Northwood News

13/11/2026



Headteacher's Update

Dear Parents, Carers and Members of our Community,

I hope you all had a restful break and that the new term has got off to a happy start. It has been a fantastic start for our wonderful children, and it has been a real pleasure to see them settle back into their routines with enthusiasm and energy.
Our Christmas preparations have now begun, and many of our pupils are already looking forward to the festive season. Across the school, children have been hard at work practising for our Christmas performances. Performing takes commitment, teamwork and confidence, and I am very proud of the effort every child is putting in. Thank you in advance for your support as we build towards these special occasions.
I would now like to celebrate some wonderful achievements. Congratulations to our Boys' football team, who played really well yesterday. Their determination and teamwork were a joy to see, and they should be very proud of themselves.
I would also like to extend a warm well done to all of our Headteacher Award winners. These pupils have been displaying our value of 'Acceptance' for the last two weeks. Acceptance lies at the heart of what we do at Northwood Community Primary School, and it is a real credit to these children that they have shown it so consistently. Their kindness and respect for others help make our school a better place for everyone.
Next, I need to share some important information. Please remember to look at our Autumn 2 events on the school website so that you do not miss any upcoming events. There is a busy few weeks ahead, and the website is the best place to find up-to-date dates and details.
Finally, I would like to remind you of the importance of punctuality. School starts at 8:45 every day, and it is really important that your child is in school on time every single day if they are to achieve their full potential. Arriving on time allows children to settle calmly, join in with their morning learning and start each day ready to succeed. Thank you for your continued help with this.
Thank you, as always, for your support. Working together, we can ensure that every child at Northwood has the very best start to their learning journey.

Take care,

Ms Murphy
Headteacher

School Closes for all pupils:

Friday 18th December 2026

Forthcoming Dates

Term Dates for September 2026 to July 2027

School reopens for all pupils:

Monday 4th January 2027

School Closes for all pupils:

Friday 12th February 2027

School reopens for all pupils:

Monday 22nd February 2027



Upcoming Christmas Dates

Please see below for our upcoming Christmas dates.

Wednesday 9th December 2026	DSP Christmas Performance
Thursday 10th December 2026	Christmas lunch and Christmas jumper day
Friday 11th December 2026	Enterprise Fayre
Monday 14th December 2026	EYFS Christmas Performance
Tuesday 15th December 2026	KS 1 Christmas Performance
Wednesday 16th December 2026	Yr 3 and Yr 4 Christmas Performance
Thursday 17th December 2026	Yr 5 and Yr 6 Christmas Performance
Friday 18th December 2026	All classes – Christmas parties

Our School Values

We expect our children, families and all adults in our school community to follow these values and ensure we are treating each other with respect and kindness.

At Northwood we care about each other, aim high and achieve well. Thank you for your support.



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