## Classroom News



Class Name: Term 1 2025-2026 Topic: Happy to be ME!

## What we have been doing this term:

**English** This term, the class have been developing their writing and storytelling skills. They used iPads and Clicker Writer to create sentences for weekend news. Our class reading book this term was the Hodgeheg by Dick King Smith. We explored road safety through Max the hedgehog's adventures!

**Maths** we explored addition and subtraction through "About Me" activities. They solved problems using personal numbers and practised strategies with dominoes and blocks.

**PSHE** The class have been learning about friendships, emotions, growing up and life after school. They discussed what makes a good friend, shared ideas about the future, and practised strategies to manage feelings.

The world we live in we have been exploring the season of autumn and learning about the changes we see in nature at this time of year. We also celebrated and learned about different festivals and traditions from around the world, including Diwali, the Moon Festival, and Sukkot, as well as enjoying some spooky fun for Halloween.

The class explored the past and present in Newbury, comparing objects and events to understand how things have changed over time. We even enjoyed borrowing a history box from the library.

**PE** we have been learning to play tag rugby. They have been developing passing, dodging, and teamwork skills while enjoying small games of tag rugby. Everyone practised playing fairly, supporting each other.

**Community** The class have enjoyed visiting local places including Greenham Common, Thatcham Lakes, and the library.



## Dates & Points to remember:

Half Term – Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

Into Film Festival Cinema Visit (Dogman)
11th November