

Arrow Valley First School Newsletter : September 2025

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Arrow Valley's youngest recruits!



Welcome to our Early Years Pupils!

Hello Nursery and Reception children! We are so pleased to have you here at our lovely school! There's always lots of fun things to do! We work hard to help you learn to read and write and extend your vocabulary. You will learn to play and make lots of friends! Your teachers will support you and care for you.

Key stage 1 - our budding Scientists!

Year 1 are learning all about seasons, and what a wonderful season Autumn is. They've manipulated natural materials to produce the most wonderful pieces of art work! Great job!



Year 2 have been learning how to classify animals in Science. They are really enjoying finding out all about mammals, birds and reptiles. Look at the collaborative work! We are so proud of you Year 2!

Key Stage 2 are getting creative!



Year 3:

Year 3 are being Anthropologists, learning all about rocks, soils and the odd fossil! They are also producing wonderful creative spooky settings in their writing lessons ready for Halloween!

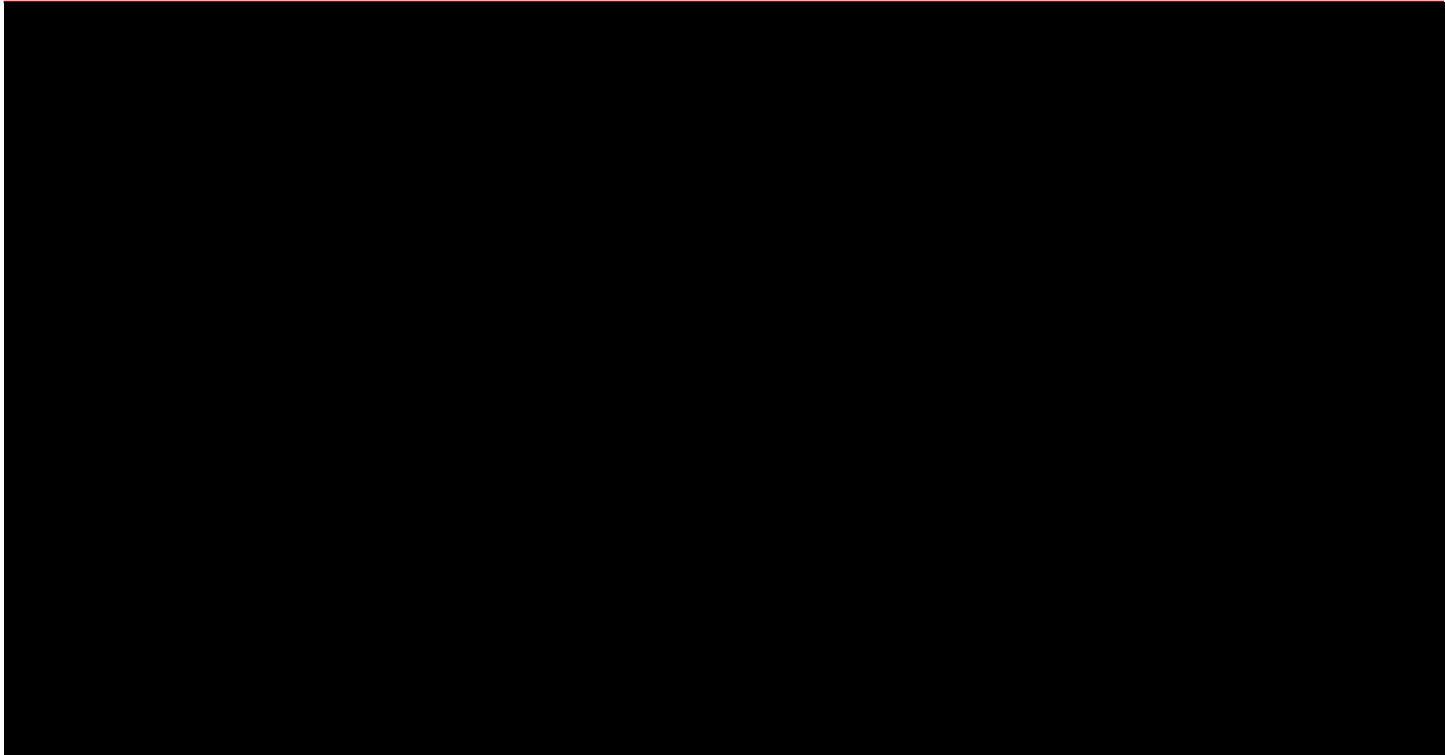


Year 4:

Year 4 are thinking about perspective in drawing and creating still life pictures. It's trickier than it looks and takes time, patience and skill! I can't wait to see the finished products!



Welcome to Arrow Valley Reception.



Welcome Reception to Arrow Valley, I'm sure you will love your learning journey here with us!

Dates for your diaries!

Attendance Matters!

Please make sure that you are refraining from booking holidays during school time. We have had a lot of requests lately. Unfortunately, we cannot authorise holidays and it is damaging to children's education. The children are expected to change phonic groups every 6 weeks so if they are away for a week or two they will fall behind. The pace of education now means that every day really does count. Thank you for your support in advance!
