

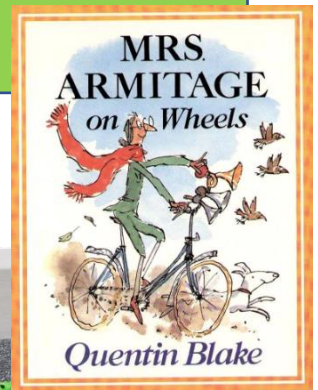
Greatfields Primary School

November Newsletter

As part of our exciting topic "Marvellous Machines," the children have been busy creating their very own bikes using a variety of materials such as pipe cleaners and different shapes. We also had fun naming the 2D shapes we used and adding lots of bright colours to make our bikes unique!



In Literacy, we've been focusing on the book *Mrs. Armitage on Wheels*. The children have been making predictions about the story and using their Fred fingers to sound out words when writing. We've also been practising using capital letters, finger spaces, and full stops in our sentences.



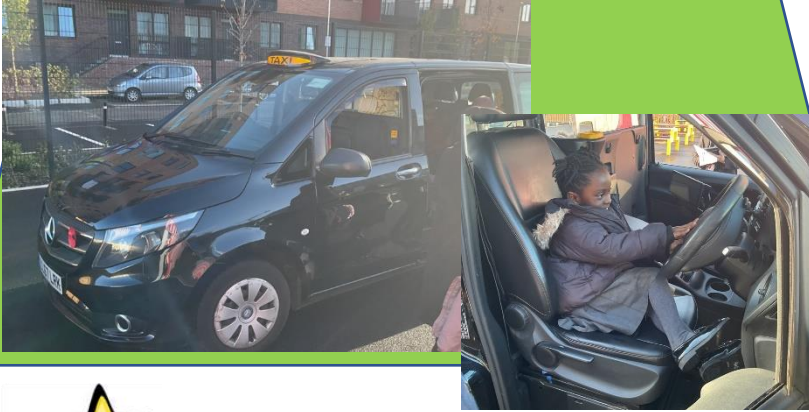
A big thank you to our pupils, parents, and carers for supporting us during Children In Need. Oak Class raised a wonderful £14.50! The children used their finger-painting skills to create their own Pudsey bandages, and everyone looked fantastic in their spotty and bright clothes.



At Greatfields, we take pupil safety very seriously. Oak Class participated in a school assembly where we learned the 6 steps to staying safe when crossing the road. Can you remember all 6 steps? Our pupils were so knowledgeable that they even created their own road safety signs to share with the community. They did an excellent job explaining their purpose!



This month, we had a very special visitor – a classic black London taxi! The children loved learning about the mechanics of this iconic vehicle. It was a hands-on experience that brought learning to life right at our doorstep.



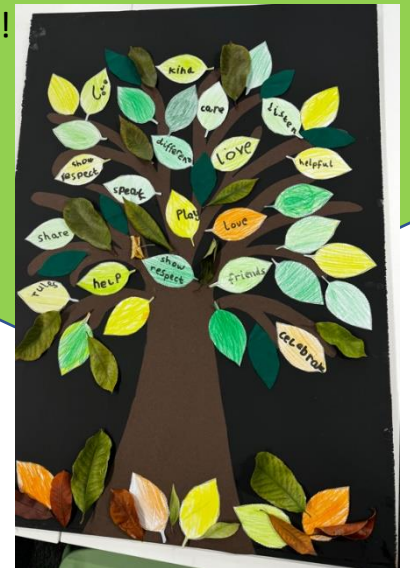
As part of Anti-Bullying Week, we focused on the theme "Choose Respect." Oak Class explored the important aspects of respect and created a beautiful "Choose Respect Tree" to display what they learned. The final result was truly impressive!



Reminders!

As the weather gets colder, please ensure that your child comes to school dressed warmly with a coat, hat, and scarf. It's important for children to wear full school uniform, including school shoes. Please remember that boots are not allowed as part of the school uniform.

With the holiday season approaching, if your child has Christmas cards or party invitations, kindly hand them to the class teacher. The teacher will make sure they are distributed to the named pupils, helping to prevent any upset among the children.



In Maths, the children have been learning about parts of a whole. They are able to show parts in different ways, and they've been doing an excellent job of grasping this new concept. Great work, everyone!

