



Wardley CE Primary School

'With God's love we can do all things'

Newsletter

Summer Term 1

May

12.05.25 – TEST WEEK BEGINS for all pupils
12.05.25 – SAT Test Week for Year 6 pupils
12.05.25 – Spelling and Punctuation Paper
13.05.25 – Reading Paper
14.05.25 – Maths Arithmetic and Reasoning Paper
15.05.05 - Maths Reasoning Paper
23.05.25 – School closes for the Whitsun Holiday

June

02.06.25 – School closes INSET Day
03.06.25 – 5 Steps to Well-being Day
03.06.25 – Anxiety Workshop for parents
03.06.25 – School Opens
11.06.25 – 4:30pm -Meeting for Y6 parents regarding the residential trip.
24.06.25 – Athletics Championships at Cleavley's Running Track for Y5/6 pupils 2 – 5pm
25.06.25 – Y4 out at The Lowry for their Ukulele performance
26.06.25 – Y6 Transition Day to high school
27.06.26 – Y6 Transition Day to high school
30.06.25 – Nursery and Reception parent drop in – times will be sent out

16.05.2025

This week has been an assessment week, where children across the school have taken their summer tests. Our Year 6 children have taken their SAT tests and I cannot praise them enough! They have tackled each paper with positivity and enthusiasm and have really done themselves proud.

Those tests have now been sent away to STA and results will be released on 8th July. The children and parents will be informed of their results on that day. Elsewhere, the summer term tests are used to inform teacher assessments as the children as the end of the academic year draws near. These assessments will be shared with parents in their end of year report.

Next week sees Moorside High School coming into school to speak to the Year 6 children who will be transitioning to them in September. Other high schools will be in touch to co-ordinate their meetings over the coming weeks.

Y2 class trip to The Lowry

Our wonderful Year 2 class visited The Lowry on Wednesday where they participated in an art workshop with an artist from the studio. They each created perspective artwork before moving on to create Lowry influenced sketches. They were able to bring their work back to school where a beautiful display has been created outside the Y2 classroom.

The staff at The Lowry have been really complimentary of the children and their behaviours and attitude. They said, "It was a pleasure to have Wardley. Your children and staff made it very easy for me to run the workshop. All of the children were well-mannered and respectful and were a pleasure to meet."

Weekly Updates... Wardley Way Awards

This week saw three children achieving their silver awards. Well done to Reema in Y1, Jude in Y2 and Luna in Y2. We also had Olivia in Y2 who has achieved her gold award.

I look forward to handing out more awards next week.

Reminders from the office ...

- Next week is Week 2 on the lunch menu
- Dinner money next week is £10.50 and is due on Monday morning

Other news

Playground Equipment

Funds raised by our Year 6 Financial Challenge last year have been spent on new playground equipment for children in Y1 – Y6. The Year 6 children have ordered, sorted and distributed the equipment today so that all pupils now have more things to play with during breaktimes.

Bike Shelter

It is absolutely wonderful to see how well-used our bike shelter has become. I think the pleasant weather has encouraged lots of cycling and scooting to school.

Can I please ask that children do not ride their bikes or scooters on the school premises. Instead, they should walk with their bike/scooter up the school pathways. This will avoid any collisions or accidents as we have lots of people onsite during the morning drop off and afternoon pick up. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Our Christian values and thoughtful time

Our children have continued to think about the value of TRUST this week. As it is one of our 5 values within the Wardley Way, we know that we have developed lots of trust in our school and it is something that are proud of.

Teachers have also been looking out for our Jigsaw Stars who have shown that they can demonstrate **respect** towards others. It was a pleasure to see so many of our children standing up in recognition of this. Remain kind and trustworthy students of Wardley; you are an absolute pleasure.

It looks like the sun is continuing to shine over the coming week so please feel free to apply suncream to your child before school. They may also bring in sunhats and sunglasses if they would to wear those during breaktimes.

This half term has been short but very busy. I cannot quite believe that we break up next Friday for the Whitsun half term.

Thank you for all of your continued support and encouragement this half term.

Have a lovely weekend and God Bless.

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