



Wynyard Church of England Primary

14.9.26

Our Collective Worship theme in school this week is...



learning together and the importance of listening.

How have we been flourishing?

Stars of the Week



Our stars of the week for last week are:

Nursery: Clara

Class 1: James

Class 2: Olivia

Class 3: Edward

Class 4: Izara

Class 5: Jude

Class 6: Elliott

Class 7: Brodie

Class 8: Scarlet

Class 9: David

Class 10: Monty

Class 11: Hope

Class 12: Marie

Class 13: Marnie

Class 14: George

Whole School Award: Dion (Class 10)

Junior Great North Run 2026

Well done to all of our children across school who participated in the Junior Great North Run at the weekend. We are incredibly proud of each and every one of you for your determination, effort, and achievement. Congratulations all!

Important Information

Forest Schools

On Thursday, Year 5 will be taking part in an educational forest school lesson led by our forest school leader, Chris. Please ensure children wear suitable clothing and footwear for the weather and bring a waterproof coat. We also ask that any long hair is tied back for this session.

School Reading Books

We would be very grateful if parents/ carers could have a look at home for any school reading books, library books or classroom books that may have accidentally been mixed in with bookshelves, bedrooms or book bags. We seem to have a number of books missing at the moment meaning some children were not able to take a book home on Friday. Returning any that are found would help us to increase the range and choice of books available for all children. Thank you for your support in helping us keep our book collections well stocked for everyone to enjoy.

Compass Charges

Just a reminder for parents about where to find charges on Compass. You may find charges in the following sections:

- **Clubs:** This section includes charges for any “unbooked” clubs your child has attended without prior booking. It will also show charges for additional nursery sessions and hours.
- **Wallet:** Your wallet displays both your current balance and any outstanding balance. Please note the account limit for negative balances is £45.
- **School Fees:** Here you will find invoices for school-funded lunches. These are issued when there are insufficient funds in the wallet to cover lunch costs, and the school has temporarily covered the expense.

If you have any questions or need clarification regarding your account, please contact the school office.

PE Kit Reminder

Children are now accessing a full timetable, including two PE lessons per week. We ask that children bring their PE kit to school at the start of each half-term and leave it in school. PE kits will be sent home with children ahead of each holiday. If your child has not yet brought their PE kit to school we ask that they do so this week. PE lessons can sometimes be rescheduled or additional physical activities may take place during the week, so having their kit in school at all times helps ensure that all children can participate fully.

Year 4 Trampolining After School Club

We still have spaces available in our Year 4 Trampolining Club, which takes place every Thursday.

The cost is £4 per session to cover the cost of the bus, and places can be booked through the Compass app.

School Elections Reminder

Just a reminder that on Friday, pupils will have the exciting opportunity to apply for a range of leadership roles across the school.

Opportunities will include the following positions:

- School Council (1 member per class from Reception-Year 6)
- Sports Leaders (1 member for each class in Year 5 and Year 6)
- Wellbeing Leads- Last year's Year 5 (current Y6) wellbeing leads will continue, if they wish, and we will elect a new wellbeing lead in Class 11, 12, 13 and 14

- Worship Leads (1 member per class from Reception to Year 6)
- Maths Magicians (1 member per class from Year 1- Year 6)
- Reading Leads (1 per class Reception to Year 6)
- Arts Council (1 per class in Year 5 and Year 6)
- Digital Leads (1 per class Year 1 to Year 6)

On Friday (18th September), we will be holding an Election Day in school, where children will be able to share why they would like to take on a given role before all children take part in a democratic voting process. If children are interested in any of the roles available, they should prepare something to share with their class, or for the teacher to share with the class, about why they would be suitable for a leadership role and the roles they are interested in being considered for. Please note, children who are interested in multiple roles, do not need to prepare something for each role. We encourage families to discuss these roles at home and support children who may wish to put themselves forward. We are looking forward to seeing the children embrace this opportunity to lead, represent their classmates and make a positive contribution to our school.

After-School Clubs

We are delighted that so many children take part in our after-school clubs, which run from 3.30pm-4.30pm. To help keep all pupils safe and ensure clubs can run effectively, children are expected to stay for the full duration of the session once they have attended. As I'm sure you can appreciate, with a significant number of children remaining on site and attending after-school clubs, it can be challenging for the office staff to manage pick-ups before 4.30pm.

If your child cannot attend a club or needs to leave before the end, please contact the school before the start of the session so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Cool Milk

Children under the age of five are entitled to receive free milk at school each day. Once your child reaches their fifth birthday, milk can continue to be provided through Cool Milk, our school milk supplier, via a paid subscription.

If you would like your child to continue receiving milk after the age of five, please register directly with Cool Milk. For more information, including current prices and how to set up an account, please visit the [Cool Milk for Parents website](#).

We recommend registering before your child's fifth birthday to ensure there is no interruption to their milk provision.

Stockton Secondary School Open Evenings

We have been asked to share some of the Stockton secondary school open evenings which are taking place this term. Please see the image attached for details of each event.



Calling Year 5 and Year 6 children, parents and carers!
Exploring Stockton-on-Tees Secondary Schools' Open Evenings.
 Choosing a secondary school is an exciting milestone. Open evenings provide a valuable opportunity for you and your child to explore different schools, meet staff and students, and discover what each setting can offer.

Secondary School	Date	Time
St Michael's Catholic Academy. Beamish Road, Billingham, TS23 3DX	Tuesday, 08/09/2026	5pm-7pm
Outwood Bishopsgarth Academy, Harrowgate Lane, Stockton-on-Tees, TS19 8TF	Tuesday, 15/09/26	4.30pm-6.30pm
Ian Ramsey Church of England Academy, Fairfield Road, Stockton-on-Tees, TS19 7AJ	Thursday, 17/09/2026	4.30pm-7pm
Northfield School, Thames Road, Billingham, TS22 5EG	Monday, 21/09/2026	6pm
Thornaby Academy, Baysdale Road, Stockton-on-Tees, TS17 9DB	Tuesday, 22/09/26	5pm-7pm
The Grangefield Academy, Oxbridge Avenue, Stockton-on-Tees, TS18 4LE	Wednesday, 23/09/26	4pm-6pm
Conyers School, Green Lane, Yarm, TS15 9ET	Wednesday, 23/09/26	5.30pm
Egglescliffe school, 7 Seymour Grove, Egglescliffe, TS16 0LA	Thursday, 24/09/2026	5.30pm-8pm
Our Lady & St Bede Academy, Bishopton Road West, Stockton-on-Tees, TS19 0QH	Thursday, 24/09/2026	3.30pm-5.30pm
St Patrick's Catholic College, Baysdale Road, Thornaby, TS17 9DE	Tuesday, 29/09/2026	5pm-7pm
North Shore Academy, Talbot Street, Stockton-on-Tees, TS20 2AY	Tuesday, 29/09/2026	4.30pm-7pm
Ingleby Manor Free School, Welwyn Road, Ingleby Barwick, TS17 0FA	Thursday, 01/10/2026	5pm-7pm
All Saints Church of England Academy, 10 Myton Road, Ingleby Barwick, TS17 0WA	Thursday, 08/10/2026	5pm-7pm

Scarecrow Trail

We have been asked to reshare the poster for the Scarecrow trail with an updated email address.

