



St Hardulph's C of E Primary School

School Newsletter



2025/26

26 September

Warwick	95
Hastings	95
Newark	79
Edinburgh	81

Both Warwick & Hastings houses have a non-uniform day next Monday, but as it is PE day for some classes, children need to wear suitable clothing to do PE in, or bring their PE kits with them.

Headteacher's Treat

Class 1: Lee

Class 2: Harry

Class 3: Vivienne

Headteacher's Awards

This week have been awarded to:

Finn William W Ruby-Leigh
Ida Theo Casey Ruby C
Elliot Oscar R-C

Silver Start

James P

Gold Cup

James W

Headteacher's Award

- Red Badge

Vivienne

Attendance

Our average attendance this year to date.

	<u>% attendance this year</u>
Class 1	98.4%
Class 2	99.6%
Class 3	97.3%
Total	98.6%

Number of minutes lost this week due to children arriving late: 0

May Christ dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. Ephesians 3:17

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Reminders for next week :

Monday Class 1 & Class 3 PE

Tuesday - Class 1 & 2 Forest School

Wednesday PE - All Classes

Phonics & Early Reading sessions for parents (2:15 & 5pm)

Please let the office know which session you will attend.

Thursday Harvest Service at 2:15pm in church

Friday PTFA Break the Rules Day

Harvest - Thursday 2 October

Please join us for our service in church at 2:15pm if you can. If you plan to take your child home straight after the service, please complete the electronic form by the start of school on Thursday to let us know [Click here](#) for the form.

Here is a link to our St Hardulph's Christian Aid fundraising page

<https://fundraise.christianaid.org.uk/envelope-2025/st-hardulphs-c-e-primary-school>

This year we are fundraising only, so will not be asking for any food donations

Secondary School Application Deadline Reminder - LCC Communications Team

We are now four weeks away from the deadline for secondary school applications. Please help us remind parents and carers of children currently in year 6 they need to submit their application by **Thursday 31st October 2025**.

Key reminders for families:

- Applications must be made through the Parent Portal on the Leicestershire County Council website.
- Families should include at least three preferences, and up to five, to give their child the best chance of securing a local school place.
- At least one preference should be for their catchment school.
- Simply selecting one school does not improve a child's chances of securing a place there.
- Parents should make sure they are happy with the order of preference before the deadline.

Applications close at **11.59pm on Thursday 31st October 2025**. Any applications submitted after this date will be treated as late and processed after those received on time.

Please note that there is no Celebration Assembly next Friday, 3rd October.



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Panto

This year we will be taking all the children to see Cinderella at Loughborough Town Hall on Monday 1st December. This will be live on Arbor to book and pay from 9:00am on 1st October in the School Shop. The deadline for payment is the start of the school day on Monday 10th November, then Arbor automatically removes the item.



Young Voices—Transport Costs



This item is now live on Arbor to pay in the School Shop for those children taking part in Young Voices. The deadline for payment is the start of the school day on Monday 10th November, then Arbor automatically removes the item.

School Open Days for the families of children starting school in autumn 2026

The flyer is shown below and attached to the newsletter email. Please share this with any local families that you know have children due to start school next year.



Flourishing lives, rooted in God, nurturing all.

Is your child starting school in Autumn 2026?

Come along to one of our open day or evening sessions to see our wonderful and happy school in action and find out about the opportunities we offer for every child to succeed.

Thursday 16th October 1pm – 3pm
Saturday 1st November 9am-11am
Tuesday 4th November 1pm-3pm
Wednesday 12th November 5pm – 6:30pm
Friday 28th November 9am-11am

Please call or email the school office to book a place or arrange a visit at a time that suits you.

We are also accepting admissions for all other year groups, please contact us for further information.

We pride ourselves in being a school that nurtures the seeds of potential in every child, enabling them to grow and flourish into their own unique contribution to the world. We have a happy, caring and supportive learning environment with our own school dog, small class sizes, an abundance of space, weekly forest school sessions and daily school-led wrap around provision from 7:45am – 5:30pm.



This is a GOOD school where pupils 'go into school happy and come out happy.' Ofsted November 2022

'The ambitious curriculum balances academic rigour with a sense of belonging.'

'Parents rightly appreciate the discrete, personalised care that they and their children receive.' SIAMS January 2025





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Relish - Menu Changes

If you had previously selected a meal for that day, you will need to check your child's orders as they will have deleted when the special menu went live. Please ensure that your child has a food order in place if you need them to have a school lunch on this day.

Census Day Lunch - Thursday 3rd October



On Tuesday 23rd September, classes 2 and 3 participated in an online learning session about Water Aid. The children found this very interesting and were surprised by some countries lack of clean water. This was part of our learning of harvest around the world



Leicestershire Local Offer Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Roadshow



Monday 6th October

12.00 noon – 15.00pm

**Whitwick & Coalville Leisure Centre,
Coalville LE67 3FE**

Come along and find out about Local SEND services and support

The Roadshow brings together information and services which support families of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) all in one place. A chance to meet and chat with representatives from Leicestershire County Council and its partners.

Please book your FREE tickets via

leicestershire.gov.uk/local-offer-roadshows

**To find out more about the SEND Local
Offer in Leicestershire please visit**

www.leics.gov.uk/send

Scan here
to book tickets



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Diary Dates

2025/26	Who?	What
24/09	All	Parents meetings
25/09	Y1	Y1 Sport & Music at Thorpe Acre Junior School PE kit needed
26/09	Y3	Y3 Sport & Music at Long Whatton School PE kit needed
01/10	All	Phonic & Early Reading session for parents (2:15 & 5:00)
02/10	All	Harvest service in church 2:15pm changed date
03/10	All	PTFA Break the Rules Day
08/10	All	Family Lunch (Roast Dinner)
09/10	Y2/3	Y2/3 Multi Skills at Ashby School PM - PE kit needed
10/10	Y5	Y5 Sports & Science at St Hardulph's PE kit needed
13/10	All	Flu immunisations
16/10	All	Open Day for families of children due to start school Autumn 2026
16/10	Y1	Y1 Multi Skills at Ashby School PM—PE Kit needed
20-24/10	All	Half term break
27/10	All	INSET Day (no children in school)
30/10	All	School Photos—Individual
31/10	Y6	Deadline for Y6 applications for secondary school places
01/11	All	Open Day for families of children due to start school Autumn 2026
04/11	All	Open Day for families of children due to start school Autumn 2026
07/11	All	PTFA Disco after school
12/11	All	Open Day for families of children due to start school Autumn 2026
28/11	All	Open Day for families of children due to start school Autumn 2026
28/11	All	PTFA—non-uniform day—Bring a bottle
01/12	All	Panto at Loughborough Town Hall
05/12	All	Christingle at Church
05/12	All	PTFA Christmas Fair after school
09/12	C2&3	Christmas Performance 2pm
10/12	C1	Nativity in Church 2:15pm
10/12	C2&3	Christmas Performance 3:30pm
11/12	C1	Nativity in Church 2:15pm
12/12	All	Christmas Jumper Day
19/12	All	Last Day of term
05/01	All	Back to School
10/02	All	Safer Internet Day
16/02 to 20/02	All	Half Term Break
23/02	All	INSET Day
05/03	All	World Book Day
13/03	All	Mother's Day Lunch
13/03	All	Mothers' Day Service in church 2:15pm
18/03	All	Parents' Evening
27/03	All	Easter Service in church 2:15pm
27/03	All	School Closes
30/03 to 10/04	All	Easter Break
13/04	All	School Opens
04/05	All	May Day Bank Holiday
11 to 14/05	Y6	SATS week
18 to 22/05	All	Safety week
25/05 to 29/05	All	Half Term Break
19/06	All	Fathers' Day Breakfast 8:00am
24/06	All	Sports Day
24/06	All	Sports Day Parent Lunch
06/07	Y6	Y6 Leaving Activity
09/07	All	Family Picnic 12:00
09/07	All	Final Celebration worship
09/07	All	School Closes for summer break

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