



Red Class had fun in the forest last week.



Our Meet the Teacher afternoon will be held on **Wednesday 1st July 2026**. The timings are as follows:

**Key Stage 1: 4:30-5:15pm,**

**Lower Key Stage 2: 5:15-6pm,**

**Upper Key Stage 2: 6-6:45pm.**

The date for **Sports Day** has been pencilled in for **Monday 18th May**. If the weather is bad and the event is cancelled on this date, the following day, **Tuesday 19th May** will be our next date for Sports Day, this day is also weather dependent. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Our end of year performances will be held on the following dates:

**Year 5/6 end of year performances**— Monday 6th July 2pm / Tuesday 7th July— 6pm.

**Year 1/2 performances**— Tuesday 7th July— 2:30pm prompt / Wednesday 8th July— 9:15am.

**Year 3/4 performances** - Tuesday 7th July— 9:15am / Wednesday 8th July— 2:30pm.



**Sunday 24th May**  
14 mile circular moorland walk

9 mile Western Skyline or 3 mile Sunday Stroll options available  
Start between 7.45 and 9am at Lobden Golf Club

Refreshments en route and meal at finish

Entry forms available across Whitworth

Organised by Whitworth Sports Council



## We are looking for volunteers!

- Can you spare an afternoon a week to help a local primary school inspire children to become readers?
- By giving a few hours a week, in a local primary school, you could make a real difference to how well children do at school, and in life.
- We'll train you to set children up to succeed ... sharing, talking and having fun with books to help them understand the joy of reading.

**Make a difference to a child's life, and to yours.**

"These reading sessions have quickly become one of the highlights of my week. Thanks for this lovely opportunity!"

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(England and Wales)

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Chloe become a reader?



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Could you help create a reader?

Support a child in a local primary school once a week as a trained Coram Beanstalk reading helper. Scan the code to find out more.



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"You can find  
**MAGIC**  
wherever you  
**LOOK.**  
Sit back and  
**RELAX,**  
all you need is a  
**BOOK."**

- Dr. Seuss



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- ★ Highly experienced support staff
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- ★ Forest School opportunities
- ★ Community allotment access
- ★ Safe, caring & nurturing environment

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[www.tonacliffe.lancs.sch.uk](http://www.tonacliffe.lancs.sch.uk)

Tonacliffe Road, Whitworth,  
OL12 8SS



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### Use of mobile phones.

We would like to remind parents and carers that children should not use mobile phones to take photographs or videos on school grounds, including before the start of the school day.

Whilst we understand that some children bring mobile phones to school for safety reasons when traveling, taking photos at school raises important online safety concerns. Images may include other children or adults without their permission, and once photos are taken they can be shared online very quickly, sometimes without children fully understanding the risks or long-term consequences.

### To help keep everyone safe:

- **Mobile phones should be switched off and kept out of sight once children arrive on school grounds.**
- **Children must not take photos or videos on the premises.**
- **Any necessary communication should take place before entering school.**
- **Mobile phones must be handed in as children enter school.**

Failure to follow these rules may lead to phones being confiscated and parents being requested to collect these at the end of the school day.

We ask parents and carers to support the school by discussing online safety, privacy and consent with their children, and reinforcing these expectations.

Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep our school community safe.

# STAR PUPILS

Nursery:	Archie C.
Green Class:	Neve R.
Pink Class:	Iona M.
White Class:	Florence M.
Red Class:	Joshua J.
Yellow Class:	Lana H.
Orange Class :	Ivan D.
Lime Class:	Lara S.
Turquoise Class:	Jamar I.
Gold Class:	Olivia G.
Purple Class:	William B.

# HOUSE POINTS

Ash: 347

Oak: 299

**Hazel: 390**

Willow: 360

Well done

to the Hazel Team who are this week's winners!

# ATTENDANCE

We aim for at least 97% attendance each week; here are the attendance figures for last week:

	Yellow Class:	96.7%	
Green Class:	100%	Orange Class:	95.6%
Pink Class:	94.1%	Lime Class:	93.1%
White Class:	94.9%	Turquoise Class:	97.5%
Red Class:	98.4%	Gold Class:	96.1%
	Purple Class:	96.6%	

**Our overall school attendance figure for week ending**

**Friday 24th April is: 96.4%**

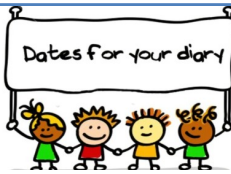
# FRIENDSHIP &

# KINDNESS AWARD

**Lexi A.**

For being there for someone who was upset and looking after them all day.





**Please remember to visit our website for long term dates. Thank you.**

**Monday 4th May:** School closed– Bank holiday.

**Thursday 7th May:** School closed– Staff inset day.

**Monday 11th May:** SATs Week begins.

**Thursday 14th May:** School nurse drop-in session– 10:30am– cancelled.

**Monday 18th May:** Sports Day (weather permitting)- parents welcome.

**Tuesday 19th May:** Sports day reserve date (weather permitting)- parents welcome.

**Wednesday 20th May:** World Bee Day– bee & pollinator workshop– all classes.

**Friday 22nd May:** Last day of Summer Term 1.

**Monday 1st June:** School reopens for Summer term 2.



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**Tuesday 2nd June:** Turquoise Class library visit.

**Thursday 4th June:** Proposed Year 5 trip to St Anne's— children arrive at school 8:30am.

**Friday 5th June:** Proposed Year 6 trip to St Anne's— children arrive at school 8:30am.

**Thursday 11th June:** Purple Class library visit.

**Thursday 18th June:** Pink Class library visit.

**Friday 19th June:** Green Class library visit.

**Tuesday 23rd June:** Lime Class parents' assembly— parents welcome. **9am prompt.**

**Thursday 25th June:** Gold Class library visit.

**Tuesday 30th June:** Rocksteady concert— parents welcome. **2pm prompt.**

**Thursday 2nd July:** Rocksteady concert— parents welcome. **9:15am prompt.**

**Wednesday 1st July:** Meet the teacher: **KS1: 4:30-5:15pm**  
**LKS2: 5:15-6pm.**  
**UKS2: 6-6:45pm.**

**Monday 6th July:** Year 5/6 end of year performance— parents welcome. **2pm prompt.**

**Tuesday 7th July:** Pink Class library visit.

**Tuesday 7th July:** Year 3/4 performance— parents welcome. **9:15am prompt.**

**Tuesday 7th July:** Year 1/2 performance— parents welcome. **2:30pm prompt.**

**Tuesday 7th July:** Year 5/6 performance— parents welcome. **6pm prompt.**

**Wednesday 8th July:** Year 1/2 performance— parents welcome. **9:15am prompt.**

**Wednesday 8th July:** Year 3/4 performance— parents welcome. **2:30pm prompt.**

**Thursday 9th July:** Proposed Year 1/2 trip to St Anne's— children arrive at school 8:30am.

# School Term Dates 2025/2026

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	<b>Training days (children do not attend school)</b>
	<b>Holidays</b>

# School Term Dates 2026/2027

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- Holiday
- Training Day