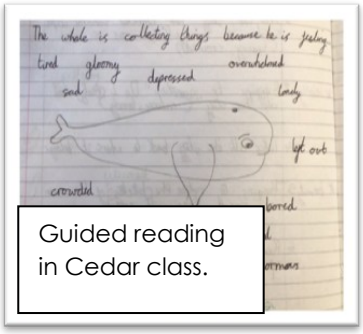
Newsletter

Friday 18th September (No.2)

A message from Miss Fisher

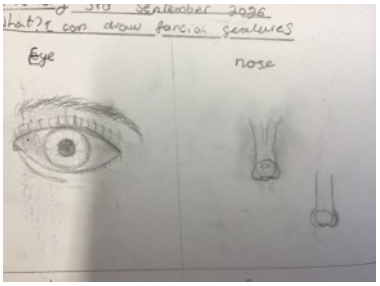
It never ceases to amaze me how quickly children settle into their new classes and also how they come back from a very long summer break remembering all of our wonderful school values. I have been inundated with *Acts of Kindness* this week and our tree (by the main school office) is already sprouting many autumnal leaves. Children have been sharing labels of love and giving compliments to others – well done Dan in Cedar! We have also seen excellent manners from Alan in Chestnut. Some children have even gone out of their way to welcome new members of our school – excellent job Sonny. Acts of kindness and labels of love are what make our school extra special, and it truly is a wonderful place to be. Here are some chosen pieces of learning from each class in the first week back:



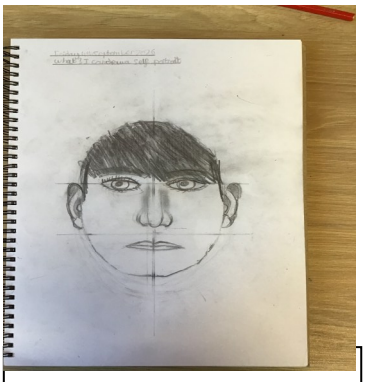
Guided reading in Cedar class.



Self-portraits from Cedar class.



Nicole (Oak class) – Experimenting with shading techniques to perfect her eyes and nose.



Luke (Oak) – Self portrait



Learning about numbers in Maple





Learning about materials in Maple class.



Learning about allergies in Chestnut class.



Practical maths in Chestnut class.



Safeguarding



With all the rain we have had over the last week it looks like autumn has definitely arrived! ***Please can you ensure your child is bringing a coat into school every day as the weather is very changeable.*** As with everything these days though, coats can be expensive! If you are finding yourself facing financial difficulties, there are two amazing local organisations that can offer help and support…

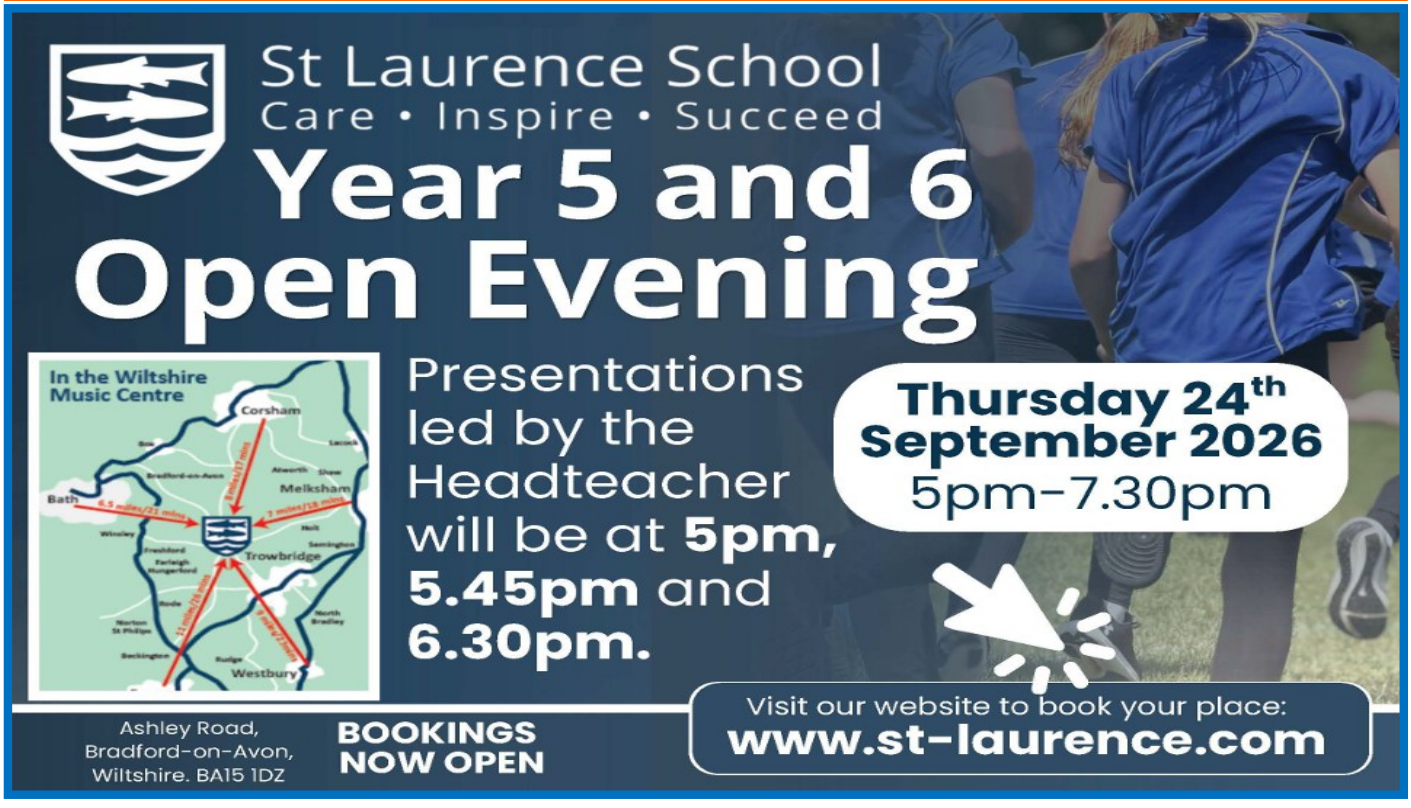
Storehouse Foodbank

Storehouse Foodbank is a project that aims to support families, couples, and individuals in short-term need of food and toiletries. People who access their service find themselves in difficult circumstances often through no fault of their own. For example, they may have been made redundant or have lost work through a severe illness. Some service users are attempting to rebuild their life after the breakdown of a marriage or partnership, or they could be recovering from a situation of domestic violence.

Ruksak

Ruksak is a registered charity based in Castle Place in Trowbridge, dedicated to helping individuals and families. They provide critical items such as bedding, clothing, school uniforms, toiletries, footwear, school supplies, kitchen goods, items for babies, toys, books and games for individuals and families who need them the most.

If you would like a referral for either of the above, please ask Mrs Bieda, speak to your child's class teacher or if you prefer, email admin@newtown.wilts.sch.uk




SPACE DAY
1ST OCTOBER
MAINS
CHICKEN METEOR-BITE BURGER
VENUS VEGGIE BURGER (VG)
SPACESHIP SANDWICH BAR
BIG BANG BAKED POTATO BAR (V)
SIDES
GUARDIAN FRIES OF THE GALAXY
PLANETARY PEAS
BLACK HOLE BEANS
SOLAR SYSTEM SALAD BAR
DESSERTS
JUPITER JELLY AND ICE CREAM (V)
COSMIC COOKIE (VG)
FRESH FRUIT (VG) (GF)

For the attention of all parents

Will your child be four years old before September 2027?

You must apply for a primary school place

Apply online at **wiltshire.gov.uk** or complete an application form, available at all Wiltshire Council offices.

The deadline for applications is

12 midnight, 15 January 2027

All forms must be returned to the school admissions team at County Hall, Trowbridge, Wiltshire.

Contact customer services on **01225 713010** for more information or to request our guide to finding a primary school place in Wiltshire.

Wiltshire Council

For the attention of all parents

Will your child be transferring to a secondary school in September 2027?

You must apply for a secondary school place

Apply online at **wiltshire.gov.uk** or complete an application form, available at all Wiltshire Council offices.

The deadline for applications is

12 midnight, 31 October 2026

All forms must be returned to the school admissions team at County Hall, Trowbridge, Wiltshire.

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Harvest Assembly

Tuesday 13th October at 9.15am

Parents/Carers are invited to school for our Harvest Assembly

Also, as in previous years, we will be holding a food collection.
This year we will be supporting Helping the Homeless in Bath & West Wiltshire (HHBWW).
Any donations of non-perishable items would be very gratefully received.

If you can donate, we are looking for :
Meal in a tin : mac & cheese, spaghetti bolognaise, chilli etc
(please make sure they have a ring pull on them)
Porridge pots
Pot noodle
Mug shots
Cuppa Soup
Cereal bars
Chocolate bars
Crisps
Fruit pots
Fruit juice cartons
Boxes of raisins
Small packs of biscuits
Tins of fish with ring pull
Tea bags
3 in 1 coffee sachets
Hot chocolate sachets
Small packets of sweets



Thank you!

Helping your child belong, learn and thrive at school.

School is about lessons but it's also where your child makes friends, gains confidence, finds new interests and develops skills for life.

Family life is busy and illness, medical appointments and other challenges can affect attendance.

That's why we're working with families and schools to help children get the most from their time at school.

Attending school every day helps your child make the most of learning, friendships and wider experiences.

Need support?
Contact your child's school or email the Education Welfare Service at **EWS@wiltshire.gov.uk**

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Wiltshire together to 97% attendance

Every day counts ✓

NextGen Music Tuition

Guitar Lessons

For more information contact:
nextgenmusictuition@gmail.com

Relaxed and friendly Tutor a registered Associate with GWS Music Hub
DBS checked with safeguarding Documentation and Insurance.
Acoustic Guitars can be hired

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The School Day

The school gates open at **8:30am** and close at **8:45am**.

Any children arriving once the gate has closed are late.

Children who are picked up need to be collected promptly at **3:15pm.**

Thank you.

Drop Off & Pick Up

Please can we kindly ask parents/carers not let their children out of cars by the crossing in the mornings.

Please use Wesley Road Social Club car park for drop off and pick up.

Thank you.



Can you help?

If anyone can donate any swimming costumes and/or swimming shorts (aged 8 years plus) we would be very grateful.

Please drop off any donations at the school office.



Thank you!





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Superstars



Octavia,
Kit
Evie,
James &
William

Attendance

128 children had 100% attendance in the last week.. You are awesome!

Oak class were the best at being in & on time every day last week. Well done Oak class!

0 Penalty Notice Applications have been made so far for this academic year.

Absence line 01225 752678 option 1



Congratulations to Oak class & Chestnut class who are joint top of the leader board this week!
Please encourage your child to log on and play.

Home - Times Tables Rock Stars

Dates for Diary

23/09/2026	Cedar Class & Oak Class swimming
29/09/2026	Y6 Braeside Information Meeting
05/10/2026	Flu immunisations
06/10/2026	School photos
13/10/2026	Harvest Festival Assembly at 9.15am. All welcome!
14/10/2016	Parents' Evening
15/10/2026	Parents' Evening
20/10/2026	Last day of term 1
02/11/2026	TD Day - school closed to children
03/11/2026	Children back to school - start of term 2