



Newsletter

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LEARNING AND GROWING TOGETHER WITH FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

Our School Vision

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FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE

With Faith, anything is possible

Believe in yourself

With Hope, all things are brighter

Believe in your future

With Love, we are never alone

Believe in others

Our vision is based on the Parable of The Mustard Seed.

Click [here](#) to read more about it.

A full list of all dates for next term are on the following page.

Attendance

Our vision for attendance is **simple** and **ambitious**.

- **100% attendance** for all pupils is our ultimate goal.
- **97% attendance** is our minimum expectation for every learner.

This week our attendance figure is
91%

This week the number of late marks is
20

Nightingales	79.7%
Robins	91.6%
Hawks	97.3%
Falcons	87.5%
Eagles	84.5%

Please remember that children should be in school at 8.40 ready to learn at 8.45.

Our Collective Worship focus next half term is:

Perseverance

“I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.”

Philippians 4.13

Spring Term 1 2026

Monday 5th January	Training Day
Tuesday 6th January	Return to school for all children
Friday 23rd January	3pm Hot Chocolate in the playground
w/b Monday 9th February	Children's Mental Health week
Friday 6th February	Number Day
Tuesday 10th February	Safer Internet Day
Thursday 12th February	9am Parent Voice
Friday 13th February	Non-Uniform Day - £1 Break up for Half Term

Spring Term 2 2026

Monday 23rd February	Return to school for all children
Thursday 5th March	World Book Day Dress in pyjamas and bring a book for a bedtime read
w.b 9th March	British Science Week
Tuesday 10th March	Class Photos
w/b 9th March and 16th March	Parents' Evening Appointments
Thursday 19th March	9am Parent Voice
w/b Monday 30th March	Easter Egg Competition – Bring in the Best Dressed Egg
Tuesday 31st March	Easter Movie Night 2pm Year 6s Easter Garden
Wednesday 1st April	2pm Easter Service at Church for Parents and children
Thursday 2nd April	Non-Uniform day - £1 Break Up for Easter Break

Introducing the Micklefield School Collective 🌿

We're excited to share that a new community group is taking shape, the Micklefield School Collective! This friendly, parent and carer led team is all about raising funds and strengthening our school community in fun, inclusive ways. Every penny raised goes straight back into enriching school life, creating more exciting, creative, and inspiring experiences for our children.

How to Get Involved ❤️

There's a role for everyone, whether that's baking, designing, setting up stalls, or simply spreading the word. Even a single hour of help makes a huge difference! We believe in micro-volunteering — joining in for an hour, a task, or an event when you can.

Look out for our posters around school, and if you'd like to find out more or join in, we'd love to hear from you at micklefieldsc@outlook.com or speak to the school office.

Together, we can build something special for Micklefield Primary.

As we come to the end of a busy and successful term, I want to thank you for your continued support of our school community. Your encouragement and involvement make such a difference to the children's learning and experiences.

Wishing you and your families a joyful Christmas and a peaceful New Year. Here's to an exciting and positive 2026 for us all!



Emma Cook

Christmas Parties

The children had a fantastic time celebrating at their Christmas parties this week! There was plenty of fun, games, and festive treats to enjoy together. Thank you to everyone who helped make these celebrations so special.



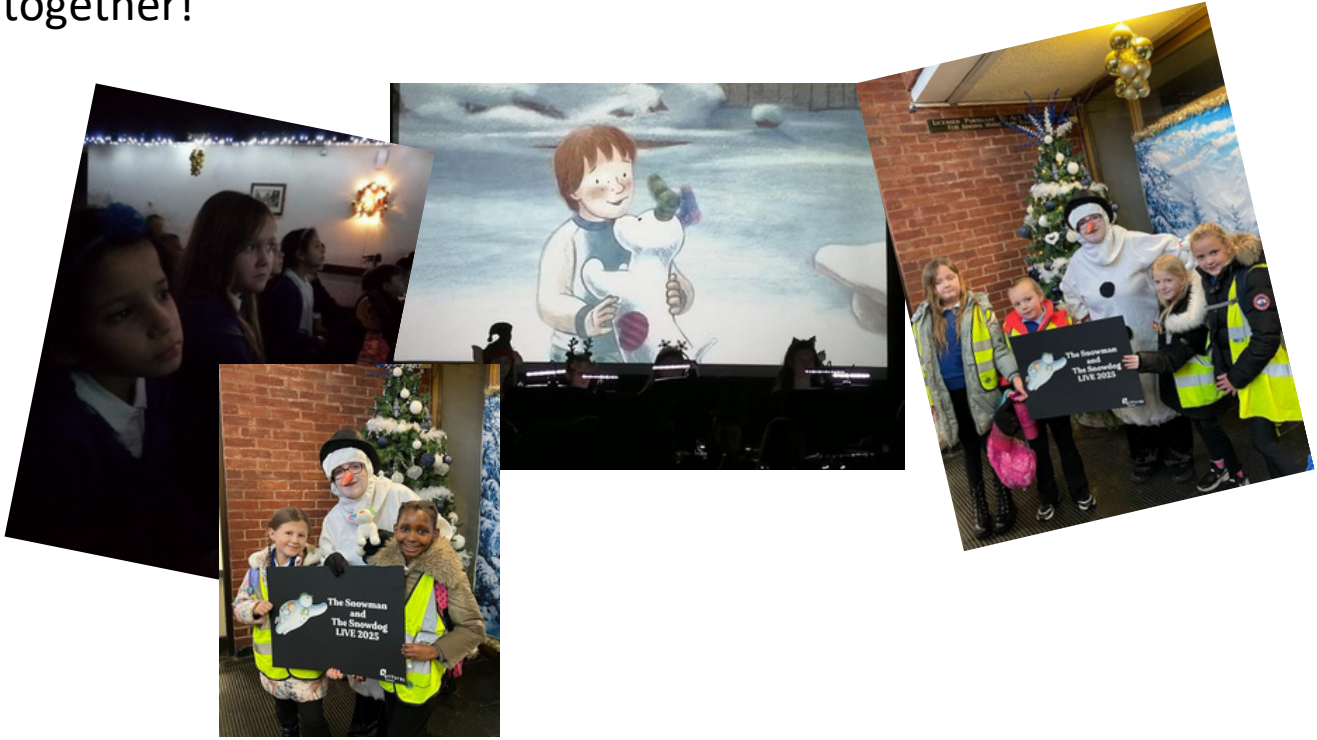
Christmas Concerts

Our Reception concert, Nursery Singalong and Year 1 Nativity in Church was as magical as ever! The Church was standing room only! Well done to all children who took part, we are very proud of you all!



Falcons Visit

Falcon Class had a magical experience at Pudsey Civic Hall watching *The Snowman* and *The Snowdog*. The children loved the festive atmosphere and the beautiful music that brought this classic story to life. It was a wonderful way to celebrate the season together!



Winter Solstice

As part of their RE learning about celebrations, Falcons learned about the Winter Solstice. They celebrated by lighting their own fire; having a little feast and making evergreen garland.



Special Visitor and a Big Thank You!

The children were thrilled to welcome Father Christmas to school this week! He visited every class and gave each child a special present, making the day truly magical.

We would like to say a huge thank you to Tesco, Garforth Lions, and MX Bike Track for their generous donations towards these gifts. Their kindness helped make this festive surprise possible, and we are so grateful for their support.



Farewell to Miss Orr

This term we say a fond goodbye to Miss Orr, who has been part of our school family for the past 9 years. She has made a wonderful contribution to the children's learning and to our community over the years. We thank her for her dedication and care, and wish her every success in the future.

We are
**child
friendly
Leeds**

presents your 2025...



CFL blog...

Scan the qr code to
view the details and
the link to book on.



Winter Guide

to free/low cost* activities
happening across Leeds



-  Nov - **Temple Newsam Farm Festive Trail**
4 Jan Explore the festive trail around Home Farm. Book additional experiences including Father Christmas, story sessions & craft workshops.*
-  2 Dec - **12 Days of Elfmas Trail - Leeds City Museum**
- 4 Jan Wander through the museum to find Christmas surprises with unique elf characters.
-  6 Dec - **Christmas at Kirkgate Market**
23 Dec Enjoy festive markets, musical performances, panto shows, and free Santa meet and greets.
-  6 Dec - **Fidget Theatre - The Elves & the Storyteller**
31 Dec Leeds Central Library invite you to A Pay-What-You-Decide playful storytelling, original songs, friendly audience participation.
-  6 Dec - **Starry Winter Trail at Kirkstall Abbey**
24 Dec Discover the Abbey Ruins with our magical trail and see if you can spot all the stars.
-  20 Dec **A Very Pom Pom Christmas**
- 4 Jan Join us for festive crafts and family films by fairylight at Leeds Industrial Museum.*
-  Nov - **Santa's Grotto & White Rose Ice Rink**
24 Dec Festive meet and greet with Santa, SEN sessions, an outdoor play area & Ice Rink.
-  Nov - **Leeds Christmas Market**
21 Dec Visit Leeds city centre - free to enter but charges apply for food, activities and rides.
-  All Year **Leeds Local Offer - SEND Things to do**
Round Provides information for children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and their parents or carers with information, services and activities that are available including school holiday provision.



Winter Experiences with a cost...



-  Nov - **Leeds Ice Cube, Skating & Christmas Markets**
31 Dec This year Millennium Square & Leeds City Centre features the stunning outdoor ice rink, Christmas market stalls and the popular festive funfair.*
-  Nov - **Northern Lights Leeds at Temple Newsam**
31 Dec Take a 1 mile long walk through 14 illuminated zones with interactive elements and immersive soundtracks completed by a Christmas Village.*
-  Nov - **The Christmas Experience at Lotherton**
4 Jan Breeze Leeds opens Lotherton's enchanting halls, grounds and gardens with twinkling light displays and interactive installations and a visit to Santa.
-  Nov - **Pantomimes and Festive Shows in Leeds 2025**
11 Jan Visit a panto, Christmas carol concert, theatre productions or a magic show? From Sleeping Beauty to Aladdin, there is something for everyone.*

Sign up for free to Healthy Holidays Leeds!

School-aged children and young people eligible for income-related free school meals can take part in amazing, FREE activities and holiday clubs - with a healthy meal over holiday periods.

Mumber's Guide
to Festive Events.
Winter Walks &
More...



 **Leeds**
CITY COUNCIL

**MICKLEFIELD
SCHOOL
COLLECTIVE**



Friday 23rd January 2026

**Hot Chocolate in the
playground
3pm**



All proceeds go towards the
school trim trail
our aim is to raise £5000 by
September 2026

So come along and grab a
hot chocolate and a cake to
help support our school

CASH ONLY

Christmas at St Mary the Virgin, Micklefield



We invite everyone to join us

Sunday

December 14th

10:30am

All Age Worship

5:00pm

Carols by Candlelight
Followed by mice pies
& Christmas raffle

COMMUNITY CAROL SINGING

Wednesday 17th

5:45 - 6:30

- Old Fire station Garden Village

Thursday 18th

5:45 - 6:30

- Churchville house

everyone welcome - hot drinks and a mince will be provided



Sunday

December 21st

10:30am

Christingle Eucharist

Make your own Christingle

Christmas Eve

4:00pm

Crib Service

See additional details on poster

11:15pm

Midnight Mass with Carols



Star of The Week



Lilah	For being a kind and trusted friend.
Oliver	For being a trustworthy friend.
Lily H	For being a kind and trustworthy friend.
Ila	For being a kind and caring friend.
Lewis H	For being a kind and caring friend.

Writer of The Week



Oscar
Jack
Mia A
Mia W



Singing Superstar of the Week

Maya - for an amazing solo performance.





Times Tables



Watch this space for more badges in the new year!



Dojo Certificates



100 - Cruz, Tamar, Oliver, Emie, Albie

150 - Grayson, Harley, Dollie

200 - Floriana, Sienna H, Lily H, Lewis F, Frankie, Bella S-G

250 - Robin M, Esther, Hunter Be

350 - Kian

Reading Raffle Winners

Lewis H, Ila, Elsa, Bertie

