Lulworth & Winfrith CE Primary School

Belief, Fellowship, Harmony
Matthew 31:32 - 33



Autumn 1, Week 8 Newsletter

Coastal Learning PARTNERSHIP

Dear Families,

As we reach the end of a busy and successful first half term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support. The positive partnership we share between home and school is something we value greatly, and the open communication we enjoy helps us to provide the very best experience for every child. Thank you for all that you do to support our school community.

As we reach the October half term holiday, I am excited to launch a new project linked to one of our core Christian values: **Aspiration**.

We want to inspire our current pupils by celebrating the achievements, experiences and journeys of those who once walked the corridors of our school. We know that former pupils of Lulworth & Winfrith Primary School, Lulworth First School and Winfrith First School have gone on to follow a wide range of careers, embrace exciting opportunities and achieve wonderful things. Some have stayed within the local community and have made a positive difference to those nearby, where as others have moved further away and have attended Universities and even worked abroad. We think that their stories can help our children see what is possible and will encourage them to dream big for their own futures.

Attached to this newsletter is a flyer and response form for our project: **Lulworth & Winfrith Roots, Future Routes**. We would be very grateful if you could share these with friends, family members and anyone you know who attended our school in the past. If you are a former pupil yourself, we would love to hear from you too!

Please take a few moments to share/complete the form and return it to the school office. We know that many former pupils now live far beyond our local area, so any help in spreading the word would be greatly appreciated. The more stories we can gather, the richer this project will become!

Our hope is to create an empowering display celebrating members of our extended school family and showcasing the many different paths they have taken. We have no doubt that these real-life examples of growth, resilience and success will inspire our children; helping them to aspire, believe in themselves and recognise that they too can achieve their dreams.

Thank you in advance for your support, and we wish you all a happy, restful and enjoyable half-term break.

Mrs Griffiths
Headteacher

Certificates and Achievements

Well done to all students. You have worked so hard this week!

We look forward to seeing you on Monday 2nd November 2026

Upcoming Dates

October		
Monday 26th to Friday 30th	Half Term Break	
November		
Monday 2nd	Students return to school	
Tuesday 3rd	Flu Vaccination Programme, both sites	Morning
Friday 6th	All Pieces of Peace (Remembrance Project) submissions to be given to the school office	
Friday 6th	All replies due for Bindon Class: Purbeck Singing Project	
Monday 9th	Winfrith Class: Learning Snapshot for Parents of Years R,1&2	2.30pm - 3.00pm
Wednesday 11th	Remembrance Day (Children to wear poppy colours, scouting uniform or accessories to reflect they are from a service family)	
Thursday 12th	Bindon and Worbarrow Class: Learning Snapshot for parents of Years 3-6	2.30pm - 3.00pm
Wednesday 25th	Fraser Individual Portraits (both sites)	9.30am - 2.00pm
Thursday 26th	Year 5&6: Brenscombe Residential Meeting for Parents	2.30pm - 3.15pm
December		
Wednesday 2nd	SEND Drop In for Families: Lulworth based	2.30pm - 3.30pm
Thursday 3rd	PTFA Pantomime Visit: Whole School, Lulworth	9.00am - 12.00pm
Thursday 3rd	PTFA Christmas Fayre. Lulworth	After school
Wednesday 9th	Nativity Performance for Parents/Carers. Year R,1&2, Winfrith	2.15pm - 3.15pm
Thursday 10th	Nativity Performance for Parents/Carers. Year R,1&2, Winfrith	2.15pm – 3.15pm
Friday 11th	Christmas Jumper Day	All Day
Friday 11th	Christmas Lunch	12.00pm – 1.00pm
Wednesday 16th	Christmas Celebration for Parents/Carers. Year 3-6, Lulworth	Time TBC
Friday 18th	School finishes for Pupils	1.15pm
Monday 21st to Friday 31st	Christmas Break	
January 2027		
Monday 4th	Inset Day	
Tuesday 5th	Pupils return to school	