



# St Lawrence Church of England Primary School

"Let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven." Matthew 5:16

Newsletter: 21<sup>st</sup> March 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a busy week here at St Lawrence. This week we have been celebrating Neurodiversity Week, exploring how neurodiversity presents itself in different ways and giving children the opportunity to ask questions and find out more. In classes there have been discussions and videos shared as well as an assembly to highlight the fact that we are all unique and we all have differing needs.

This week has also been assessment week where we carry out end of term assessments to see the progress children have made in their learning throughout the term. It has been pleasing to see just how hard the children have worked and how they are taking responsibility for their learning and progress. Next Friday, children in Years 1 to 6 will be bringing home interim reports. These will give you an indication of the progress your child is making and also their next steps for English and maths. These reports can be discussed in Parent Consultations the following week if there are any questions you have. Next Wednesday we have our next Forest School session. Please ensure the children come to school with their Forest School Kit so they can enjoy taking part in the activities. We hope you have a wonderful weekend.

## STREET TAG



We are currently 4<sup>th</sup> on the Leaderboard!

Please continue to collect as many tags as possible as you walk, bike or scoot. Tags are available until 28<sup>th</sup> April.

Don't forget, if you are out and about and cannot see any Tags around you place a new one for others to find!

You can also take advantage of 2 x power hours per day, where you can earn triple points! Power hours can be set in the playground area of the app.

## Dates for your Diary

All dates for the school year can be found on the school website. Please click [here](#) to access them.



## St Lawrence Values

This half term our value is Forgiveness.



This week, being Neurodiversity week, the children thought about how forgiveness is an important part of moving on from situations that may occur and having the understanding that we are all different and deal with things in different ways.

## Picture News

The story and question that the children will be thinking about next week is...

World leaders from around twenty countries have agreed to join a 'coalition of the willing', where they will work together to support Ukraine.

**Question:** Do world leaders have a duty to help other countries?



## Who can I contact?

If you have any queries about your child and their education, please contact your child's class teacher in the first instance. They will be available at the classroom door each day at the start and end of school.

If you need to speak with a member of staff about SEND, behaviour or safeguarding, please contact the following members of staff:

SEND – Mrs Ashford (Owls Class)

Behaviour – Mrs Smith (Woodpeckers Class)

Safeguarding – Mrs Bush or Mrs Nicklin

## Family Fun Day Safeguarding - New TikTok Features

During the 2nd week of March TikTok released some new features which will help with supervision. These new features include Time Away, a feature to decide when it's time for children to take a break and a reoccurring schedule. There's also a feature which allows parents to see who their children are following on TikTok.

More information about these new features can be found [HERE](#) and the full range of TikTok Family Pairing features can be found [HERE](#).



## Mother's Day Celebration

We are very pleased to extend an invitation to all Mum's (or other female relative if you are unable to attend) into school on Friday 28th March for an afternoon of arts and crafts with your child/(ren) to celebrate Mother's Day. You should have received a letter on ParentMail with a reply slip to confirm your attendance. If you require a hard copy of the letter please see Mrs Blackburn in the school office. Reply slips need to be returned by Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March!

## Voice 21 Conversation Starter...

What makes you laugh the most?



## Easter Church Service – Friday 4th April 2025

Please come along to our end of term Easter church service being held at St Lawrence Church on Friday 4th April at 2.30pm as we celebrate another wonderful term at St Lawrence School. We hope to see many of you there.



## Celebrations

Our stars of the week are:



Robins Class – King Nkire

Woodpeckers Class – Albie O'Brien-Crowhurst & Amelia Corp

Kingfishers Class – George Richards

Owls Class – Stanley Jones & Serhii Ishchenko

Kites Class – Caleb Jackson & Autumn Foster

Eagles Class – Ella-Mae Greer & Brody Monaghan

Well done to all of these children!

The 'mindjurny' logo, with the word 'mindjurny' in a colorful, lowercase, sans-serif font.



Check out our new scheme designed to empower and support young people, families, and schools with mental health and emotional wellbeing needs. To access, click the link below: <https://mindjurny.com/pages/st-lawrence-primary-school>

We would love to hear your feedback on this new resource. Please email your comments to [admin@st-lawrenceschool.co.uk](mailto:admin@st-lawrenceschool.co.uk) or call Mrs Bush on 01933 353530.

## This Week at St Lawrence...

Spring is in the air!

Eagles have been planting carrots and flowers and Woodpeckers have been planting beans and peas.



Today was Red Nose Day...



## St Lawrence Church Mother's Day Service.



You are invited to the Mother's Day Service at St Lawrence Church on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> March at 9:30am. Refreshments will be served after the service.

## Forest School Reminder

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March the children have Forest School!



St Lawrence Primary School  
PTA

# Spring Raffle

£1 per ticket

BROUGHT TO YOU BY YOUR PTA

**MARCH 28TH** | ONLINE DRAW AT 2PM

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED ONLINE NOW

THE MAIN RAFFLE CAN BE ACCESSED HERE:  
<https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/raffle/stlawrencepta-springaffle>

SEPARATE RAFFLE FOR THE CHANCE TO WIN A TATTOO VOUCHER

THE TATTOO VOUCHER RAFFLE CAN BE ACCESSED HERE:  
<https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/raffle/stlawrencepta-tattooraffle>

THESE ARE SOME OF OUR FANTASTIC SUPPORTERS WHO HAVE DONATED PRIZES:

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