Manorcroft Primary School

Weekly Bulletin

Autumn Term 2026, Week 9

Fireworks Night - A huge thank you to everyone who came along and supported the fireworks night last week. It was a great success and we managed to raise a huge £7000 profit! Just incredible! This money is going to put towards our OPAL development plans. We hope everyone had a great time.

Woodland Skills - This half term our Woodland Skills focus is orienteering. Please see the letter that will be sent home next week for the full details and the dates for each class. Just a reminder that all children will need to come to school wearing warm, waterproof clothing when it is their turn, with their outdoor shoes/boots in a separate bag.

Sports Update - Huge congratulations to our Y5/Y6 girls football team, who played their first match of the season earlier this week, winning 5-0 against St. Cuthbert's. An amazing result!

OPAL - Now that the winter weather is setting in properly, children will need to be wearing a pair of wellie boots, in order to access the field at lunchtime. We only have limited spare pairs available, so please can children bring in their own wellies from home and leave them in school for the term - same as last year. Each year group has a wellie storage area to make it easier. Remember - please clearly name each boot!

Odd Socks Day - Monday is our 'Odd Socks Day' across the school. We are encouraging children to wear odd socks to school (the brighter the better!) as part of our work on anti-bullying.

Lateness - Being late to school can have an adverse effect on children. Not only is key learning missed, but arriving after the start of the day is unsettling and can lead to anxiety.

Did you know:

Being **5 mins late** everyday = **3 school days lost**
Being **10 mins late** everyday = **6.5 school days lost**
Being **15 mins late** everyday = **10 school days lost**
Being **20 mins late** everyday = **13 school days lost**
Being **30 mins late** everyday = **19 school days lost**



Golden Wellies Award - Congratulations this week to a group of Y2 children, who have spent the week practising, rehearsing and then performing their mini production on the outside stage. Brilliant to see! Well done to: Rosie, Ana Maria, Edie, Thea, Dalia, Jess and Matilde.

Coming Up Next Week:

Monday:	Anti-Bullying Week
	Odd Socks Day
Tuesday:	Cricket Coaching (Y3, Y4 & Y5)
	Y5 Tag Rugby Competition
	Y5/Y6 Boys Football Tournament
Wednesday:	Y4 Dentist Visit
	Y6 Swimming
Friday:	PTA Uniform Sale, 3.15pm
	YR Starry Night Walk, 4.45pm

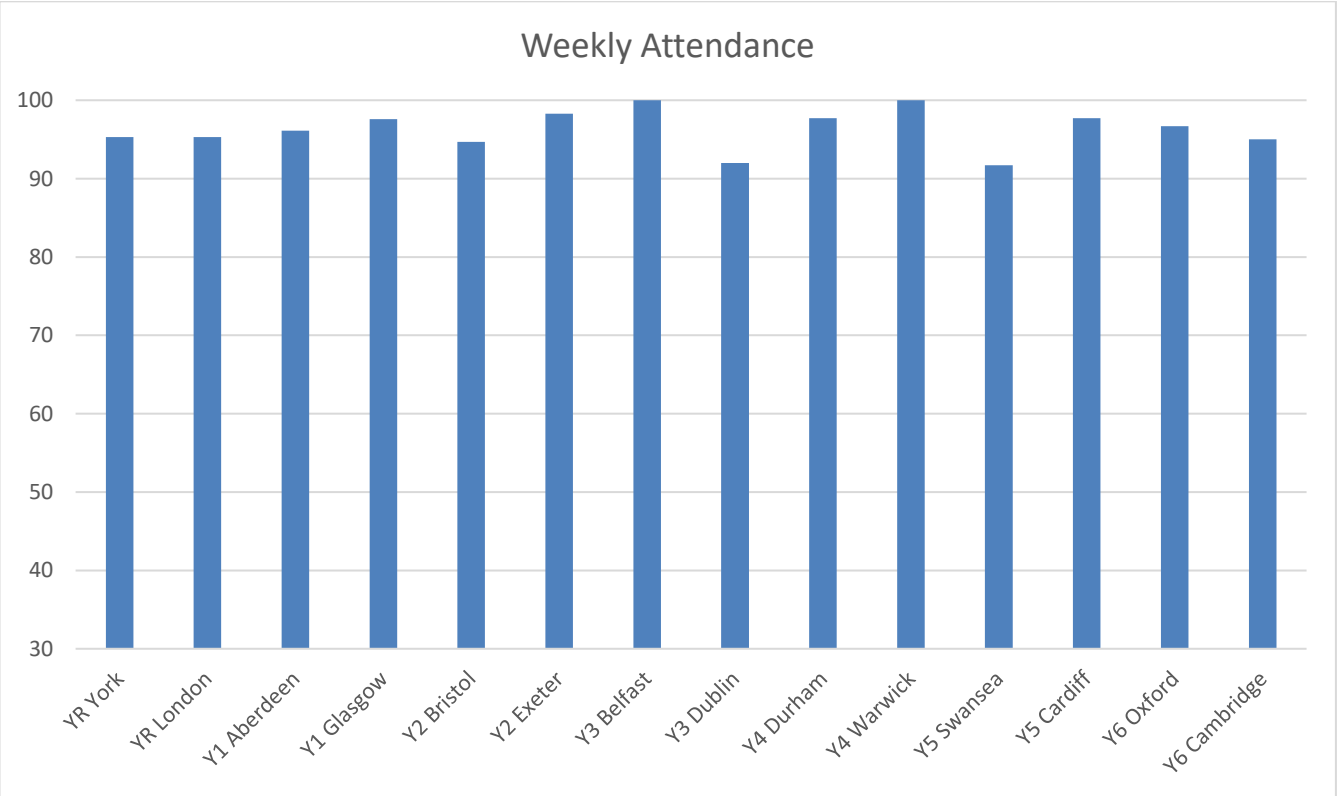
Instagram - Follow the school on Instagram - @manorcroftprimary

Celebration Assembly

YR London	Lara	**YR York**	Luna
	Hinata		Ocean-Bleu
Y1 Aberdeen	Akil	**Y1 Glasgow**	Kian
	Joshua		Evelyn
Y2 Bristol	Milo	**Y2 Exeter**	Lakshita
	Ayven		Blossom
Y3 Belfast	Arthur	**Y3 Dublin**	Leonardo
	Louie		Sienna
Y4 Durham	Natasha	**Y4 Warwick**	Sophia
	Euan		Ollie
Y5 Cardiff	Adriana	**Y5 Swansea**	Skyler
	Vansh		Tuana
Y6 Oxford	Claire	**Y6 Cambridge**	Mark
	Jaydeep		Charlie

Attendance Award

The Attendance Cup this week goes jointly to: Y3 Belfast & Y4 Warwick with 100%



Freemantles School

Coffee Morning

This half term we have an outreach teacher from Freemantles School coming to share some information around 'Supporting Children who Mask'. She is going to share some strategies you can use at home to support your children.

Your child does not need to have an Autism diagnosis for you to benefit from this session. You can be on the pathway for a diagnosis or just suspect your child may have Autism.

https://www.autismoutreachforschools.uk/

Please complete this short form before 23rd November to confirm your attendance at the coffee morning.

https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/AIkxDmwpBs

Thursday 3rd December | Harvard (breakfast club/XT room)

FAMILY SUPPORT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

CAN YOU SPARE 2-3 HOURS A WEEK TO HELP A LOCAL FAMILY?

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Second Hand UNIFORM

and

Christmas Jumper SALE

Friday 20th November at 3.15pm

Christmas Jumper donations very welcome!

Please can these be dropped into the clothes donation box outside the XT collection point.

This is the right bin!

