. Our office does is not open the same times so there is not always someone to open the gates.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Mr Sanderson

## Upcoming Events

### **Year 6 London Trip**

27<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> January  
2025

### **Parents evenings**

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> and  
Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>  
March

### **Safer Internet Day**

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>  
February



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