



Squirrels Class Newsletter

9th October 2026



What have the Squirrels been up to this week?

- In **RE**, we discussed how we look after God's world as well as what it is like to have responsibility for our pet potato. We practised our Class Worship, and they made us very proud.
- In **English**, we started by learning how important good instructions are. The squirrels instructed me how to plant a potato, but I did EXACTLY as they asked. 'Pour the dirt in Miss Smithson...NO NOT LIKE THAT!'
- In **Maths**, we have continued our unit on addition and subtraction. Number bonds to 10 is how we started and then simply adding one more to make sure we are secure in our understanding of numbers to 20.

Our Core concept this term is:

Responsibility and Risk

In **Geography**, we looked at why people travel to London and how we can stay safe while we are there.

In **Art**, we made our own Banksy art using potato stamps that encourages a positive message from a design they made themselves last week.

Celebrations and What the Squirrels have to say...



For our 'Work on the Wall'

-Year 1: **Eleanor** contributed incredibly well to our addition lesson, she had a brilliant level of understanding for fact families and she really showed it in her learning. Well done, Eleanor.

Year 2: **Freya** wrote a letter to Mr Melville this week in English that was beautifully written. She gave some lovely advice and she was very reassuring. Thank you, Freya.

Our Headteacher's Award

The Headteacher award this week goes to **Roscoe**, for always making us smile. He is always so positive and funny. When practicing our worship this week, he brought his own cheer and flair that made us so proud to have him in our class.

Important Information:

- PE is on Tuesday afternoons.
- Welly Wednesday is on Wednesday mornings.
- **Next Thursday 15th October is open afternoon. If you or someone you know has a child starting school next year, please come along and see our wonderful school.**

Teacher Message:

Thank you to all that came to the Squirrels Class Worship. Some were quite nervous and there is never enough hours in a school day to rehearse enough but didn't they do well. I hope they made you as proud as they made us.

Thank you for being so onboard with the Pet Potatoes. It has been so much fun.



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Open Afternoon

THURSDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2026

1.30pm-5.30pm

- Explore our nurturing school environment!
- Meet our wonderful teachers!
- Find out more about Farm & Forest School!
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