

STRONG CLOSE

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End of Term, Fun and Farewells



This week in nursery was our end-of-year picnic, so this is going to be a short blog, as I spent most of the day simply having fun with the children and celebrating a wonderful year together 😊

One of the biggest highlights was bringing along my giant bubbles. The excitement on the children's faces was priceless as they squealed with delight, chasing the bubbles around the playground. My biggest challenge was trying to get the bubbles out of the bubble wand before eager little hands caught them and they popped! There was so much laughter, energy and joy.

I also wore my Liquorice Allsorts costume. After performing as a giant cake at Pontefract Liquorice Festival over the weekend, it inspired me to dust off another of my sweet themed costumes. The colourful sweet on my head certainly caught the children's attention! It was lovely welcoming the

children and their families dressed up, and as always, the children came out with some brilliant comments. One asked, "Have you got high shoes on?" while another called over the fence, "Are you standing on a rooftop?" I absolutely love the way children see the world and the wonderful imaginations they have.



As this school year comes to an end, I just want to say what a privilege it has been to spend time creating with such a fantastic group of children. Watching their confidence, creativity and individuality grow has been a real joy. I hope they continue to draw, paint, explore and never lose their curiosity or love of making things.

To all the children moving on to big school, I wish you every happiness and success on your exciting new adventure. Be brave, keep asking questions, keep creating, and most of all, keep being yourselves.

I am already looking forward to returning next term to create with the younger children and to seeing more little artists discover the joy of making, painting and exploring together.

Thank you to all the wonderful staff and families for making me feel so welcome throughout the year. Have a fantastic summer holiday, everyone, and let's hope we all enjoy plenty of sunshine on the English Riviera!

Rachel x 🍷 🕶️

