

Classroom News



Class Name: Term: Wallingford

Term 1 2025-2026

Topic: Community

What we have been doing this term:

Wallingford class have been exploring people and places in the local community this term, diving into investigating all of the amenities we have access to. This mean we have been busy visiting many locations across Newbury!

In English we have been writing our own community guidebooks about Supermarkets, Post offices, Leisure centres, Retail Parks, care homes, Garden Centres and Parks and Playgrounds. We have learned about the services on offer in each place and how we can make the most of them. Recording what we have found out using the iPads to take photos and writing labels and captions using Clickr software.

We had a fantastic class visit to Thatcham Care home where we talked with the residents and served them with tea and cake (before enjoying some ourselves!), over this year everyone will support the leisure team in a work experience placement.

Dan showed us around Northcroft leisure centre, and we had a go at lots of different activities while we were there. We realised how many fun activities we could take part in there!

We have started cooking a class lunch again this term and have been practicing independent skills in using the tabletop grill, hob and kettle.

We hope you have a lovely half term holiday. We are looking forward to lots of exciting activities next term.

Emma, Michaela, Mav, Sharon & Tracy xxx

Dates & Points to remember:

End of Autumn 1 – Friday 24th October
 Monday 3rd November - Start of Autumn 2
 Monday 3rd November – Fink Street Food workshop
 Wednesday 19th November – Cinema trip (morning)
 Thursday 27th November –Christmas Market Stall
 Thursday 4th December – Newbury Panto visit (morning)
 Thursday 11th December – Post-16's Got Talent Show
 Tuesday 16th December 1.30pm – Christmas Sing a Long
 Wednesday 17th December – Christmas dinner day
 Thursday 18th December - Last day of Autumn 2

Some photos of us!

SUPERMARKETS



CARE HOME VISIT



NORTHCROFT VISIT



COOKING

