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School Diary Dates 2024/2025

May

5th Bank holiday
7th Y1/2 Trip to Imagine That
12th Y6 SATs week
20th Sports Day & picnic lunch
22nd PTA film night
23rd Break up for half term

June

2nd Inset day
3rd Back to school
18th-20th Y6 Tarporley Conwy Trip
19th Y3/4 Beeston Castle
24th-26th Malbank Transition Days

July

3rd Reception Trip to Sea Life
3rd Book Fair arrives
9th Y5/6 Primary College
9th Reports to parents
10th Y6 Leavers Service
10th DoJo shop
10th Reception graduation assembly
11th PTA family fun afternoon
18th Last day of academic year
21st Inset Day
22nd Inset Day

September

1st Inset day

"Let your light shine"

Matthew 5:16

This term we are celebrating service

Prayer of the week

Dear Lord,

Thank you for the opportunity to serve.
Help me to serve with humility, kindness and love.
Let my actions reflect Your grace and compassion.

May I bring hope where there is need,

Joy where there is sorrow,

And light where there is darkness.

Strengthen my hands and steady my heart,
So I may serve others as You have served us.

Amen

Attendance of the week

Deers and Foxes

100%


SERVICE



'Serve one another in love.'

Galatians 5.13

Let Your Light Shine, Our Stars of the Week



Mrs McDonough's star of the week - All of Hedgehogs, for their resilience, determination, fabulous courage and wonderful. Behaviour on the residential, Cora and Izzie B for showing such wonderful kindness and being helpful to others and Daniel for great attitude to learning this week

Owls - Loretta for fantastic story telling and great imagination, also William for fantastic progress in maths and always trying hard

Deers - Harriet for great Queen Victoria facts, also Isabel for always trying her best

Hedgehogs - The whole class for their impeccable behaviour on the residential

Foxes - Abi for showing perseverance in sewing, also Sophia for super effort in breakfast booster club

Wraparound care star of the week - Arthur for being such a great helper and always having a big, welcoming smile

Ethos Choice - Darcy for helping people, also Ziggy for working really well with different partners

Christian Value - Service

Owls - Henry K for helping others to make great choices

Deers - Sienna for being so helpful in class

Hedgehogs - Harry for always helping others and looking out for everyone

Foxes - Lewis for always being so helpful around school

Y1/2 Trip to Imagine That Wednesday 7th May

Please ensure your child is wearing full school uniform and a warm, weather appropriate coat for the day. Children will be provided with a packed lunch but they will need a small snack that fits in their pocket.



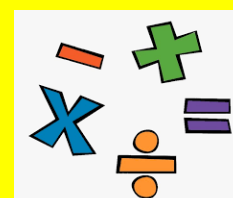
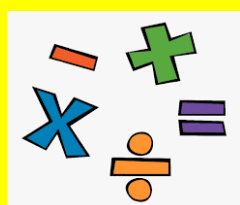
Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to Olivia, Hattie, Obi and Henry.
We hope you all have a magical day.



My Maths Stars of the Week

Leonardo
Oliver N
Ziggy
Olivia M
Jamie
Daniel



Mrs McDonough's Messages

Dear parents and carers,

Years 3 and 4 had a wonderful time at Condover Hall for their residential this week. The weather was glorious, and the children excelled in not only being brave, but sharing their courage and offering kindness and friendship to each other whilst away from home. Huge thanks to all of the staff that gave up their time to accompany the children; we couldn't do it without you!

Service

Service means helping others with a kind heart, just like Jesus did. In the Bible, Jesus washed His friends' feet to show that no job is too small if it helps someone (John 13:12-17). He also said, "I came to serve, not to be served" (Mark 10:45). We can follow Jesus by helping at home, being kind at school, and looking out for people who need a friend. When we serve others, we are showing God's love in action. Let your teacher know how you have helped at home over the weekend, and we can record this on our reflection walls.



VE Day Celebrations—Friday 9th May

To celebrate VE day this year, we are inviting parent's, grandparents and the local community to join us on the field to sing a couple of wartime songs and then enjoy a few 1940's fair games, such as tin can alley and penny pitch. All games are free for all to join in! We will also be displaying some art work for you to look at linked to 'Victory in Europe' Day and WW2. The celebrations start at 2.30pm until 4pm. Refreshments will also be available thanks to our wonderful PTA. If anyone has any cakes or biscuits they are happy to donate, please bring them to the school office.

Open Day—Saturday 7th June 2025

OPEN DAY

SATURDAY 7TH JUNE 10AM-12PM

ST OSWALD'S, WORLESTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
CHURCH LANE, ASTON JUXTA MONDRUM, NANTWICH, CW5 6DP

Come and discover what makes St Oswald's Primary a vibrant and nurturing place where children from 2 to 11 learn, grow and thrive!

All families welcome - we will be offering guided tours, activities in our Woodland Learning Area and in our Nursery. Our wonderful staff look forward to welcoming you!

SPACES NOW AVAILABLE FOR 2,3 AND 4 YEAR OLDS

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We are excited to announce that we are opening our school on Saturday 7th June to showcase all of the wonderful, vibrant and nurturing growing and learning that takes place in our school. We will also be launching our Woodland Learning Area at the bottom of the field, where all pupils will take part in outdoor activities linked to our curriculum at least once a fortnight.

We will be asking for some donations and also for volunteers to help us build and expand this—please let me know if this is something you would be able to help us with. The Eco Team and Ethos Team will also be having an input and getting their hands dirty to help set it up! We can't wait to keep you updated via Class DoJo.

If you know of anyone looking for a Nursery place, please let them know about our open day. We also have flyers available in the school office should you like to pass them on.

May I remind you that Monday 5th May is a Bank Holiday and so school will be open on Tuesday 6th May.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend and as always, if you have any questions or concerns in the meantime, please get in touch via email to principalstoswalds@RCSAT.cheshire.sch.uk

Kind Regards,

Louise McDonough

PENALTY NOTICE FINES FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE ARE CHANGING !

With the introduction of the new National Framework for Penalty Notices, the following changes will come into force on 19 August 2024.

Penalty Notices will be issued for

Term time leave: Penalty Notice fines will be issued for term time leave of 5 or more consecutive days.

10 Sessions of Unauthorised absence in a rolling 10 week period: A Penalty Notices may be considered when there have been 10 sessions of unauthorised absences in a 10 week period.

However, we retain the discretion to issue a Penalty Notice before the threshold is met. For example, where parents are deliberately avoiding the national threshold by taking several term time holidays below the above thresholds.

Per Parent/Per Child

Penalty Notice fines will continue to be issued per parent per child. For example: 3 siblings absent for term time leave, would result in each parent receiving 3 separate fines.

First Offence

The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for term time leave or irregular school attendance the fine will be charged at:

£160 per parent, per child if paid within 28 days of the issue, reducing to £80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days.

(Unpaid penalty notices may result in a parental prosecution)

Second Offence

Where it is deemed appropriate to issue a second penalty notice to the same parent for the same pupil within 3 years of the first penalty notice, for either term time leave or irregular attendance the second penalty notice will be charged at:

£160 if paid within 28 days. (Unpaid penalty notices may result in a parental prosecution)

Third Offence

On the third time that an offence is committed within 3 years of the first penalty notice for either a term time leave or irregular attendance a penalty notice will not be issued. The case may proceed to Parental Prosecution under the Single Justice Procedure. If found guilty of the offence of 'Failure to send a child to school' the Magistrates can impose a fine up to £1000 or legal proceedings under Section 444 (1a) can include a fine of up to £2500.



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