



Westleigh Methodist Primary School Newsletter



Next week



Monday 23.6.25 Year 3 swimming

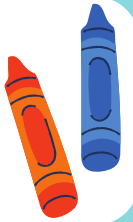
Tuesday 24.6.25 BIRD Phonics 8.30am
Y1, 2 and 3 Sports Day 9.30am
Y4, 5 and 6 Sports Day 1.30pm

Wednesday 25.6.25 BIRD Phonics 8.30am

Thursday 26.6.25 BIRD Phonics 8.30am
Y3 visit to Liverpool
Y6 visit to Liverpool
The Big Sing visit - small group
of pupils from Y4 and Y5
Choir Club 3.30pm -
CANCELLED
Y2, 3 and 4 Art Club 3.30pm



Mon 26th June 2025



A note from Mrs Boardman...

Sports Day

Next Tuesday, we will hold our Sports Day for children from Y1 to Y6. Year 1, 2 and 3's session will take place at 9.30am and Year 4, 5 and 6 will begin at 1.30pm. We will be using Westleigh High School's playing field and so we will meet families just prior to starting in the high school car park (next to our school).

The children will sit on one side of the track and families on the other. To keep everyone safe, children will stay with their class teacher and will not come over onto the other side of the track.

Thank you for your understanding.

New Ethos Committee Members

Meet our new Ethos members for September. We are lucky to have you join the team!



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'Do All You Can' Golden Broom Award

Winner: Nursery

Well done for keeping your classroom tidy. Keep up the good work!





Good Work Awards



A highlight of my week is celebrating children's learning and their fantastic effort with them. Well done to Aksa from Y3 this week for amazing reading at home!

Year 2 - Learning Signing Through Music



If you get a spare minute, please check out this clip of Year 2! I was close to tears watching them sign an inspirational piece of music. We love inclusivity!

Kindness Awards



This week, we have celebrated the kindness of Lilly May from Year 4. She was nominated by Mrs Coleman who praised her for supporting a Year 1 child as they came into school. Well done, Lilly May.



Mrs Boardman's Award



James, in Year 6, has been awarded my special award this week. He was the first child to take home the Prayer Bear and Prayer Journal. He wrote out a special prayer. Thank you James.



Attendance

Attendance	Y4
Punctuality	Y4



Well done to Y4 this week for winning both the attendance and punctuality award.

This table shows the weekly and yearly to date attendance, alongside how many missed sessions this equals. 1 day = 2 sessions

Year group(s)	Weekly %	Weekly Sessions missed	YTD %	YTD sessions missed
Reception	92.8%	15	92%	516
Year 1	94.7%	16	91.9%	737
Year 2	92.9%	17	90.1%	822
Year 3	97.3%	8	95.5%	404
Year 4	99%	2	96.1%	366
Year 5	94.8%	15	93.3%	615
Year 6	96.5%	11	96%	399



Safeguarding Our Children



Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service have a fantastic website called 'Safe for Summer'.

<https://www.manchesterfire.gov.uk/your-safety/campaigns/safe4summer/>

It has great advice for families including how to keep safe around water over the summer.

FIND OUT WHAT ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS ARE HAPPENING IN YOUR LOCAL AREA



Safe4Summer activities 2025
Find out about activities in your area.

safe4summer.com
Look after yourself and each other



Toolkit, downloads and education resources
Support our campaign by using the resources.



Deliberate fires
Find out about the consequences of deliberately setting fires.



Water safety
Information on how to stay safe around water this summer.



Anti-social behaviour
Find out more about ASB and the consequences.

Looking Up, Looking Out and Looking In

We have introduced a new way of talking about spirituality in school. We are using the language of:

- Looking up to God and the beauty of the world



- Looking out towards others



- Looking in towards ourselves.



We are deliberately simplifying the words we use to allow all children to be able to access it and understand the concepts.

An Amazing Author Visit to School

This week, we were lucky enough to receive a visit from the wonderful author Kate Pankhurst. Kate talked to us about her book series and shared where she found her inspiration from her ancestor Emmeline Pankhurst! Kate showed the children how she creates her illustrations before the children then had a go at creating their own. The pupils then had a workshop where they explored more creations and took part in a question and answer session. It was amazing to hear about her journey and she inspired a few budding writers at Westleigh.



Christian Values

Champion

This Week's Awards

Star of the Week



Year 6 Keira	Year 6 Willow
Year 5 Paulina	Year 5 Stephen
Year 4 Milo	Year 4 Scarlett
Year 3 Vasilesa	Year 3 Max
Year 2 Kaleb	Year 2 Arnie
Year 1 Gracie Mae	Year 1 Archie
Reception Fiyin	Reception Ezra
Nursery Samuel	Nursery Lucas



Each week we have a different focus for our Epworth Worship.

A film is shared between our family of Trust schools - a different film being produced each week by a different school. It is lovely to see the children of our Trust taking a lead in a different aspect of worship.

This week, Leyland had a focus on Refugee Week. We worked together in class to think about how we could help someone new in our neighbourhood or someone new to your school.

We also thought about using some different languages to help others feel welcome at school. This is when Year 2 came up with signing a song to make a child in class feel included. Well done, Year 2!



Westleigh Worship

In this week's whole school worship, we focused on compassion and the bible story from Matthew 20:29 - 34. As Jesus and his disciples were leaving Jericho, a large crowd followed him. Two blind men were sitting by the roadside, and when they heard that Jesus was going by, they shouted, "Lord, Son of David, have mercy on us!" The crowd rebuked them and told them to be quiet, but they shouted all the louder.

Jesus stopped and called them. "What do you want me to do for you?" he asked.

"Lord," they answered, "we want our sight." Jesus had compassion on them and touched their eyes. Immediately they received their sight and followed him.



Visit Our Social Media Pages



Please see your child's social media page to see all the amazing work that is happening each week. We are using our pages to highlight the incredible curriculum opportunities that our children receive at Westleigh Methodist Primary School.

Westleigh Primary School @WLMPrimary

Nursery @WLMNursery

Reception @ReceptionWLM

Year 1 @WLMYear1

Year 2 @WLMYear2

Year 3 @WLMYear3

Year 4 @WLMYear4

Year 5 @WLMYear5

Year 6 @WLMYear6