

## Holly Class

Autumn 1 Newsletter

2025-2026



## Holly Class Staff



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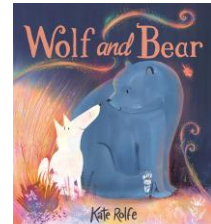
**Danielle**



**Sadie**

We're beyond excited to welcome your little ones back to Holly Class! The staff can't wait to see all the smiling faces and start this fun-filled journey with them. This year, we're going to focus on helping your child find their voice and build their confidence through lots of exciting activities, play, and sensory exploration. Whether they're chatting with friends, playing games, or discovering new things with their senses, we'll be working together to make sure they feel confident and happy expressing their thoughts and ideas. It's going to be a year of fun learning, and we're thrilled to see all the progress your child will make!

### This term our book is...



In Numeracy, we'll be working on building a solid foundation with numbers. We will start with counting and recognising numbers, using fun and interactive games and activities to make learning enjoyable. As we move through the term, we'll introduce simple addition helping the children develop a deep understanding of how numbers work. We aim to create confident learners who are excited about exploring numbers in everyday life.

In Literacy, we will be diving into the beautiful story of Wolf and Bear by Kate Rolfe. This enchanting tale will come alive through sensory activities that allow the children to fully immerse themselves in the story using all their senses. Whether it's feeling the textures of the leaves, listening to the sounds of the animals song, or exploring the colours and emotions within the story, we are excited to bring it to life in a way that sparks imagination and helps develop their language skills.

Additionally, we are thrilled to introduce Tac-Pac and Physibods to our sessions. These fantastic resources help support sensory development, physical coordination, and communication. Through activities with Tac-Pac and Physibods, the children will strengthen their fine and gross motor skills, improve their sensory awareness, and enhance their ability to express themselves. These activities are a wonderful complement to our focus on communication, as they encourage children to engage, interact, and build self-confidence.

### Whole School Diary Dates

Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	NHS Flu Vaccinations - pupils
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> September	School Photos
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents Evening
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents Evening
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	End of Term
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Start of Term

Food and nutrition – Please log into your ParentPay account where a payment item has been raised. We would appreciate it if you could make a voluntary contribution.

### Key Class information

Please send in any snacks/ drinks for your child.

Monday	Football & Physibods
Tuesday	Cookery & Library
Wednesday	4D room & Tap-pac
Thursday	Forest school
Friday	Sensory room

Please ensure you send in clothing and footwear suitable for above activities.

### Keeping in touch

Please continue to use the home school book or Tapestry to inform us of any important information relating to your child. We will check it every day but please log into Tapestry for your daily class update.

Don't forget to add any home experiences to Tapestry as this provides us with a valuable link to home.

Any absence or to notify us of a medical appointment or for general enquiries please email:

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