



# Westleigh Methodist Primary School Newsletter



## Next week



Monday 20.10.25 Creative Writing Club

Tuesday 21.10.25

Wednesday 22.10.25 NO Choir Club - cancelled  
3.30pm NO Dance Club - cancelled  
School closes for half term.

Monday 3.11.25 Return to school after half  
8.50am term.

## Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2025



### A note from Mrs Boardman...

This week, Westleigh Methodist were visited by Rock Steady who put on a fabulous assembly and workshops. In the assembly, Jacob talked about the different instruments that they have available so we can learn to be part of our own school rock band! The teachers and pupils had the chance to perform as a rock band on stage and had lots of fun. If your child wishes to learn an instrument in a rock band, please follow the links on the information letter that was sent home. There are only 45 spaces available on a first come, first serve basis so sign up quickly before they run out.



### Contacting School

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[enquiries@wlm.epworthtrust.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@wlm.epworthtrust.org.uk)

### 'Do All You Can' Golden Broom Award

Winner: Year 5

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





## Good Work Awards



Having a great work ethic, enthusiasm in lessons and producing high quality pieces of work is rewarded at Westleigh Methodist. This week we celebrate...

- Milo from Year 5 shared his fantastic History work on the Vikings. He used subheadings, paragraphs, labels and detailed shading of sketches of artefacts. His presentation was impeccable.
- Jeffrey was so proud of his brilliant equivalent fraction work in Maths. I was so proud of how he was able to talk about his understanding too.

Well done to both of these boys!

## Mrs Boardman's Award



Each week I look for children who have made a special contribution to school life or have been singled out for something special.

This week, I want to celebrate Avery in Reception for her resilience and desire to learn. She returned to school after an appointment showing a love of learning. Well done, Avery - you will go far!



## Attendance

Well done to Year 4 for winning Attendance Ted with a fantastic 98% attendance rate this week.

Congratulations to Year 5 for the best punctuality this week too.

They are all a HERO!

Attendance	Year 4 98%
Punctuality	Year 5



Reception C...	96.21%
Year 1	91.33%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	91.03%
Year 4	98%
Year 5	97.67%
Year 6	97.33%



## Safeguarding Our Children



The NSPCC have visited this week to deliver workshops about speaking out to stay safe. They discussed different types of abuse and how and who to report to in order to keep themselves safe. They shared some age-related scenarios and the pupils voted on how they thought it should be dealt with. They also discussed why it was important to speak to a trusted adult to share any concerns or worries they may have. This links to our PSHE curriculum and previous speak out to stay safe assembly.

## Kindness Awards



Kindness is so important to us at Westleigh Methodist. We are celebrating the kindness of:

- Raheli, Finley and Mercy for picking up rubbish and looking after our school environment
- Ralph for being kind to a friend and supporting them as they came in the building.

## History Alive Year 3 and 4

This week, we were transported back in time thanks to two fantastic visits from History Alive! Year 3 had an amazing time learning all about the Stone Age, Bronze Age, and Iron Age. They explored fascinating tools, artefacts, and costumes, and even built their own Stone Age shelters! Year 4 enjoyed discovering the Roman way of life. The children were captivated by the chance to handle Roman artefacts and learn many interesting facts about this incredible period in history.



## Sharing Medical Information with School

To help us keep every child safe and well, we're updating our school medical records. Please take a few minutes to complete our Medical Information Update Form using the link below.

### Update Medical Information

We need to know about:

- Asthma inhalers or prescribed medicines
- Allergies or medical conditions
- Any recent changes to your child's health

Having accurate information helps staff respond quickly in emergencies and provide the right support day to day.

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Christian Values  
Champion

## This Week's Awards

Star of the Week



Year 6 Lainey-Mae	Year 6 Grace
Year 5 Eli	Year 5 Zara
Year 4 Samuel	Year 4 David
Year 3 Minnie	Year 3 Melissa
Year 2 Kayden	Year 2 Rocky
Year 1 Janae	Year 1 Aria
Reception Ruby	Reception Lennon
Nursery Amber	Nursery Isobelle



## Westleigh Worship

This week, our school came together to look at creativity and spirituality. We looked at an image of the word Creativity and a collection of shoes, thinking about how shoes were first invented and what it means to be creative.

We watched a short video about a king from long ago, which showed how thinking in new ways can solve problems. Afterwards, we talked about times when we have used our creativity—by sharing ideas, working together, or finding new solutions. We ended with a reflection and prayer, thanking God for our creative minds and asking for help to use our ideas to make a difference.



## Epworth Worship Together

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.

Children painted and drew how they felt during prayer, using colours and symbols to express joy, peace, and gratitude.

Through music exploration, they created rhythms and short “prayer songs,” discovering how music helped them feel closer to God. Children retold Bible stories through drawings, comics, and short plays, sharing their own understanding of God’s message.



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

## HH Kids

On Tuesday 14th October, Year 5 took part in a “Preparing for Puberty” session led by HH Kids. The boys and girls had separate, age-appropriate lessons to help them understand the changes that come with puberty. The session was fun, interactive, and aligned with our PSHE curriculum.

