



Westleigh Methodist Primary School Newsletter



Next week



Monday- SAT club (Y6)

Board games club (Y3-6)

Tuesday- Tag Rugby (Y1-3)

Wednesday- Dr Bike services (Y6)

Thursday- MTC Club (Y4)

Friday- Visit to Bury Fire Station (Y5)

Monday 12th January 2026



Mrs Ganley's highlights!

What an incredible start to my first term at Westleigh Primary.

A huge thank you to all the staff, children and parents for making me feel so welcome. I have seen the vision and values of our school shine through each and everyone this week and I am so proud to be a part of this family.

I was part of the first celebration this week and it was a pleasure to see children rewarded for their excellent achievement and recognised for living out the school vision and values.

I look forward to another fantastic week filled with learning opportunities and enrichment for children to keep growing academically and personally.

Wishing everyone a safe and happy week.
Thank you!



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'Do All You Can' Golden Broom Award

Winner: Year 3

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...

- Zayn from Year 2 for his excellent writing. He wrote a wonderful description of Granny from George's Marvellous Medicine with some amazing adjectives!

Well done Zayn, we are proud of you!



Attendance matters

Well done to Year 5 for winning both Attendance Ted with a fantastic 95.6% attendance rate this week AND the best punctuality this week too. Year 1 got a reward too as they were very close with 95.5!



Attendance	Year 5 95.6%
Punctuality	Year 5

Reception	94%
Year 1	95.5%
Year 2	92.7%
Year 3	89.8%
Year 4	93.3%
Year 5	95.6%
Year 6	93.3%

They are all a HERO!



Children who achieved 100% attendance in Autumn term are proudly wearing their special, metal 'Bronze Award' badges in school this week. Please ensure they wear them every day on their uniform in recognition of this brilliant attendance. Being here every day and being ready on time does improve children's life chances and children that attend less than 96% underperform significantly. Please see the Attendance Newsletter sent last week for tips on how to help your children attend every day.



Safeguarding Our Children

Safeguarding is our priority. To support this, please can ALL parents/carers access ARBOR and check the 'Who Collects Me?' to update the information about who your child can be collected by.

Staff not allow children to go if they are unsure which adult is picking up and ensure this is clarified by the office. The office staff will look on Arbor, so it is essential it is up to date.

Thank you for your understanding and support with this.

Kindness Awards



Kindness is so important to us at Westleigh Methodist. We are celebrating the kindness of Kady and Isabella in Year 2 and Darcie in Year 3.

Well done girls!

'In a world where you can be anything, BE KIND!'

This Week's Awards



Christian Values
Champion

Star of the Week



Year 6 Candy	Year 6 Seanan
Year 5 Vehonga	Year 5 Eri
Year 4 Kolby	Year 4 Jonas
Year 3 Finley	Year 3 Harry
Year 2 Hannah	Year 2 Kay
Year 1 Oakley M	Year 1 Elvin
Reception Amar	Reception Rio





Westleigh Worship

This week, our school came together to look at our school vision and values at the start of the new year. I introduced myself to all of Year 1 to Year 6 and shared a little bit about myself and what is special to me.

We revisited Habits For Learning and rules. It was good to see the children were all aware of why rules are important and the level of expectation we have here at Westleigh Primary.

The children sang beautifully and I look forward to our worships next week.



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.

This week was based on the value of Wisdom. The children drew footsteps on the floor to remind us of the choices we make on life's journey. We remembered that sometimes we have to stop and think carefully about where we go. An important spiritual message for us all.

Explore further at home

At Home Activity:

This week, talk together about what it means to be wise.

Draw a **lightbulb** and write one wise choice you want to make this year (something that helps, not hurts).

Then draw a **footprint** and write one small step you can take to put that wise choice into action.

Wisdom grows when we think carefully and then try our best to act on it.



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.

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Nursery @WLMNursery

Reception @ReceptionWLM

Year 1 @WLMYear1

Year 2 @WLMYear2

Year 3 @WLMYear3

Year 4 @WLMYear4

Year 5 @WLMYear5

Year 6 @WLMYear6