



Weekly

17.7.26

Newsletter

Classroom Highlights

This week, **Nursery** enjoyed plenty of outdoor play in the warm weather, creating a beach-themed sand area and exploring melting ice. Children also had a fantastic EYFS Sports Day, where the children were amazing and loved sharing the experience with their families.

This week, **Reception** enjoyed their final PE lesson, using all the ball skills they have learned this term in lots of fun games. They have also loved sharing their favourite traditional tales from this year and retelling the stories together. During circle time, they have been chatting about their exciting move to Year 1 next year and all the new adventures to come!

Year 1 have been busy practising their handwriting and are working hard to make their writing neat and clear. In maths, they have been learning how to tell the time and have enjoyed developing this important life skill. 🕒

This week, **Year 2** enjoyed their Marble Day of Fun. They shared board games, enjoyed a fabulous picnic outside and then watched a film with some delicious snacks. What a wonderful day!

Year 3 have had a fantastic week! They showed great perseverance, courage and friendship during Sports Day. In Maths, they have been comparing, adding and subtracting fractions, and in Science they dissected flowers to identify parts including the petal, stamen, sepal and stigma. 🌻

This week, **Year 4** completed their reading lessons by exploring the writer's views and using clues from the text to work out the meaning of unfamiliar words.

Year 5 have been looking ahead in PSHE this week, exploring what life might be like as a Year 6 pupil and thinking about the exciting changes that come with becoming a teenager. The children shared their thoughts, questions and aspirations as they reflected on the next stage of their journey.

Well done, **Year 6**, on an amazing week! We loved your fantastic performance of What a Knight! and hope you had a brilliant time on your residential at the Anderton Centre. Enjoy your final full week at Wardley and make lots of special memories together! ✨

Dear Parents and Carers,

There has been lots happening across school again this week! We have loved welcoming our new Nursery families for home visits, helping our youngest children get ready for their exciting start at Wardley in September. It has been wonderful getting to know them as they begin their school journey with us.

Our Year 3 and Year 4 children enjoyed a fantastic Sports Day, showing great teamwork, determination and encouragement throughout.

Our youngest children also had a brilliant EYFS Sports Day, and it was lovely to see so many families cheering them on.

Year 6 have had an unforgettable week, delivering fantastic performances of What a Knight before heading off to The Anderton Centre, where they challenged themselves, tried new activities and created memories that will last a lifetime.

This has also been the final full week at Wardley for both our Year 6 children and Mr Houston. To our amazing Year 6 pupils, good luck as you move on to high school. You have been a wonderful group of children and we are incredibly proud of everything you have achieved. We would also like to thank Mr Houston for everything he has done for our school community. He will be greatly missed, and we wish him every success in his new role.

Next week, Year 6 will take part in their exciting Fiver Challenge, and we are looking forward to the final three days of term, including our non-uniform fundraising day and lots of end-of-year celebrations.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We hope you have a wonderful weekend and look forward to seeing everyone for the final few special days of the school year.

Mrs Kelly

Upcoming Events

- **Mon 20th July** - EYFS Treat Day
- **Tues 21st July** - Y6 Fiver Challenge
- **Tues 21st July** - Y5 Treat Day
- **Wed 22nd July** - Last Day of Term



'With God's Love We Can Do All Things'

Christian Value

The value of **Truthfulness** is about much more than simply telling the truth when it's easy. It means being honest with ourselves and others, even when it takes courage. It's about choosing to do the right thing, speaking with sincerity, and being someone others can rely on.



Attendance - Mr Potato Head



We're excited to launch our brand-new Spud-tacular Attendance Challenge from September! Every classroom will have its own Mr. Potato Head display, and each week a class achieves 95% attendance or above, they will earn a new body part or fun accessory to add. From hats and glasses to arms and shoes, children will enjoy watching their Mr. Potato Head grow as they work together to achieve great attendance.

Once a class has completed their Mr. Potato Head, they'll earn a special whole-class reward to celebrate their fantastic effort! The challenge is all about teamwork, responsibility and making sure every child gets the most out of their learning by being in school every day. We know that every day counts, helping children make progress, build friendships and enjoy all the exciting opportunities school has to offer. Thank you for your continued support. We can't wait to see our classrooms become truly Spud-tacular!

Rewards - Dojo Points

From September, we are excited to be launching ClassDojo across the whole school as a fun and positive way to celebrate children's achievements and encourage our Wardley Way values every day.



Children will earn Dojo Points for demonstrating Respect, Courage, Friendship, Trust and Perseverance, as well as for achievements such as reading at home, excellent presentation, maths success and being a positive role model. As points build throughout each half term, children will work towards Bronze, Silver, Gold, Platinum and Diamond Awards, with certificates presented during our weekly Celebration Assemblies.

ClassDojo will help motivate children, celebrate success and reinforce the positive attitudes and behaviours that help everyone thrive. We are looking forward to sharing this exciting new reward system with our children and celebrating their achievements throughout the year. Thank you for your continued support.

Attendance



Attendance Award - Year 2

Well done to **Year 1**, who received our award for the best attendance for the week before the holidays, with **96.9%**.

Thank you once again for your continued support, as we work together to promote the importance of good attendance here at Wardley.



Wardley C.E
Primary School

Outdoor Maintenance
Community Day

**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**



We Need Help From You

- ✓ Preparing flower beds and planters
- ✓ Painting the railings, fencing and benches
- ✓ Clearing border areas
- ✓ Donating tools, equipment and supplies
- ✓ Plus much more!!!



Monday, 24th August, 2026

Start At : 9:00am - 15:00pm



REGISTER YOUR AVAILABILITY AND SUPPORT

Outdoor Maintenance Community Day - Wishlist

- Fencing paint - Wood Stain
- Paint Brushes and Rollers
- Dustsheets
- Rubber Gloves
- Bedding Plants



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"We can do all things"



Dates for Diary - Summer Term 2026

June	
Tue 2 nd – Fri 12 th	Y4 Statutory Multiplication Tables Check (MTC)
Tue 2 nd	Five Step Wellbeing Day
Mon 8 th – Fri 12 th	Year 1 Statutory Phonics Screening Check (PSC)
Tue 9 th	Y6 Residential meeting for parents in hall – 4:30pm
Fri 12 th	Y4 Class Experience – The Lowry
Mon 15 th – Tues 16 th	Terry Franke Online Safety Workshops (Y5/Y6 & EYFS)
Tues 16 th	World Cup Fun Day
Wed 17 th	Swinton High School – Visiting Y6
Wed 24 th	Courageous Advocacy Celebration Assembly
Thu 25 th – Fri 26 th	Y6 High School Transition – Salford Secondary Schools
Fri 26 th	Pass the Class – Transition Day (N-Y5)
Mon 29 th	EYFS 26/27 - Parents Welcome Meeting – 4:00-5:00 p.m
July	
Mon 6 th	Y1/Y2 Meet the Teacher – 3:20-4:00 p.m
Tues 7 th	Y5/Y6 Meet the Teacher – 3:20-4:00 p.m
Wed 8 th	Y3 Class Experience – Church Visit
	Y3/Y4 Meet the Teacher – 3:20-4:00 p.m
Thur 9 th	Y1/Y2 Sports Day – 9:00 a.m
Fri 10 th	Summer Reports
Fri 10 th	Y5/Y6 Sports Day – 9:00 a.m
Fri 10 th	Y6 Leavers' Party – 7:30 p.m. Clifton Cricket Club
Mon 13 th – Wed 15 th	Nursery 2026/2027 Home Visits
Mon 13 th	Y3/Y4 Sports Day – 9:00 a.m
Mon 13 th	Y6 Production for Parents – 5:00 p.m
Wed 15 th – Thu 16 th	Y6 Residential Overnight Stay
Thu 16 th	EYFS Sports Day – 9:00 a.m
Fri 17 th	Non-uniform Fundraising Day
Tue 21 st	Y6 Fiver Challenge
Wed 22 nd	Last Day of Term
We return for the 2026/27 Academic Year on Wednesday 2 nd September, 2026	