



## Warmingham CE Primary School

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School Diary for the  
Week Beginning:  
**8<sup>th</sup> December 2025**

### **Monday**

Hedgehogs PE  
Dance Club

### **Tuesday**

Squirrels & Badgers PE  
Ethos Club

### **Wednesday**

Wellie Wednesday  
Drama Club

### **Thursday**

Y3 & Y4 Wider Op Music  
Spelling Bee Club  
Computer Club

Whole School – PE

Music with Mrs Henry

Multi-Skills Club  
Choir

### **Friday**

Own Clothes Day ~  
Bottle for the tombola



**Jasmine and, Mrs  
Marsden**

## *‘Let Your Light Shine’*

*Matthew 5:16*

It's been another wonderfully busy week!

We began the week with our Advent Messy Church and Christingle making, followed by a very special Christingle service. Although the weather meant we couldn't walk down to the church, the service was still a beautiful occasion. A huge thank you to Seb, Emily, Rogan, and Oscar, who led the service so confidently and thoughtfully. What makes this even more impressive is that our head pupils only receive the order of service a couple of days beforehand and have just one run-through the day before - yet they always rise to the occasion brilliantly.

The service reminded us that Jesus is the light of the world, and that we can let His light shine through us in the way we treat others - spreading love, kindness, compassion, and respect. These are values we cherish at Warmingham, and imagine what an amazing world it would be if everyone shared a little more of these qualities. We also reflected on how we can turn to the light when we lose our way.

On Thursday, the children took part in our Elf Run to raise money for St Luke's Hospice, our chosen charity for the year. Thank you for supporting this wonderful cause. Then on Friday, we enjoyed one of the highlights of the school year - a trip to the New Vic Theatre to see *The Little Mermaid*. Watching the children's faces as they absorbed the magic of live theatre was truly priceless.

Next week will be a fairly normal week of learning, but on Friday, children can wear their own clothes in exchange for a bottle for the Christmas Fair bottle tombola. If you haven't already done so, don't forget to book your tickets to see Father Christmas via the School Spider app.

You will have received your raffle tickets last week. Please return any unused tickets and money to school by Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December thank you.

## **Advent is an important time in the Christian calendar.**

Last Monday, our school explored *Messy Advent* - a fun, hands-on way for children to discover what Advent really means. The whole school joined together in interactive activities, giving the children a chance to hear, wonder, and reflect in ways that were creative, engaging, and meaningful.

As the children explored each of the six Advent stations, they had the opportunity to reflect on the symbolic gifts from each theme, deepening their understanding of Advent. Our Messy Advent activities brought the themes of waiting, hope, peace, love, joy, and the promise of what is still to come to life. The children showed creativity, curiosity, and thoughtfulness at every station.

One of the children's favourite activities was creating Christingles. They carefully assembled the oranges, candles, ribbon, and sweets - each part symbolising something special about God's love for the world. We then came together as a whole school and community to celebrate our beautiful Christingle service. The glowing candles, songs, and shared moments made it a truly memorable event, reminding us all of the light we can bring to others.

As we continue through Advent, may we all find ways to share hope, kindness, and love with those around us.





## Nativity Service – Tuesday 16th December at 1:30pm



We are looking forward to our Nativity Service on Tuesday 16th December at 1:30pm. Our head pupils will be leading the service, and each class will perform a special song they have been working on with Mrs Henry. Throughout the service, the children and congregation will join together in singing traditional carols to bring the story of the first Christmas to life.

The children in Otters and Hedgehogs will help build the Nativity scene as we tell the story, making it a truly memorable occasion.

Parents are warmly invited to join us, but we kindly ask that no more than two adults per family. This will ensure there is enough space for everyone and that the church remains a calm and welcoming environment for our younger children.

We will leave school at 1:15pm to walk down to the church and would greatly appreciate adult volunteers to help us with the walk. After the service, all children will return to school and can be collected at the usual time of 3:15pm.

To make the afternoon even more festive, the PTA will be serving mulled wine and mince pies after the service - perfect for warming up and enjoying a chat with other parents.

We hope you can join us for this special celebration of Christmas.

### Christmas Post

The children are welcome to bring Christmas cards in for their friends. All cards should be posted in the Christmas Postbox, which can be found in the library. Our Year 6 pupils will then deliver the cards on the last day of term.

Please make sure that you include the **child's name and class** on the envelope, as we do have a few children with the same names in school. This will help ensure that every card reaches the right person.





### **Autumn 2025**

12<sup>th</sup> December Own Clothes – Bottles for the Christmas Fair  
 16<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Nativity Service @ 1:30pm  
 17<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day £1 donation  
 17<sup>th</sup> December PTA Christmas Fair

### **Spring 2026**

13<sup>th</sup> January – 24<sup>th</sup> March Year 4-6 Swimming at Sandbach Leisure Centre  
 5<sup>th</sup> February MCP Indoor Hockey Y5/6 after school @ Middlewich High School  
 10<sup>th</sup> February Parents Evening  
 11<sup>th</sup> February Parents Evening  
 13<sup>th</sup> February PTA Own Clothes £1  
 3<sup>rd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> March Hedgehogs Residential  
 4<sup>th</sup> March CDAT Tag Rugby Y3/4 @ Brereton CE Primary 9.15-12.15pm  
 12<sup>th</sup> March MCP Netball Y3/4 after school @ Middlewich High School  
 18<sup>th</sup> March Own Clothes – Easter Eggs for the PTA Bingo  
 19<sup>th</sup> March MCP Netball Y5/6 after school @ Middlewich High School  
 20<sup>th</sup> March PTA Music Bingo  
 27<sup>th</sup> March Easter Service @ 10am

### **Summer 2026**

15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> April Squirrels and Badgers Residential  
 2<sup>nd</sup> May Warmingham Wakes  
 7<sup>th</sup> May MCP Football Y5/6 after school @ Middlewich High School  
 20<sup>th</sup> May CDAT Y5/6 Hockey @ Brereton CE Primary 9.15-12.15pm  
 21<sup>st</sup> May MHS Football Y3/4 after school @ Middlewich High School  
 22<sup>nd</sup> May PTA Own Clothes £1  
 11<sup>th</sup> June MCP Rounders Y5/6 after school @ Middlewich Primary  
 15<sup>th</sup> June CDAY Y3/4 Hockey @ Brereton CE Primary 9.15-12.15pm  
 18<sup>th</sup> June Sports Day  
 24<sup>th</sup> June MCP Town Sports Y3-6 after school @ Middlewich Primary  
 25<sup>th</sup> June Reserve Sports Day  
 26<sup>th</sup> June PTA Family Quiz  
 10<sup>th</sup> July Children's end of Year Reports  
 15<sup>th</sup> July Break the Rules Day  
 15<sup>th</sup> July Y6 Prom (Y5 welcome)  
 17<sup>th</sup> July Celebration Service @ 10am

### **TERM Dates & INSET Days**

**New dates or changes to previously advertised dates are shown in bold**