



Love, learn and grow together

Chester Zoo

What an amazing day we had at the zoo.

Many thanks to all the staff who accompanied the children and to all the children for being so well behaved and appreciative.



Harvest Time

At this time of year farmers are busy all over the UK collecting in vegetables, fruit and grain to be stored over the winter. Harvest is a time when we give thanks to God for the food that we have and give generously to those who are not as fortunate as ourselves.

At our harvest festival we will sing about the harvest and say prayers of thanks. We will be collecting tins of food to be sent to our local food bank. All families are invited to donate. We will also be making up some special fresh food harvest boxes for any local elderly neighbours, to let them know that we, as a school and parish community, are thinking of and praying for them.

Anyone wishing to donate fresh food and flowers for these harvest boxes, is very welcome to do so. If you know of someone who would appreciate receiving a harvest box, please let the school office know.

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Autumn Term fundraising

Thank you to everyone who came to the Friends meeting yesterday. Anyone who couldn't come but would like to help, please let the school office know.

London Trip

Arrive at school from 6.30am on Thursday morning. We leave at 7am.

Bring a small case for your clothes and toiletries - this will be stored in the boot.

Bring a small handbag or rucksack for the coach. Inside your hand luggage, place toys, playing cards and magazines, a packed lunch and drinks. A pillow will make the journey more comfortable and teddy can come too, if you wish.



Word of the Week

zoologist

a person who studies animals and their behaviour

To improve our spoken and written English we highlight a word each week and use it as much as we can!

Older children may be able to learn the spelling.

Foods from Around the World

Year 5 learnt about foods from around the world in their lesson on Friday. They designed and made the most delicious couscous.



Year 6 and **Year 3** have also been cooking this week. It is so important for children to learn these life skills as they grow.

Many thanks to parents and grandparents who are passing on their cooking skills to the next generation.

Cakes for Macmillan

Thank you to everyone who came this afternoon and to all who made and donated cakes.



Sponsored walk

Friday 22nd October is the date of our annual sponsored walk for school funds. Sponsor forms will be sent out next week.

10% of funds raised will go to Uphill school fund in Western Uganda to help provide books and pencils for the children in our partner school.

	Star of the Week	Marvellous Manners	Reading	Gospel Values
Reception	Alfie	Freya	Dominic	
Year 1	Scarlett	Evie M	James	
Year 2	Harry	Harriet	Wesley-	
Year 3	Harry K	Layla	John	
Year 4	Jack J	Sophie-Rae	Charlotte	
Year 5	Loga	Amelia	Ben	James
Year 6	Ethan	Maisey	Jacob	

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 29th September 2021

- Forest School: Reception, Year 2 and Year 5
- KABS Bootcamps: Year 3 and Year 4

Thursday 30th September 2021

London Trip

Friday 8th October 2021

Harvest Festival 9.15am Bring a tin or packet for the St Helens foodbank

Thursday 14th October 2021

Parents' Evening using phone calls, teams or face to face, details coming soon

Friday 15th October 2021

School Photos, individuals and siblings

Thursday 21st October 2021

Spooky Day - dress up, disco, drinks and dancing!

Friday 22nd October 2021

- Sponsored Walk 2pm
- Half-term ends

Friday 12th November 2021

Remembrance Assembly 9.15am Year 6

Thursday 18th November 2021

Theatre Company in school performing 'A Christmas Carol'

Friday 26th November 2021

Advent Assembly 9.15am Year 5

Birthday Invitations and Sweets

Parents are asked to give out birthday party invites directly to other parents at home time. Invitations given out in class can cause upset for children who are not invited.

We can no longer give out birthday sweets at the end of the day due to a large number of allergies and food intolerances.



September Saints Days

September 29th is Michaelmas Day when we celebrate the feasts of St Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, the archangels.

Thursday 30th September is the feast of St Jerome, the patron saint of school children, archaeologists and librarians.

