



St. Michael's Woolmer Green C of E School

'Shine as Lights in the World'

Autumn Term News

Week Ending: Friday 10th October 2025



Our School Value for the month of October is 'Sharing'

Our Jigsaw PSHE themes for the Autumn Term are 'Being Me in the World & Celebrating Difference'

Our St. Michael's Golden Rule is: 'We will treat one another in a fair and equal way and treat others in the way we wish to be treated.'

Our Value for October - Sharing

Think about the best toy you have....your most favourite possession.... Could you share it?

On Monday we considered whether we could share our favourite, most prized possession.

The children listened to a story, set long ago, where each character had only one thing left and was asked to share it. Some found this more difficult than others but once the possessions were put together, they benefitted everyone.

Harvest Around the World Day

We had a wonderful day on Wednesday celebrating and taking part in harvest related activities. The children were vertically grouped with the older children supporting the younger ones and there were seven different activities for the children to do; Forest School Harvest scavenger hunt, rice art, rice relay, Harvest poem and global map activity, fruit display, Thankfulness Tree and Harvest Crowns. Mrs. Pulham took a whole school assembly first thing to explain Harvest and the activities planned for the day. Please click on this [link](#) for more pictures from the day.



KS2 Harvest Pilgrimage

Next Wednesday 15th October we will be walking with the children to All Saints Church in Datchworth. As we walk across the fields children will need to wear comfortable shoes - walking boots, trainers (no wellies) and leave at school a pair of shoes to change into, as it may be muddy. All children should wear PE uniform and will have to carry a water bottle, so nothing too big and we will provide a biscuit snack when we arrive at the church. Reverend Susannah will meet us at the church and Year 6 will read a few harvest prayers before we return to school. The weather looks dry, but a coat may be needed.

Bishop's Harvest Appeal



Next Friday 17th October, Oak Class will be holding a cake sale after school with all proceeds going to the Bishop's Harvest Appeal. The Appeal this year is called 'Rewrite Their Future'. In partnership with Mission Direct, donations will be given to support work in Uganda and Zambia, focused on building schools and improving access to education. Thank you to Year 6, who have been learning about children's rights and responsibilities and that many children in some countries are not able to attend school and receive an education.

Autumn Whole School Writing

Many classes are completing their first Literacy Tree book for this term, and we have had some amazing writing from across the school; diaries, newspaper reports, character writing and wonderful descriptions. Please see photos of the displays on our [website](#).





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Pupil Progress Meetings Years 1-6

The days and times for these went live on Wednesday, so hopefully you have been able to book. If not, please speak to the office. Our SENCo team and school family worker will be available on the Tuesday. Teachers will speak to you about progress, strengths, areas to work on and attitude to learning. We hope the discussion will prove helpful. Our 'Book Looks' will take place after half term.

Hello Yellow Day

Today we celebrated Hello Yellow Day in support of 'YoungMinds', a fantastic charity supporting children's mental health. All donations can be given digitally, through our online sponsorship page so please scan the QR code to donate. Alternatively, you can click [here](#). Thank you to Chase and Harry (our Year 6 School Councillors) for their presentation in assembly this morning, explaining how this charity helps young people. We have had a record amount of money donated this year, so far, over £500 with gift aid, so thank you for your generosity.



Active Travel Ambassadors

Congratulations to our new Year 5 ATAs, Max, Archie, Fleur, Chloe, Skye and Muna. I received a record number of applications this year which is fantastic. The quality of the applications was so good we had to draw out the successful candidates. I thank all those that applied for their enthusiasm and willingness to get involved and the ATAs look forward to getting started on their active initiatives.

Attendance Cup

Congratulations to **Cherry Class** this week with **100%** attendance - amazing!

Parking Complaint

I am receiving complaints about some of the parking around school, especially from residents in Mardleybury Court. The parking here is for

residents only. When spoken to by a resident some parents/carers have been quite rude. Please, please park responsibly and respect our neighbours! As I always inform you, parking at the Village Hall is a great option and gives the children a short walk to and from school. Thank you for your support with this.

Celebration of Work

Congratulations to the following children, who shared their work with the school in our Celebration Assembly.

Willow Class: Layla & Theo R
Cherry Class: Megan & Rose
Redwood Class: Aadhya
Elm Class: Lola & Tobias
Beech Class: Max
Oak Class: Immy & Harry

Celebration of our School Vision and Values

Well done to the children listed below, for demonstrating our School Vision and Values.

Willow Class: Harrison
Cherry Class: Daley
Redwood Class: Elliott
Elm Class: Jacob B
Beech Class: Poppy
Oak Class: Eliza

Reading Plus Certificates (Elm & Beech Class)

Congratulations to Scarlett, Lola, Jacob B, Olivia, Molly, Madison, Elliott, Troy, Elena and Luca, for receiving their reading plus certificates this week, with a special mention to Vlad and Yarik who have reached Level G! Well done to everyone!



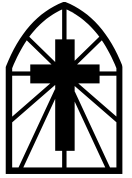


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What's On:

- 10.10.25 - Hello Yellow Day for Young Minds
13.10.25 - Individual Photographs
15.10.25 - KS2 Pilgrimage to Datchworth All Saints Church
17.10.25 - Cake Sale for the Bishop's Appeal
21.10.25 - 8.45 for 9.00am start - PTA AGM
- **Pupil Progress Meetings Years 1 - 6**
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24.10.25 - Non-uniform day in exchange for a raffle prize or bottle (PTA)
'Stay & Play' for pre-school children
27.10.25 - **Half Term**
3.11.25 - Autumn 2 begins
4.11.25 - Open Morning for prospective parents
5.11.25 - Castles Drama Reception & KS1
10.11.25 - Anti-bullying week, 'The Power of Good'
- **Book Look Year 1 2:45pm**
11.11.25 - **Book Look Year 2 2:45pm**
12.11.25 - **Book Look Year 4 8:55am**
13.11.25 - World Kindness Day
- **Book Look Year 3 2:45pm**
14.11.25 - Children in Need non-uniform day
17.11.25 - Global Entrepreneur Week (PTA)
- **Book Look Year 5 2:45pm**
18.11.25 - **Book Look Year 6 2:45pm**
21.11.25 - 'Stay & Play' for pre-school children
27.11.25 - Switching on the Lights (after school)
28.11.25 - **Occasional Day (school closed)**
5.12.25 - Christmas Film Night (PTA)
8.12.25 - Pre-school Nativity 10am
9.12.25 - Open Morning for Prospective Parents
11.12.25 - KS1 Nativity 9.15am
12.12.25 - KS1 Nativity 9.15am
- 'Stay & Play' for pre-school children
15.12.25 - 'Elfridges' opens (PTA)
16.12.25 - Reception Nativity 9.15am
17.12.25 - KS2 Carol Service 9am
18.12.25 - KS2 Carol Service 2.30pm
19.12.25 - Finish for Christmas at **1.30pm**