

# Newsletter

6th September 2024



## Message from the Headteacher

Dear Taywood Families,

It has been a wonderful start to the new school year and our children have settled in so well. We have welcomed new children and families to Taywood and all of the staff are enjoying getting to know our new starters.

### Willow Star of the Week



It was difficult to choose one child this week, but Miss Wood and Miss Crossley feel that Aurora has settled in very well to her new room and is joining in well with group time. Well done Aurora!

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## Upcoming Dates

September: Week beginning 23rd  
September- Orchard parent and child sessions.

October: 21st to 25th October- School and Seedlings closed for half-term.  
28th October- Closed for staff training.

29th October- School and Seedlings open

## Extended Services

Mrs Farr is our Extended Services Co-Ordinator and can be contacted at [c.farr@taywood.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:c.farr@taywood.lancs.sch.uk)

The children have enjoyed our new areas in the Rainbow room.



# Our Learning



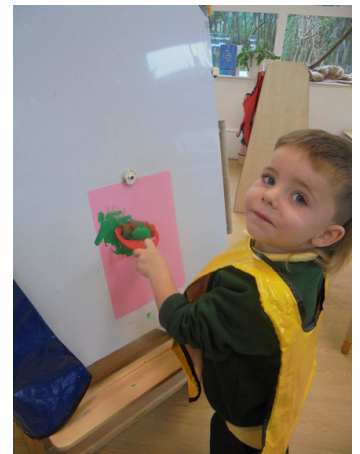
## Seedlings

We have been exploring our new sandpit, enjoying building sandcastles and digging with the diggers.



## Orchard

We have have enjoyed exploring our new provision and learning in our new Key Person groups.



## Willow

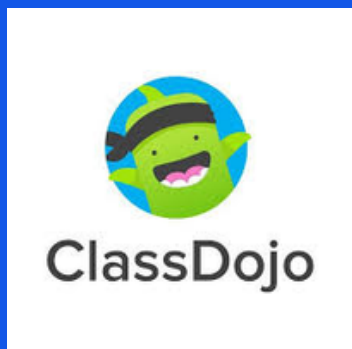
We have been developing our fine motor skills and mark making with clay, using different tools. In PE, we have been learning to balance on one leg.



# Nursery Messages



## Class Dojo



Some of you who have children in primary school may be aware of Class Dojo. From next week, we will invite parents to sign up to Class Dojo. This is a communication app, where staff can send messages and photos directly to you, but more importantly, you can message back! School Spider will still be used by the office, booking parent and for reporting absences.

## Parent Governor

We have a vacancy for a parent governor. If you would like to ask any questions, please email, phone, or call in to speak with me and I would be happy to talk with you.

## Family Photos

Our topic this half-term is linked to ourselves and our families. Please could you email any family photos to your child's class for our learning next week. The half-termly overviews will be shared next week.

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