

Cherry Tree Class

Spring Term 1 Newsletter

2025-2026



Cherry Tree Class Staff



Welcome

We hope you all had a super break and are ready for all that this busy term brings. We are so excited for all the learning we have planned.

This term our book is...




This term, our theme is Feel the Force. We will use our chosen book *The Wind Blew* to have lots of fun we will explore ways to- "push," "pull," "float," "sink," "stick," "spin," "up," "down".


Using symbols, communication boards, our voices, colourful semantics, and AAC devices. We will be developing our communication skills in meaningful and engaging ways.

We continue to use Intensive Interaction, Joint Attention, and Attention Autism (Bucket) sessions to encourage interaction and build connections with one another – we have moved to Stage 3 in bucket and the pupils are enjoying having a chance to take a turn.

Dance lessons begin this term with Chloe, we can't wait to get 'our groove on!'.

Spa begins this term on a Monday and pupils will take it in turns to access the hot tub.

 As part of our science lessons, we'll be taking weekly trips to the woods to explore nature and the world around us. We have loved noticing the colours changing and this term I am sure we will feel the difference too.

 We will continue to walk to Tesco's to buy items for our Fun with Food lesson

Whole School Diary Dates

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| W/C 26 th January | Reading Week |
| Friday 13 th February | End of Term |
| Monday 16 th February – Friday 20 th February | Half Term |
| Monday 23 rd February | 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.

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| Monday | Spa |
| Wednesday | Forest School |
| Thursday | Woods |

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: willoughbyenquiries@prioryacademies.co.uk