



Wardley CE Primary School

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

Newsletter

Autumn Term Dates

03.10.2025

OCTOBER

06.10.25: Bikeability for Year 5 pupils all week
13.10.25: Mid-term test week for the infant and junior classes.
16.10.25: History Workshops for Yr6 & Yr4
23.10.25 – School Disco: EYFS 2pm-3pm, Yrs1,2 &3 4pm – 5pm, Yrs 4, 5 & 6 5:15pm – 6:15pm
24.10.25: Non-uniform fundraising day for the school fund.
24.10.25: School closes for half-term at 3.15pm.

NOVEMBER

03.11.25: School closed for staff INSET training day.
04.11.25: Pupils back to school on Tuesday 4th November
06.11.25: Ethos Committee Meeting 2:30om
10.11.24: National Anti-Bullying Week: wear odd socks to school
10.11.25: Antibullying Performance from the B Tales KS2 children
10.11.25: Autumn term parents' evening: 3.30 – 6pm.
11.11.25: Remembrance Day Worship in school.
14.11.25: Children In Need fund raising – non-uniform day.
17.11.25: Autumn term parents' evening: 3.30 – 6pm.
24.11.25: Governor visits in school
26.11.25: Y5 class visit to All Saints Church morning service -10am.

What a wet and windy day it has been! Most of our children have managed to get some fresh air today but I'm afraid we have had to have some, 'wet plays'. Despite not having their usual run around, the children have still been extremely engaged today and very settled in class.

I have seen some wonderful persuasive writing in Y4 where they have been writing about keeping themselves online. I also saw Y3 completing some maths calculations, Year 1 learning their phonics and Year 5 learning about magnets in Science.

This morning's Thankful Celebration saw children rewarded for following The Wardley Way with special certificates from their teachers. We also had some children bringing in awards from outside of school including 2 football stars and 2 dance stars. It is always lovely to see what achievements are awarded outside of school so please continue to bring those in.

Mrs Walker

In the classroom this week

Year 6 visited All Saints Church on Wednesday this week where they shared some of our collective worship around the concept, Justice and they re-told the story of Naboth. They also shared some information about Harvest and presented their beautiful Harvest Wreaths which I know will be displayed in the church over the coming weeks. Thank you to the parents and carers who came along to share in the worship.

Weekly Updates...

Salford Food Bank visited school this morning to collect all of your generous donations for Harvest. They were overwhelmed by your generosity and said that we had been the most generous school they had visited all week! They could not believe how much food there was in the school hall and had to fetch extra food crates to put it all in! A huge thank you to all for this beautiful act of kindness.

A reminder about Courageous Advocates

As part of our collective worship programme, we look to give the children an opportunity each half-term to speak up about an issue that they feel passionate about. They can prepare what they want to say at home and then tell the rest of the school about it during our courageous advocates worship. They can do this either in a small group or by themselves. We are always really impressed by what they have to say and the passion they show for the issues that they are talking about. Our first courageous advocates worship is on **16th October**. If any child wants to talk part they should speak to their class teacher or Mrs Walker about it.

Bikeability – Year 5

For those children in Year 5 who have signed up to complete their Bikeability certification next week, can we please remind you that all bikes must be walked into school and not ridden up the pathways. Bikes can be brought in through the playground gates and secured against the far fence with a bike lock. I will be present on Monday morning to guide pupils to the correct location. I know that Miss Woodward has prepared a more detailed letter about the finer details which will be sent out today.

BBC Radio Manchester

It was an absolute pleasure to welcome Joe McGrath, from the breakfast show on BBC Radio Manchester, into school on Monday afternoon. He was delighted with how our pupils responded to him and loved listening to our school song, The Wardley Way. A huge well done to Mrs Prinn and Mr Tinkler who spoke so fondly about our school after more than 60 years combined at this school. And another huge well done to Georgie, Rosebud, Niamh, Seth, Kayal, Finlay and Eleanor who were all absolute super stars. I hope that some of you have managed to catch them speaking on 'Proper Class' each morning this week. They have said that they will send the sound file to me once they have finished so hopefully I will be able to share it on our school, website. I will keep you all updated.

Anthem Music

This afternoon, Anthem music came in to school to perform for our children in Y2 – Y6. They were shown the many instruments that they can teach children how to play whilst giving us a demonstration of how each one sounds. If you would like your child to have additional music lessons through Anthem Music please visit their website at www.anthemtutition.co.uk and click on, 'fill in a form' so sign your child up. Your child should also come home with a leaflet from today's performance.

Reminders from the office

- Next week will be week 1 on the lunch menu.
- Dinner money next week is £10.50 and is due on Monday morning.

Our Christian values and thoughtful time

Collective Worship Theme – Justice

We have continued to look at how justice prevails and how God can guide us in our decision making. This week we read the story of Bartimaeus and how Jesus acknowledged him and did not ignore him as others had done. We reminded ourselves about kindness and how we can support each other when times are challenging or when we don't know what to do. In their Thoughtful Books this week, the children how we can help others feel more included. The children had some lovely ideas such as asking someone if they would like to play, sitting with someone who looks sad and allowing others to join if they ask.

Home Worship Books

We had lots of children bringing in their home worship books to share in school this week. It was lovely to see so many children bringing their books to share with everyone. There were thoughts on lots of different subjects including littering, friendship, The Wardley Way and the Christian value of Justice that we have been looking at in our collective worship this half-term. This week Sammy was given to Lettie in Y4 for her fantastic work about justice – well done Lettie, you get to keep Sammy on your desk all week!

As yet another week draws to an end, can I please thank you for your continued support with school. Have a wonderful weekend and see you all next week.

Mrs Walker