



Winwick CE Primary School News

Our focus value for this half term is...

COMPASSION

Headteacher: Mrs Laura Duckett

Deputy Headteacher: Mr Stuart Nicholls

Assistant Headteacher: Mrs Kelly Mather

Chair of Governors: Mrs J Neal

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Friday 4th October 2024



GIVE HELP

DONATE FOOD

Our foodbank relies on your goodwill and support.

ITEMS WE'RE RUNNING SHORT OF...

TINNED MEAT

UHT SEMI-SKIMMED MILK (GREEN)

LOGLIFE ORANGE JUICE

TINNED SPAGHETTI

TINNED TOMATOES

TINNED PULSES AND VEGETABLES

JAM

TOILETRIES

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

WE COULDN'T DO ANY OF THIS WITHOUT YOU.

This week, we have enjoyed National Poetry Day, with children doing a range of activities to celebrate. Lots of our certificate winners in Celebration Worship received their awards linked to the work that they have done around this too - well done children!

As you know, we have had an issue with the access road gate this week and have sent communication out via School PING as additional precautions are needed at drop-off and pick-up times. Because of this, Mrs Mather led a worship this week linking to road safety and keeping safe when walking to and from school. Please continue to be vigilant when supervising your children at the beginning and end of the school day and—for those older children who walk independently—please make sure you do regular reminders about safety with them too. Thank you for your support with this.

In the last week of the half term, we will be celebrating our Harvest Festival at St Oswald's. Family members are welcome to join us in church on Wednesday 16th October at 9.15am. Rev. Martin will also be supporting us with the service along with children from different year groups being part of the service and everyone learning our Harvest songs to sing and praise too. As part of these Harvest celebrations, we will also be collecting food on behalf of the Warrington Food Bank. If you would like to make a donation, please send items into school between Monday 14th to Wednesday 16th October. If you would like to donate, we have added a list of items they are currently running low on, and you can also find out more information from their website too...<https://warrington.foodbank.org.uk/>

Mrs Duckett and the Winwick Team.

Prayer for the Week...

Thank you, Lord, for the blessings you have bestowed on our lives. You have provided us with more than we could ever have imagined. Help us to support others who may be in need.

Amen

Our School Vision: *'In God's love, aspire and achieve to be the best.'* - Corinthians 16:14



Key SCHOOL DIARY Dates

Key Dates: THIS WEEK...

Wednesday 9th to Friday 11th October: Y4 Crosby Hall Residential



Key Dates: NEXT WEEK...

Monday 14th, Tuesday 15th & Wednesday 16th: Children are invited to bring in a donation for Warrington Food Bank. (Further details to follow via School PING).

Wednesday 16th October: Harvest Festival – Please send in donations for Warrington Food Bank by today. (Further information to follow via School PING closer to the event regarding the Harvest Festival).

Wednesday 16th October: Flu Vaccinations for all pupils – further information to follow.

Friday 18th October: All after school enrichment clubs end for the half term.


Friday 18th October: SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR HALF TERM (3.15pm EYFS/KS1 & 3.20pm KS2)

Key Dates: LOOKING AHEAD...

Monday 28th October: School reopens 8.45am



THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE...

Whole School	96%	Year 3 	99%
Reception	96.2%	Year 4	91.7%
Year 1	93.9%	Year 5	96.7%
Year 2	93.9%	Year 6	96.6%

Headteacher's Award



Reception: Diell H

Year 1: Ada P

Year 2: Oliver T

Year 3: Charlotte D

Year 4: Xander W

Year 5: Ruth A

Year 6 : Daisy H

Values Award



Reception: George S

Year 1: Thomas D

Year 2: Bea B

Year 3: Scarlett O

Year 4: Marnie C

Year 5: Lavinia I

Year 6 : Rhys B

Merit Award



Reception: Coley W

Year 1: Niall H

Year 2: Edward

Year 4: Levison H

Year 5: Luella H

Year 6 : Harry B

Sports Award



Reception: Avery M

Year 1: Olivia M

Year 2: Evalyn G

Year 3: Harry M

Year 4: Alyssa R

Year 5: Curtis D

Year 6 :Archie M

Reading Award



Reception: John W

Year 1: Bobby C

Year 2: Evie C

Year 3: Spencer H

Year 4: Olive M

Year 5: Oscar R

Year 6 : Eva B

Attendance :
Y3 with 99%

Golden Broom:
Year 1

Dojos KS1 - Reception
KS2 - Year 3

Reading Award: Year2



www.stoswaldwinwick.church/

As a church school, our church at St Oswald's is really important to us. Our children love being able to visit the church to attend services and different events throughout the school year and it is important that we support them as part of our wider community.

Each week, we will share information from St Oswald's with you on our newsletter and we will also be sharing different key dates with you about the events in our local community that are supporting our church.

Church Services

Wednesday 2 October, 9.00 am - Morning prayer at Christ Church, Croft

Friday 4 October, 9.00 am - Morning prayer

Our joint services are held at:

Christ Church, Lady Lane, Croft, WA3 7AU

Newchurch Parish Church, Church Lane, Culcheth, WA3 5ET

Even though there is always a warm welcome at Church, we advise you to dress according to the weather. Please wrap up warm.

Messy Church

Messy Church has also resumed and you can keep up with updates on the Facebook page:

[Messy Church - St Oswald's Winwick](#)

Thursday Coffee Mornings - "Warm and Welcome Chat"

In the church hall from 10.00am to 12pm every other Thursday

"Warm and Welcome Chat"

Everyone is welcome, especially those who are feeling lonely! Come along to the church hall and meet other people, have a chat, refreshments available for a small charge of £1. Please help us spread the word to let everyone know!



**"Warm & Welcome"
Chat and a Brew
Every other Thursday
10-12**

Letter for our School Meals Service

Dear parent/carer

Please be advised that the cost of a school meal is set to increase from £2.60 to **£2.80** per meal from 28th October 2024. This will result in an overall weekly increase of £1 per child.

This does not affect children accessing Free School Meals. The government continues to support the universal infant Free School Meals (FSM) project and this means that all children from reception, year 1 and year 2 will be provided with a school meal free of charge. Any child in years 3-6 can also have a free school meal if you are in receipt of certain allowances. To find out if you are eligible, please visit: <https://www.warrington.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals>*

The council has been subsidising the service over the last few years to try and keep the cost of a meal down. However, increases in food and staffing costs mean that we unfortunately have no option but to increase the price of a school meal.

The three weekly rolling menu detailing each day's main course and dessert, with the additional daily offer of a vegetarian option and jacket potato will remain in place. The school meals service will continue to provide a high-quality service that delivers healthy, nutritious meals, caters for all allergens and dietary requirements, and is served in a safe environment on our school premises. We will continue to offer theme days, treat lunches and inviting families to join children for special lunches through the year.

*If your child is eligible for means tested free schools meals you could also be eligible for other funded support, such as [Household Support Fund](#) (funding for food and utility bills) and [Holiday Activities and Food](#) (summer holiday free activities and food). There are also other financial support schemes available, which you can find on the council website: [warrington.gov.uk/localsupportscheme](https://www.warrington.gov.uk/localsupportscheme)

Regards

Wendy Nicholls

Financial Support Officer

School Meals & Capital

Families and Wellbeing Directorate

Warrington Borough Council

Support our PTFA...

We have signed up to the **Asda "Cashpot for Schools"** initiative. Asda have joined forces with **Joe Wicks (Body Coach)** to help raise vital funds for schools.

We understand that you're unlikely to change your regular supermarket for your grocery shopping. However, just by signing up to this, our school will earn £1. If every family in school opts in to the scheme, that is already between £150-200 free cash for us 💰 🧑🏫 😊

The scheme is running **between 2nd September and 30th November 2024**. All you have to do is;

1. Opt in through the Asda Rewards app
 2. Choose Winwick C of E Primary School
- Shop and scan in store or shop online at Asda.com

See attached for more information. **We will announce what we are fundraising for this academic year, at our PTFA Annual General Meeting (AGM) next Thursday 19th September at 6pm.**

Winwick CofE Primary School PTFA has already raised £69.10 through the Asda Cashpot for Schools initiative!! Without really trying. Please help us to raise even more, by joining in, signing up and sharing the news with your friends and family! All funds raised go directly for the benefit of our children at school 🧑🏫

#TeamWinwick 🤍🤍

#AsdaCashpotForSchools 🤍

#RaisingFreeFundsForOurSchool 🤍



What is Cashpot for Schools?

We're working with Asda, who are making millions of pounds available to every state primary school's PTA in the UK.

Between 2nd September and 30th November 2024, every time customers shop with Asda using their Rewards app, they can choose a primary school to receive a percentage of their spend. And that's not all — every time a customer chooses your primary school, Asda will donate £1 to your school's Cashpot, plus a further £50 when your first customer shops.

REMINDER: PARKING

This is a polite reminder to please be considerate to our neighbours when parking to drop-off/collect your child from school. Please **DO NOT** park across people's driveways or restrict access along footpaths.

Also, a gentle reminder that parents/carers should **NOT** park on the Premier Inn carpark and, if using the Swan carpark, you should be walking around and **NOT** cutting through the fencing.

Thank you for your support with this.

Other Events

Saturday Superstars

Saturday 21st September – Trampoline Academy & Creative Kids

Saturday 28th September – Trampoline Academy & Creative Kids

Saturday 5th October – Trampoline Academy & Creative Kids

Saturday 12th October – Trampoline Academy & Creative Kids



Primary years 4, 5 and 6
Every Saturday during term
time at Padgate Academy
0900-1100

Free to attend
Breakfast included
Call 01925 822632 to book your
place