

MEADOWS VIEW

Newsletter

Term 1 - Friday 9th September 2026



Message from Penny

Welcome to the first newsletter of the new academic year! It has been a pleasure to welcome our children back after the summer break. It is lovely to see our school busy, happy and full of energy again. We have also welcomed some new pupils to our Meadows View community, and we are delighted to see everyone settling so well into school life.

Our topic this term is Dinosaurs, and the children have already embraced it with great enthusiasm! Across the school, we have seen dinosaur printing, role play, sensory play, creative activities and even dinosaur dances!

We think this is going to be a roar-some topic and are looking forward to seeing where our dinosaur adventures take us!

Have a lovely weekend,

Penny

**Meadows
View value
of the term
is:
To be safe**

Upcoming events and themed days

Friday 9th October - World Mental Health Day

Thursday 5th October - Bonfire Night and Diwali

More upcoming events and themed days to follow ...

**BACK
TO
SCHOOL**

What's been going on in classes this week?



Bluebells

We have had a lovely time settling back into Bluebells! The children have enjoyed lots of singing and signing, as well as exploring our new train track and a range of sensory activities. We had great fun singing songs with the parachute, working together and enjoying the movement and music.

The children were also very excited to discover some dinosaur bones (pasta shapes)! They enjoyed exploring them and having a go at creating their very own dinosaurs.

It has been a lovely start to the term, with lots of exploring, communication, creativity and fun!

Daisies

What a fantastic start to the term in Daisies! The children have settled in beautifully and have shown lots of curiosity, confidence and enthusiasm as they explore their new learning experiences.

We had great fun exploring Gloop, getting hands-on and enjoying the sensory experience.

Outside, the children became dinosaur explorers, searching for dinosaur footprints.

During Maths, Daisies enjoyed finding different objects to represent the number 10, making learning fun and practical.

We also became fossil hunters, digging in the sand to discover fossils. The children loved exploring, digging and making exciting discoveries!

Well done, Daisies, for such a fantastic start!



Buttercups

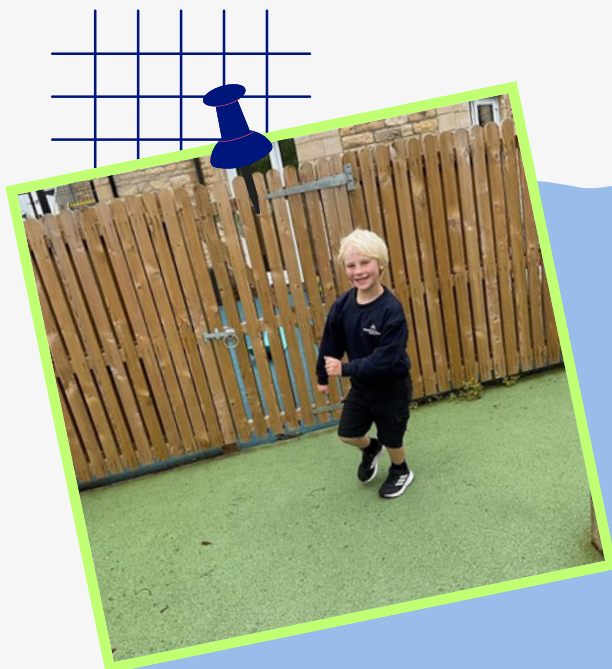
We were so happy to welcome the children back! They have enjoyed settling into routines and playing together. Our Dinosaur topic is already proving lots of fun!

We enjoyed making dinosaur pictures, creating footprints with paint and drawing dinosaurs. Our dinosaurs also needed a bath!

We made dinosaur tracks for our cheeky classroom dinosaur to follow, who enjoyed nibbling our hands!

We also invited the dinosaurs to a picnic, singing songs and enjoying pretend cups of hot tea. A fantastic start to the term in Buttercups!





Snowdrops

What a fantastic welcome back to the new term! The boys have jumped straight into our Dinosaur theme with lots of roaring, exploring and imaginative play, with a few superhero adventures too!

They have really thrown themselves into everything and it has been lovely to see so many happy faces as they explore and play together. We have also been learning through play with phonics in the tuff tray, getting stuck into shredded paper and exploring sounds.

In Maths, the boys had great fun searching for numbers in the sand and finding and matching dinosaur numbers.

A fantastic start to the term!

Cornflowers

The children have had a fantastic start to the term and have enjoyed getting to know their new classroom and team. It has been lovely to see them settling into their new routines and exploring with confidence.

This week, we have had lots of fun exploring our Dinosaur topic! We explored dinosaur sizes, thought about how they might have felt and discovered the marks and footprints they can make in playdough.

In phonics, we explored the phoneme "s", practising letter formation with finger paints while developing our fine motor skills.

Amazing work, Cornflowers!



**Whole school
attendance
this week is:
88.8%**





What a roar-some start to the school year!

