



Rice Lane Primary School and Nursery



October 2025

"We are respectful, resilient and together we achieve"

November Key Dates

Monday 3rd—Children return to school
Tuesday 4th—Individual photos
Tuesday 4th—Parents afternoon
Wednesday 5th—Nursery and sibling photos
Wednesday 5th—Parents afternoon
Friday 7th—Year 6 girls football cup
Tuesday 11th—Remembrance day
Tuesday 11th—Oak cinema trip
Wednesday 12th—Year 3 cinema trip
Friday 14th—Year 6 boys football cup
Friday 14th—Year 6 cinema trip
W.C 17th—Road safety week
Monday 17th—Year 3/4 sports hall athletics
Wednesday 19th—Year 1 cinema trip
Thursday 20th—Flu vaccinations
Friday 21st—Year 5/6 ski group Chill Factore Trip
Tuesday 25th—Outside curriculum coffee morning—9.15am
Tuesday 25th—Year 2 cinema trip
Wednesday 26th—Year 2 cinema trip
Friday 28th—Own clothes day for Enterprise funday donations
Friday 28th—Christmas bingo

Spooky Season

Thank you to one of our parents for donating this enormous pumpkin to school!



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Year 3/4 Barnstondale Trip
Monday 6th October – Wednesday 8th October

Year 3 and 4 had lots of fun on their residential trip to Barnstondale. Children enjoyed a range of activities from archery, rock climbing, shooting range, night line, survival skills, etc.



Nursery Stay and Play
Tuesday 7th and Thursday 9th October

On Tuesday 7th October and Thursday 9th October, our nursery parents/carers were invited to a stay and play session with their children. It was lovely to have you all and watch you engage with your children in our Nursery environment.

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Y5 Martin Mere Trip

Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th October

Year 5 really enjoyed their trip to Martin Mere as part of their History curriculum. They dove into the world of the Anglo Saxons and Vikings and took part in four hands-on activities that brought the past to life:

- Foraging
- Thatching
- Weapons Training
- Using the willow tree

They had an amazing day, full of learning, creativity and muddy boots.



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Poppy making family workshop – Thursday 16th October

On Thursday 16th October we offered a poppy making family workshop for St Luke's Church (the bombed out church) for their remembrance display. The poppies were made out of empty fizzy drinks bottles.



Sports Superstars

We would love to celebrate all of our pupils super achievements outside of school and how incredibly proud we are!

Well done to I.R.E and I.T who represented their dance school in the North Yorkshire dance competition. They done amazing, danced beautifully and even came away with lots of trophies and medals! Keep up the amazing work!



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Rice Lane Instagram

We are pleased to let you know that we now have official school Instagram accounts. Our whole school Instagram will be used to share important updates, such as key dates, reminders, and information about school life.

For safeguarding reasons, no photographs of children will be shared on this account. Each class will continue to share examples of children's work on their class pages, which are closed accounts.

Whole School: @ricelaneprimaryschool

Nursery: @nurseryricelane

Reception: @receptionricelane

Year 1: @year1ricelane

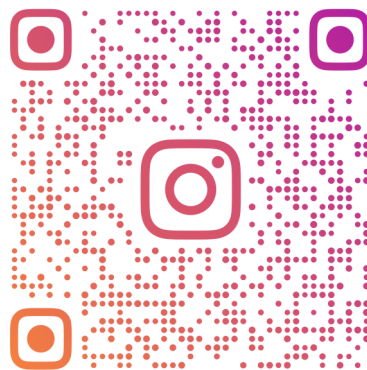
Year 2: @year2ricelane

Year 3: @year3ricelane

Year 4: @year4ricelane

Year 5: @year5ricelane

Year 6: @year6ricelane



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ONLINE SAFETY NEWSLETTER

CREATING STRONG PASSWORDS – TIPS AND FUN ACTIVITIES- PART II

ISSUE 13

STRENGTHENING YOUR PASSWORD

Many websites now require complex passwords, it's not just about meeting requirements - it's about creating combinations that are hard to crack and easy to remember.

One effective way to build strong passwords is to use a 'passphrase.' This could be a short sentence or set of random but memorable words (e.g. **Monkey!Tree7Rain**) that you and your child can easily recall. Avoid obvious choices like pet names or birthdays which are easy for others to guess. The more unique and unexpected your phrase, the stronger it will be.

Teaching children early how to think about strong passwords will help build lifelong online safety habits.



MORE TOP TIPS!

1. **Avoid predictable patterns** – Passwords like 123456, password, or qwerty are among the first guesses hackers might try. Even replacing letters with numbers (like Pa55word) is now too predictable.
2. **Mix unrelated words** – Choose three or four unrelated words, then add in symbols or numbers. For example: Tiger#Bubble3Socks. These are harder to guess than common phrases.
3. **Don't reuse passwords** – Using the same password across multiple sites means if one gets hacked, all your accounts are at risk. Try to use different ones for each account and keep a secure list (or use a password manager).

3 PASSWORD RULES FOR CHILDREN:

Keep it Secret – Never share your password with friends or classmates.

Make it Strong – Use at least 12 characters with a mixture of letters, numbers, and symbols.

One Password per Place – Every account should have its own unique password.

CHECK MY PASSWORD

Once you have a password that you think is secure, you can use the website linked through the QR Code below to check how secure it is. The more secure it is, the longer it would take to 'crack your password'.

Scan the QR Code to check now:



PLENTY OF SPACES

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AGES 5-14

27TH-31ST OCTOBER
9AM - 3PM
MONDAY TO FRIDAY

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SATURDAY SKILLS ACADEMY

All coaches are FA Qualified and DBS Checked, No need to book online just come along on the day.

Boys And Girls Of All Abilities
Toddlers Ages 3-5 - 09:15 - 10:15
Mids 5-9 & Olders 10-14 - 10:30 - 12:00

At Activity For All in Bootle, we provide structured Saturday morning football sessions for children aged 3-14, designed to develop skills, fitness, and confidence in a supportive environment. Led by experienced coaches, our programmes focus on building strong fundamentals, encouraging teamwork, and creating an enjoyable pathway for every ability level, from beginners to more experienced young players.

Max Group Size -
Tots = 16 Children
Mids = 20 Children
Olders = 20 Children

Plenty Of Spaces Available!

£7 Per Child/£20 Per Month
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BRINGING FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES TOGETHER THROUGH SPORT

About Our Programmes !

Our programmes are designed to support children of all ages in staying active, healthy, and confident. With after-school clubs, Saturday coaching sessions, and holiday camps, we provide structured opportunities for kids to enjoy sport in a safe, welcoming environment.

- Half-Term Camps - Ages 5-12 - £20 per day/£60 per week.
- Saturday Academy - Tots aged 3-5 - 09:15-10:15 - Olders aged 5-12 - 10:30-12:00 - £7 per session/£20 per month.
- After School Clubs - Ages 8-14 - £5 per day/£20 per week.

What We Offer !

Half-Term Camps ◀
Keep the kids active and entertained during the school holidays with our fun-packed football and multi-sport camps!

Saturday Academy ◀
Our weekend football coaching runs every Saturday morning for children aged 3-12, helping them build skills, grow confidence, and make new friends.

After School Clubs ◀
Join our weekday football and multi-sport sessions. A great way for kids to stay active and burn off energy after school, Monday to Friday 4-5pm.

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