



Winwick CE Primary School News

Our focus value for this half term is...

COMPASSION

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Friday 13th September 2024

We have reached the end of our first full week in school and our staff have been so impressed with the children's attitude to learning since we have returned—well done children!

It has been lovely to welcome family members into school this week as part of our 'Meet the Teacher' events, where an adult from home has had the opportunity to come into school to spend some time in the classroom with their child and have the opportunity to see the classroom and find out more about your child's class value. Over the year, there will be a range of different events where parents/carers will be invited into school to see the children's learning and find out about different things in school. Here are some of the things that our children AND our parents enjoyed about our event this week...

RECEPTION: "I have enjoyed playing with my new friends" **YEAR 1:** "Building a temple was fun because I got to do it with all my friends too." **YEAR 2** "My favourite was counting in Maths because we had fun and did our learning." **YEAR 3** "I liked learning about the Stone Age, because in the Stone Age there are different changes to learn about." **YEAR 4** "This week I have enjoyed learning about different books and people in English and learning different things in Maths." **YEAR 5** "I liked doing Roman numerals in maths because I liked figuring out what they mean." **YEAR 6** "This week I have enjoyed learning about World War II in our History lessons."

Please note that from next week, Year 3 PE days will now be Monday and Tuesday.

Next week, children will receive their new Reading Records, books and information about homework too, along with Parental Overviews for this term. If you would like to attend our PTFA AGM and Parent Board Meeting next week, please see School PING for further details. Parents of our Year 5/6 children have also been invited by Hope Academy to attend an information session next Friday afternoon (20th) at 2.30pm—see School PING for details. Next week we have our History week, with our Historical dress up day on Wednesday too.

As always, if you need to speak with one of our team, please contact the school office, who will be happy to make arrangements for this for you. Have a fabulous weekend!

Mrs Duckett and the Winwick Team

Prayer for the Week...

Heavenly Father, as we begin this new academic year, we ask for your blessing on all of our Winwick community. May Your Spirit set our hearts ablaze with Your love that we can share with each other. Bless us as we begin our new journeys this academic year and be with us each day.

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...

w/c 16th September: History Focus Week & Enrichment Clubs begin this week.

Tuesday 17th September, 6pm – PTFA Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Parent Board. *Please note that this date was originally planned for Tuesday 10th September but has been rescheduled.*

Wednesday 18th September: Historical Dress-up Day. Children are invited to come into school in a costume linked to History units their class will be covering this academic year...

Reception: My Life So Far (Children to come dressed in their own clothes)

Year 1: Toys Past and Present (Costumes appropriate to toys or any time period from 1900-present day)

Year 2: Titanic (1912 – Costumes appropriate for around this time period – Edwardian Era)

Year 3: Stone Age Britain

Year 4: Roman Britain

Year 5: Anglo-Saxons/Viking Britain

Year 6: World War II

Friday 20th September, 2.30pm: Y5/Y6 Parent Information Workshop - SEE SCHOOL PING



Key Dates: NEXT WEEK...

Monday 23rd September, 9.00-9.45am: Key Stage 1 Parental Workshop & Reading Morning Workshop. (Details to follow via School PING)

Tuesday 24th September: Science Focus Day

Friday 27th September, 9.15am: New Reception Welcome Service/MacMillan Coffee Morning- Families of our Reception children invited to join us at St Oswald's, with the Coffee morning being in the Church Hall.

Key Dates: LOOKING AHEAD...

Monday 30th September, 9.00-9.45am: Key Stage 2 Parental Workshop & Reading Morning Workshop. (Details to follow via School PING)

Wednesday 2nd October: National Poetry Day

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

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 CLOSSES FOR HALF TERM (3.15pm EYFS/KS1 & 3.20pm KS2)

THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE...



Whole School	85.7%	Year 3	96%
Reception	 100%	Year 4	91.6%
Year 1	98.5%	Year 5	97%
Year 2	98.6%	Year 6	 100%

Headteacher's Award



Reception: Esme B

Year 1: Patricia O

Year 2: Thomas W

Year 3: Dylan M

Year 4: Esme TS

Year 5: Lavinia I

Year 6 :Joey R

Values Award



Reception: Coley W

Year 1: Charlie C

Year 2: Evelyn C

Year 3: Alba D

Year 4: Nancie H

Year 5: Evelyn H

Year 6 : Ila K

Merit Award



Reception: Sienna G

Year 1: Freya R

Year 2: Evrett G

Year 3: Penny P

Year 4: Isaac C

Year 5: Jake B

Year 6 : Lucy F

Sports Award



Reception: Rex P

Year 1: Sofia M

Year 2: Bea W

Year 3: Daisy B

Year 4: Harvey M

Year 5: Ruth A

Year 6 :Emerson T

Reading Award



Reception: Neo D

Year 1: Evie A

Year 2: Seb C

Year 3: Ari B

Year 4: Alfie H

Year 5: Emily C

Year 6 :James A

Attendance :

R & Y6 with 100%

Golden Broom:

Year 4



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

Sunday 15 September, 9.00 am - Communion led by Rev Martin

Sunday 22 September, 10.30 am - Communion led by Rev Martin (plus baptisms at 12.15pm)

Sunday 29 September, 10.30 am - Alternative worship - Celtic Communion - led by Rev Alan

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!

Next session: From Thursday 29 February then every 2 weeks afterwards.



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



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 🤍

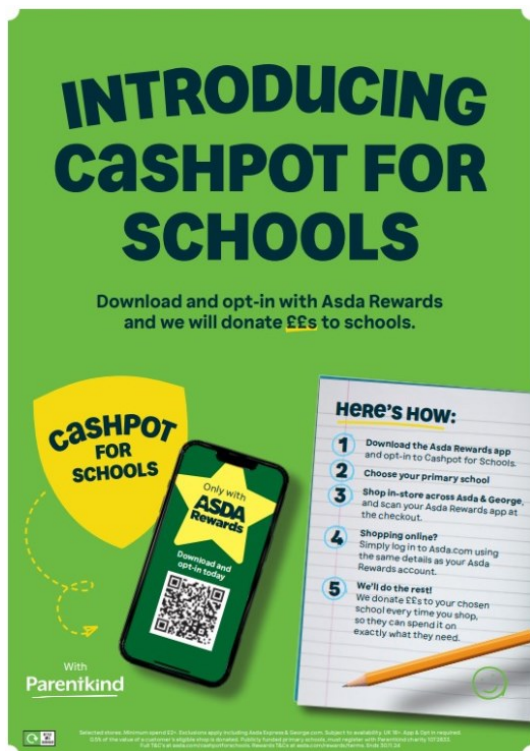
#RaisingFreeFundsForOurSchool 🤍



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.