



Rice Lane Primary School and Nursery



Friday 5th December
2025

"We are respectful, resilient and together we achieve"

Monday 8th December

Year 1 Christmas Nativity—9.30am and 2.30pm

Sign up for tickets is available via Arbor school shop. A maximum of 2 adults, per child, may attend.

Tuesday 9th December

Year 2 Christmas Nativity—9.30am and 2.30pm

Sign up for tickets is available via Arbor school shop. A maximum of 2 adults, per child, may attend.

Wednesday 10th December

Christmas Lunch and Jumper Day

Christmas Lunch will cost £2.20. Children can order this on Wednesday morning whilst their dinner register is being taken. Children are also welcome to come into school wearing Christmas jumpers (over their uniform) for some festive fun!

Wednesday 10th December

Reception Christmas Nativity—9.30am and 2.30pm

Sign up for tickets is available via Arbor school shop. A maximum of 2 adults, per child, may attend.

Thursday 11th December

Year 3 Christmas Nativity—9.30am and 2.30pm

Sign up for tickets is available via Arbor school shop. A maximum of 2 adults, per child, may attend.

Thursday 11th December

PTA Christmas Bingo

Please see poster to the right.

Friday 12th December

Year 4 Christmas Nativity—9.30am and 2.30pm

Sign up for tickets is available via Arbor school shop. A maximum of 2 adults, per child, may attend.



Weekly Attendance

Class	Attendance	Minutes Late	Class	Attendance	Minutes Late
Rose	93.3%	229 Minutes	4BC	95.9%	301 Minutes
Daffodil	91.7%	76 Minutes	4H	93.1%	520 Minutes
Sunflower	79.6%	580 Minutes	4P	87.2%	250 Minutes
1T	93.3%	244 Minutes	5S	92.3%	480 Minutes
1W	86.3%	503 Minutes	5C	95.4%	269 Minutes
1MW	92.2%	225 Minutes	5H	90%	612 Minutes
2Q	94%	441 Minutes	6K	95.9%	319 Minutes
2L	96%	443 Minutes	6O	89.6%	124 Minutes
2S	88.7%	679 Minutes	6G	94.1%	151 Minutes
3C	85.5%	315 Minutes	Nursery MTW	71.4%	381 Minutes
3M	91.2%	557 Minutes	Nursery WTF	58.3%	98 Minutes
3D	91.7%	98 Minutes	Nursery 30hrs	86.2%	419 Minutes
Acorn	85%	427 Minutes	Academic Year to date	93.7%	
Oak	96.1%	199 Minutes	Week ending 05.12.25	90.7%	

What Does Good Attendance Look Like?

Every Day Counts		
100%	0 days missed	Excellent
99%	2 days/ 10 lessons missed	Very Good
97%	1 week/ 25 lessons missed	Good
95%	2 weeks/ 50 lessons missed	Beginning to make it hard to make progress - Early Intervention - FPN - Pattern Spotting
94%-91%	11-17 days/ 55-85 lessons missed	Cause for concern - Early Intervention - FPN - Pattern Spotting
90%	4 weeks/ 100 lessons missed	Persistently Absent - Additional targeted support
80%	7.5 weeks/ 180 lessons missed	This much absence over 5 years equates to 1 full year missed
50%	19 weeks/ 485 lessons missed	Severely Absent Work with LA – intensify support

100 Paw-Cent Winner

EYFS/KS1	2L
Lower KS2	4BC
Upper KS2	6K

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Extra Curricular Clubs

Clubs will start week commencing Monday 3rd November and will run until the week ending Friday 12th December (unless stated otherwise). Clubs will run from 3.15pm to 4.15pm and collection will be from the Brockenhurst Road entrance.

Day	Club	Teacher
Monday	KS2 BSL (return sign-ers from Autumn 1)	Mrs Saunderson
	Year 3/4 Bench Ball	Miss Aucutt
	Year 5 Ukelele	Mr Smith
Tuesday	Year 5/6 Choir	Mrs Blain
Thursday	Year 5/6 Girls Football	Mr Quirk
	KS2 French Choir	Mrs Davy

Year 6 boys football club and Year 5 boys football club has now finished for Autumn term 2.



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CHRISTMAS EVENTS

FRIDAY 28TH NOVEMBER
 OWN CLOTHES DAY FOR CHOCOLATE DONATIONS FOR PTA BINGO

WEDNESDAY 3RD DECEMBER
 NURSERY NATIVITY - 10.00AM & 2.30PM

THURSDAY 4TH DECEMBER
 REINDEERS AND MRS CLAU

FRIDAY 5TH DECEMBER
 ENTERPRISE FUNDAY
 REINDEERS AND MRS CLAU

MONDAY 8TH DECEMBER
 YEAR 1 NATIVITY - 9.30AM & 2.30PM

TUESDAY 9TH DECEMBER
 YEAR 2 NATIVITY - 9.30AM & 2.30PM

WEDNESDAY 10TH DECEMBER
 CHRISTMAS JUMPER AND LUNCH DAY
 RECEPTION NATIVITY - 9.30AM & 2.30PM

THURSDAY 11TH DECEMBER
 YEAR 3 NATIVITY - 9.30AM & 2.30PM
 PTA CHRISTMAS BINGO

FRIDAY 12TH DECEMBER
 YEAR 4 NATIVITY - 9.30AM & 2.30PM

TUESDAY 16TH DECEMBER
 YEAR 5/6 NATIVITY - 9.30AM

WEDNESDAY 17TH DECEMBER
 SANTA DASH

THURSDAY 18TH DECEMBER
 Y5/6 NATIVITY - 1.30PM

CHRISTMAS JUMPERS WILL BE WORN OVER SCHOOL UNIFORM, FOR EACH NATIVITY.
 TICKETS FOR THE NATIVITIES ARE LIMITED TO TWO PER CHILD. TICKETS CAN BE BOOKED ON ARBOR, SCHOOL SHOP, FOR ONE EVENT ONLY, FROM 18.00 ON MONDAY 24TH NOVEMBER.

Winter HAF Programme

<https://ricelanepprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/12/Winter-HAF-email.pdf>

PE Timetable – Autumn Term 2

Children may come into school wearing their school PE kits on the days they have PE. Children **should not** wear football kits or other sports wear for PE.

Swimming kit is swimming costume/swim shorts/trunks (no bikinis), swim cap, goggles and a towel. On swimming days children may come into school in their school PE kit. Please provide the swimming kit in a waterproof or plastic bag.

Year 5 swimming will start on Tuesday 9th September 2025.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 1	Year 2	Reception	Year 2	Acorn
Year 6	Year 4	Year 1	Year 4	Oak
	Year 5 swimming	Year 3	Year 5	Year 3
				Year 6

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Liverpool's libraries are offering free books to young children this Christmas as part of a wider programme of festive events. Any child under the age of 5, who joins the library between 1st December and Christmas Eve, will receive a free book bag containing a specially chosen book. More information on opening times can be found here: <https://liverpool.gov.uk/libraries/branch-libraries/>

Liverpool Central Library Free Events:

Story Time—Term Time Discover

Every Tuesday from 12pm to 12.30pm

Ho Ho Ho! - Christmas Crafts for Kids

Every Thursday from 27th November until 18th December, from 12pm to 1pm

A Christmas Carol

Saturday 6th December at 1pm

Matilda Chair

Available until January 2026 at any time during the library opening hours

For more information on Liverpool Libraries see: <https://liverpool.gov.uk/libraries/>

Easy Fundraising

Our school is excited to grow our outdoor play opportunities through the OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) program, but we need your support to make it happen. OPAL has already transformed the way our children explore, create and learn together—but to continue building a truly inspiring play environment.

Every time you shop online, whether it's for groceries, gifts, clothes, or even booking a holiday, 8,000+ retailers like Tesco, M&S, John Lewis, eBay, Argos and many more, will donate to us for FREE through easyfundraising!

Just sign up using the below link or the QR code to the right.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/rice-lane-primary-school-and-nursery>



Autumn Term planner can be found on our website at the following link:

<https://i0.wp.com/ricelaneprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/Autumn-Planner-Parents-2025-26.png?ssl=1>

Term dates for academic year 2025/2026 can be found on our website at the following link:

<https://ricelaneprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/Term-dates-2025-2026.pdf>

The Autumn Term 2 menu can be found on our website at the following link:

<https://ricelaneprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/10/Autumn-2-menu-2025.pdf>

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