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"Teach children how they should live, and they will remember it all their life." Proverbs 22:6

Data protection: Please notify the office if you change your details or change your mind about consent.

Friday 10th October 2025

Harvest Service

A huge thank you to our wonderful year 5 children who led our Harvest Festival to the school and to all of their families. We learnt about the importance of harvest through song, prayer, readings and art.



Archery Tournament

A group of year 5 and 6 pupils took part in an archery tournament at Thurstable School on Thursday. The children learnt many new skills, and were a credit to the school. Evan was awarded 10 dojo's from St. Mary's Secondary School for his fantastic sportsmanship. Well done to Evan, Eva, George and Lacie.



Car Park reminder

Please can we remind everyone that children should not be in the school car park before a member of staff is there at 8.35am; we have had reports of children cycling near the parked cars.



INVESTORS
IN PEOPLE



WOW Moment

Well done to Hudson in year 3, who was playing for Maldon United U8's against Ipswich Town Academy U8's this week. He was playing with children a year older than him- Hudson played brilliantly and even scored a goal. We are very proud of you!



Ned in year 5, received player of the week at his rugby match last Sunday and was awarded a huge trophy! Well done Ned!



School Council

The School Council met this morning to discuss why we sell poppies and then created a rota to sell poppies within school. They also took a democratic vote to decide the theme for Children in Need on the 14th November.



Special Achievement Award

Congratulations to the following children who have received a Special Achievement Award in this week's celebration worship: Ned, Albert, Alice F, Daniella, Theo Ma, Toby, Aria V, Spencer, Alistair, Madison, Emmie, Freddie R, Lucas, George M, Monty, Molly W, Felicity R and Fleur.

Reminders & Dates for the Diary

Staff will aim to deal with any **emailed queries** in three working days however if you haven't received a response, please contact admin@stlukesschool.co.uk who will investigate the matter for you.

When reporting your child's absence, you must leave a message on the **absence phone line** (01621 815456 option 2). This is the first line of communication that is checked in the morning and if you email the office, staff will not see this until registers have been processed.

Second-hand uniform is available every Tuesday opposite the main reception area between 3pm-3.30pm

If your child is missing any items of clothing, parents are able to check the **lost property box** at the end of the school day via the main office.

School Dates:

The new academic year dates and INSET days for 2025/2026 are published on our website.

EYFS – Reception Conker		KS1 – Years 1 & 2 Oak, Sycamore and Silver Birch		LKS2 – Year 3 & 4 Apple, Plum and Elder		UKS2 – Years 5 & 6 Marula, Baobab and Acacia	
		Event				Parents Invited / Additional	
Oct/Nov	17 th Oct	PTFA Meeting- 7.30pm at The New Times				Everyone welcome	
	22 nd October	EYFS and KS1 Sponsored Colour Run					
	24 th Oct	INSET DAY					
	3 rd Nov	INSET Day					
	4 th Nov	Plum and Apple Class trip to Chelmsford Museum					
	5 th Nov	Elder Class trip to Chelmsford Museum					
	11 th Nov	Parents Evening (more information to follow)				Parent/carers	
	13 th Nov	Parents Evening (more information to follow)				Parent/carers	
	14 th Nov	Children In Need- pyjama party! £1 voluntary contribution					
	18 th Nov	Elder Class Assembly- 2.40pm in the hall				Elder Parents/carers	
	24 th Nov	Plum Class Assembly- 2.40pm in the hall				Plum Parents/carers	
	24 th -28 th Nov	Year 6 Residential					
	28 th Nov	PTFA Non-Uniform Day (with the exception of year 6 who are on residential) <i>more information to follow</i>					
Dec	3 rd Dec	Apple Class Assembly- 2.40pm in the hall				Apple Parents/carers	
	5 th Dec	PTFA Christmas Fair 5-7pm (more information to follow)				All welcome	

	10 th Dec	School Christmas Dinner	
	11 th Dec	Year 1-6 trip to the pantomime (more information to follow) £22.10 per child	
	16 th Dec	EYFS and KS1 Nativity Play- 9.30am (more information to follow)	Parent/Carers welcome
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	17 th Dec	EYFS and KS1 Nativity Play- 9.30am (more information to follow)	Parent/Carers welcome
	18 th Dec	EYFS and KS1 Nativity Play- 9.30am (more information to follow)	Parent/Carers welcome
	19 th Dec	Christmas Bell Ringing Assembly 9.30am	
Jan	5 th Jan	Conker Class Reptile Visit (more information to follow)	
	22 nd Jan	KS2 WOW Day- VR Head Set (letter to follow)	
Feb	12 th Feb	Wear it Red for Fred (more information to follow)	
	13 th Feb	INSET DAY	
	25 th Feb	Year 1 and 2 Trip to Mersea Outdoor	
May	13 th May	KS1 Tudor trip to Layer Marney Tower	
July	10 th July	Year 6 Production at the Headgate Theatre (more information to follow)	Year 6 parents/carers



Marvellous Me is an opportunity for us to share the great work and amazing attitude that the children show daily in school. Access codes can be collected at the school office. Links to download the app on iOS or Android can be found here: <https://marvellousme.com/parents/>

Learning Characteristics

Taking Risk

Being Inquisitive

Making Links

Co-operation

Resilience

Reflecting

Christian Values

Thankfulness

Responsibility

Compassion

Faith

Forgiveness

Hope

