



Tilston Parochial
CE Primary School

Bringing out the Best in Everyone.

'Encourage one another and build each other up.' Thessalonians 5:11

Date: 13th January 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

It's been a lovely week in school with lots of great learning taking place.

Science Fair 2023

We have had an overwhelming response from KS2 for this year's Bishop Heber High School Science Fair. Mrs Bryan will lead a parent information meeting on Monday 23rd January at 2:45pm to share past projects and information regarding the expectations required.

We will provide the display boards and will happily print off any work needed as part of the projects.

There are lots of fabulous ideas and we look forward to seeing the final projects at the fair.

TSA

The TSA are working in partnership with the school, Scouts and Place2Be to support and promote this year's Children's Mental Health Week, which takes place between Monday 6th and Friday 10th February.

This year's theme is 'Let's Connect', and we are planning a big breakfast event on Friday 10th Feb to bring our school community together to encourage meaningful connections that can support our mental health and our sense of wellbeing. Please see the attached poster for details.

Road Closure- Malpas to Tilston Road

The road between Malpas and Tilston will be closed for emergency tree works from Monday 16th January. It is anticipated that the work will last for approximately 5 days. Please follow the diversion signs and allow extra time on your journey to school.



Do you have a child in year 4?

If so, your child will be participating in the multiplication tables check in June, this is a statutory assessment.

The purpose of the check is to determine whether your child can fluently recall their times tables up to 12, which is essential for future success in mathematics.

Mrs Hughes, our maths subject leader, would like to invite you to a meeting to discuss the multiplication check on Wednesday 8th February at 3:15pm or 5:30pm. We strongly encourage all parents to attend.

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Please click on the link for more information.

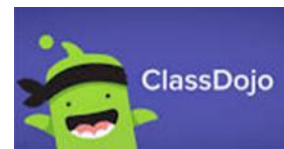
[Multiplication tables check: information for parents \(text version\) - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](#)

Next week's menu is WEEK 2
[Layout 1 \(tilston.cheshire.sch.uk\)](#)



This week's Class Dojo Champions

The House Martins are this week's dojo champions. Well done everyone- two weeks on the run!



| Wrens & Bluebell Nursery | Robins | House Martins | Kestrels |
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| 356 | 560 | 603 | 168 |



Our Star Hand Writer



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| Reception | Harvey |
| Year 1 | Alfie W |
| Year 2 | George |
| Year 3 | Lara |
| Year 4 | Sophie |
| Year 5 | Harry T |
| Year 6 | Martha |

This week's personal development goal is work hard. ALL the children have had a great start to the new term and are working really hard. Well done, Tilston! Please see below the children who have been awarded a Headteacher's Award this week.



Stars of the Week



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| YR | Jake: working hard in Letters and Sounds |
| Y1 | Evelyn: working hard at improving her writing |
| Y2 | Katie: working very hard in all areas of learning |
| Y3 | Grace: wonderful ideas for her haiku poem |
| Y4 | Isabella: always giving her best |
| Y5 | Lilla: always working hard and trying her best |
| Y6 | Hugo: working hard in maths all week |

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Messy Church

We are delighted to welcome Reverend Tim & Reverend Norma back to run Messy Church. Messy Church is a club open to all pupils in Nursery, reception, Robins and the House Martins. Children attending must be accompanied by a parent.

The club will run on the first Wednesday of every month, starting on Wednesday 1st February 3:15-4:15pm. There is no charge for the club but Reverend Tim and Reverend Norma ask for a donation to cover the cost of refreshments and materials. Please email admin@tilston.cheshire.sch.uk to book a place. Places are limited to 20 and will be allocated on a first come first served basis.



Education Sunday

On Sunday 5th February at 10:30am the annual Education Sunday service will be held at St Mary's Church. Children from Shocklach and Tilston Primary School are invited to join the service. This year we will be singing 'Amazing Grace' and would like to invite all children to come along and represent our school. Please email admin@tilston.cheshire.sch.uk if your child/ren would like to take part. This is always a fun family service and one we thoroughly enjoy being part of.



Cheshire West
and Chester

Cost of Living Support Newsletter

Cheshire West and Chester Council is launching a new e-newsletter to support residents through the cost-of-living crisis.

The rising cost of living means that more people will need help to buy essential goods and heat their homes this winter. This is why we are launching a dedicated e-newsletter, called 'Cost of Living Support,' to inform you about the support available.

The newsletter will come out monthly and can be sent directly to your inbox. In the newsletter, you will find lots of helpful information about the schemes available to help with essential costs, like food and fuel, and other support that you might be eligible for.

The newsletter will have a 'Partner Stories' section where people from other organisations in the community can share what they are doing to lend their support. We will also include helpful advice, from how to heat your home efficiently to money-saving tips.

The first edition is due to launch in January 2023.

If you would like to receive regular updates and hear about the support available, you can [sign up to the Cost of Living Support Newsletter here](#).

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Prayer of the week- Harriet & Izaak (Head Boy and Girl)



Dear God,
Please help us to remember that we can overcome any challenges that come in our way,
We need you to hold out your hand and help us to persevere.
Help us to be strong,
Help us to be courageous,
Help us not to be afraid,
Help us to help others.
Amen.

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Kelsey Mort

Dates for spring term 2023

All dates are subject to change

| Date | Time | Event/Venue |
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| Sunday 5 th February 2023 | 10:30am | Education Sunday at St Mary's Church All children/families are welcome. Tilston School will be singing Amazing Grace as part of the service. Children are expected to wear their school uniforms if attending please to represent our school. |
| Friday 10 th February 2023 | 8am | School Hall TSA/Place2Be Big Breakfast- 'Let's Connect' Please see attached poster for details |
| Friday 17 th February 2023 | | TSA fundraising event. Break the Rules Day Details to follow |
| Thursday 2 nd March 2023 | | World Book Day Details to follow |
| Monday 6 th March 2023 | | AmaSing composing workshop- whole school. Funded by the TSA |

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| Monday 12 th March 2023 | 10am | Online AmaSing workshop- details to follow |
| Wednesday 22 nd March 2023 | 1:15-7pm | Parents' Evening Face to face appointments. |
| Friday 24 th March 2023 | | TSA Easter Bingo Details to follow |
| Thursday 30 th March 2023 | 2pm | Easter Service at St Mary's Church (all children, including nursery, will take part in the service) |
| Friday 31st March- Break up for Spring break | | |

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