



Westleigh Methodist Primary School Newsletter



Next week



- Monday- Year 5 Brathay
SATs club (Y6)
Phonics Club (Rec)
Parent/Carer meetings (Nursery)
- Tuesday- Year 5 Brathay
Computing Club (Y1-6)
- Wednesday- Year 5 Brathay
- Thursday- Parent/Carer meetings (Rec, Y1, 2, 3, 4 and Y6)
- Friday-

Monday 23rd
March 2026



Mrs Ganley's highlights!



A fabulous week for everyone at Westleigh Methodist!
Year 1 had a class trip at The Hive, they all had a wonderful time and we are so proud of their behaviour. We all promoted Red Nose Day by wearing red on Friday and donations can still be made online by using this link:

[Donate | Comic Relief](#)

There was a sensational Rock Steady concert for some of our talented musicians, we are incredibly proud of your confidence in performing in front of children, staff and parents!

I cannot wait to see what next week brings. We now have an amazing Facebook page so please follow us for news, information, updates and much more!

[Westleigh Methodist Primary School | Leigh | Facebook](#)



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'Do All You Can' Golden Broom Award

Winner: **Nursery**

Miss Hope said she is very happy with how clean and tidy you are leaving your room.

Well done everyone!





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...

Raheli and Taya (Y4) for amazing narratives using their imagination to create their own characters based on the book 'Tear Thief'.

Archie (Y2) for excellent work and knowledge about food chains.

Skyler, Ashley and Leeza (Y2) for some beautiful work about Florence Nightingale.



Attendance matters

Well done to Reception for winning Attendance Ted this week with 97.9% attendance. Special mention to Year 5 and Year 1 who got above 96% which means they can join Reception with an ice-pop treat! Best punctuality this week goes to Year 4. Well done everyone!!!



Attendance	Reception
Punctuality	Y4

Reception	97.9%
Year 1	96.2%
Year 2	95.7%
Year 3	92.3%
Year 4	94.7%
Year 5	97%
Year 6	94%



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.

Safeguarding Our Children



Safeguarding Update

At our school, safeguarding remains our highest priority. We are committed to ensuring that every child feels safe, supported and able to thrive. All staff receive regular safeguarding training and follow national guidance to help protect children and respond quickly to any concerns.

Online Safety Reminder

Many children are accessing games, apps and online platforms at home. Some platforms allow children to communicate with people they do not know and may include in-game purchases or unsuitable content. We encourage parents and carers to regularly check privacy settings, enable parental controls and talk with children about staying safe online.

Working Together

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. If you ever have concerns about the safety or wellbeing of a child, please contact the school and ask to speak to our Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL). If a child is in immediate danger, please contact the emergency services.

Kindness Awards



Kindness is so important to us at Westleigh Methodist.

We are celebrating the kindness of:

Mia (Y1) for being a kind friend to **Gracie-Mae** on the playground
Mr Brocken and Hunter (Y2) for doing 2 jobs for Mrs Clayworth this week.

These are small acts of kindness that mean a lot to others. Thank you!

This Week's Awards



Christian Values
Champion

Star of the Week



Nursery - Tobi	Nursery - Amber
Reception - Ruby	Reception - Andi
Y1 - Rex	Y1 - Amy
Y2 - Holly	Y2 - Draven
Y3 - Charis	Y3 - Soraya
Y4 - Lacey	Y4 - Raheli
Y5 - MiKa	Y5 - Manheer
Y6 - Oliver	Y6 - Lainey-Mae

Class highlights

Year 1 had a fabulous trip to The Hive. They worked together to build dens and looked for mini-beasts. We are so pleased you had such a good day.

The sun shone all day! ☀️





Westleigh Worship

This week, our school came together to look to discuss charity and the important role it plays in society; the impact it has in our world. We shared what charity was and what we may have been involved in as individuals. We watched a short video about Red Nose Day and then reflected by thinking about some questions.

What can we do to help others?

Can you think about a time when you needed support? How did it feel when you got help?

We then said a prayer for those in need and thanked God for all the blessings we have and are extremely thankful for.

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 Creation and Transformation with a focus on the environment.



**WE ARE A
NUT-FREE PRIMARY SCHOOL**



Please ensure that no foods containing nuts are brought into school. This includes items in packed lunches, snacks or classroom treats.




This week's worship song

God is Good

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2HLcNep22EU>



This week's activity

Think about how we can transform the world (or our little corner).

- Recycle
- Walk more than drive
- Plant insect friendly plants
- Litter pick
- What else can you think of?

Explore further at home

God made a wonderful world as our creator. He made us in his image and we can be creators too! What can you create?

- A lego model
- Bake a cake
- Paint or draw a masterpiece
- Plant some bulbs or make an Easter garden

Quote of the week

We are all beautiful creation of God.

Picture of the week



TOGETHER

This week's big idea

Creation and Transformation



Bible verse of the week

Good have all things the Lord made, and all have very good.

Exploring further

What is your favourite part of creation. Maybe it is a rainbow or a waterfall or a mountain? Maybe it is a butterfly or a giraffe or an octopus? Maybe it is the stars on a clear night or a wonderful sunset. The world is a wonderful place and there is so much for us to enjoy! Get outside and explore creation.

Prayer of the week

Dear God,

Thank you for our wonderful world. Thank you for all the beauty and colour in creation. Thank you for the seasons and for the new life we see in Spring. Sorry for the times when we do not respect or look after your creation. Please help those in power to transform our world and take care of all the people in it. Please help us to play our part and to do all we can to care for your creation.