

Cherry Tree Class
Autumn Term 1 Newsletter
2026-2027

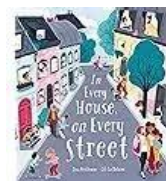


Cherry Tree Class Staff



Welcome - Welcome to Cherry Tree Class! Whether you are joining us for the first time or returning to us this year, we are delighted to have you with us. We are looking forward to a fun-filled year of learning, laughter, and exciting new experiences together.

This term our book is...



Curriculum

This term, our exciting topic is "Know Your Place", a wonderful theme that will help us get to know new pupils while warmly welcoming familiar friends back to class.

We will be exploring our class text, *In Every House, In Every Street*, through a sensory storytelling approach. Pupils will have the opportunity to engage with hands-on objects from different areas of the home, including the living room, dining room, kitchen, bedroom and bathroom. We are sure that the tasting activities and some of our bathroom-themed experiences will be particularly popular, and perhaps a little messy too!

Using symbols, communication boards, Colourful Semantics, spoken language and AAC devices, we will continue to develop pupils' communication skills through meaningful, engaging, and enjoyable activities. In our Cognition lessons, we will build on our number skills, while some pupils will also be exploring position and direction through practical and interactive learning experiences.

During our PSHE lessons, we will be focusing on ourselves and exploring our senses. Pupils will learn that everyone is unique, with different likes and dislikes, and that these differences are what make each of us special. As part of our science learning, we will also enjoy a trip to either Bourne Woods or the local park, depending on the weather. During these visits, pupils will observe signs of seasonal change and explore different weather conditions in the natural environment, and we will be looking for what animals we can find in our local area. We are looking forward to a fun-filled term of learning and discovery!

Whole School Diary Dates

Tuesday 15th September 2026	NHS Flu vaccinations for pupils with Parental/Carer consent
Tuesday 13 th October	Parent's Evening
Friday 23rd October 2026	End of Term
Monday 26 th October – Friday 30 th October 2026	Half Term
Monday 2nd November 2026	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	Spa – please send kits in weekly
Tuesday	Woods or Park

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 and we love to see and hear all about it. Any absence or to notify us of a medical appointment or for general enquiries please email: willoughbyenquiries@prioryacademies.co.uk