

Weekly Newsletter

St Lawrence CE Primary



Friday 25th October 2024

.'Being the best we can be, because with God all things are possible''

Dear Parents,

We are at the end of the long Autumn 1 half term!

The children have been so resilient and determined with their learning in such a long half term, and I am very proud of them all. Our Reception children seem like they have been here for years; they are so settled and engaged with their learning and all the different school routines.

I would like to inform you that our conversations around the possibility of joining a Multi Academy Trust continue, and we will update you further on this after half term when we will have held some further meetings and gained a clearer picture of the next steps.

Parent consultation meetings took place at St Lawrence- if you missed booking an appointment and would like to arrange one for after half term, please speak to the office or your child's teacher.

We have also been busy with sport again this week- congratulations to all the children who took part in the Cross Country event at Chetwynd Deer Park, and to the parents who supported. This is a tricky race with a high standard of competition, especially in the Y6 boys' group, so well done to everyone who gave it their best; we are proud of you.

From all of the staff at Tibberton and St Lawrence schools, we wish you a happy and safe half term break, and look forward to seeing you back at school on Monday 4th November.

Mrs Nash





Celebrating success this week

AWARDS THIS WEEK GO TO....

Alexa, Class 1, for trying hard with her writing and asking for help when she needed it.



THE CORE VALUES AWARD

Our St. Lawrence Values Award is an award nominated by the pupils and teachers to reflect the school's values.

This week **Mrs Kynaston** has nominated **Elsbeth** for showing compassion when others have needed first aid.

TEACHER AWARDS

Class One

Jasmine: for trying hard to blend her phase 2 sounds to make words.

Rasella : For always giving maximum effort.

Class Two

Will W : for using speech in a narrative.

Class Three

Ariana : for good effort in all lessons this week.

Albie : for brilliant enthusiasm to our learning in Geography.

Class Four

Ivy-Rose : for outstanding progress in arithmetic.

Cameron : for always giving 100% in every task he is asked to do.

ATTENDANCE AWARD



Class 1 have won this week's Attendance Trophy with an attendance figure of 98.86%

Very well done!



Celebrating success this week

Teaching of our behaviour curriculum centres around six core behaviours that encourage children to be polite, active learners.

Children can earn awards for showing the six core behaviours. When they have achieved all 6 awards, they get their name and photo on the hall of fame.



This week the Behaviour awards go to

- Class 1** - Super sitting: **Jax**
Marvellous Manners **Elsbeth**
Active Learning: **Alyena**
Fantastic listening: **Hattie**
- Class 2** - Active learning : **Freddie P**
Wonderful walking : **Ella R**
Fantastic listening : **Marios**
- Class 3** - Magnificent manners : **Husdon**
- Class 4** - Super sitting: **Lottie**
Magnificent manners: **Ivy-Rose**
Wonderful walking: **Alexis**
Fantastic listening: **Harry**
Active Learning: **Baaba**



Well done!



This week in school



CLASS 1

What an amazing term Class 1 has had. They have worked their socks off and have risen to every challenge given to them. I am very proud. This week we have looking our foundation subjects and in particular our making and evaluating in DT. We have made healthy wraps using our design brief. We enjoyed grating, spreading, snipping and cutting our ingredients. We got to taste test them at the end! They were delicious!! Well done everyone and I hope you all have a restful half term.

This week in Maths, we have been working on our Number Bonds to 20.

In English we have continued working on our vehicle text, Dragons on the Wrekin

In Science we have been looking at Exercise and Hygiene .

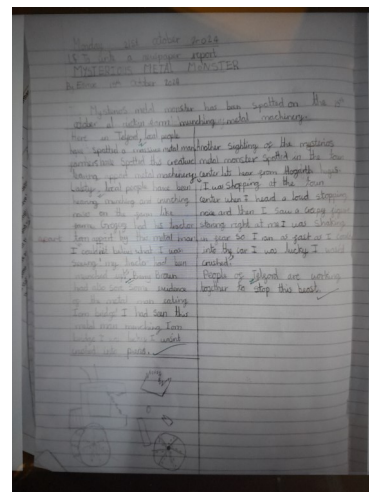
In Art we looked at portraits and using mirrors we drew our self portraits. We also looked at the artist L.S. Lowry and completed a sketch in his style!

Class 2

We spread chalk on our hands to see how germs spread

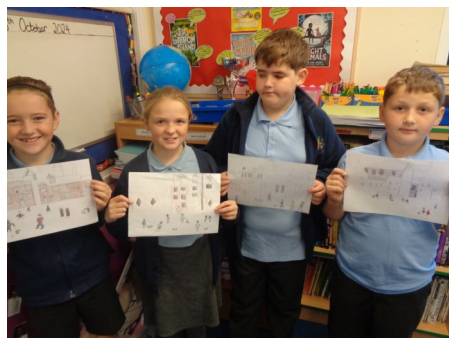
CLASS 3

This week, class 3 have been busy writing newspaper reports about the iron man being spotted in Telford! Children enjoyed imagining all the metal that he would eat such as Ironbridge, Cosford aeroplanes and that he was sighted looking over the Wrekin. All children have worked extremely hard this term and deserve a lovely break! Well done, class 3.



CLASS 4

This week in class 4, the children investigated how we can recover salt from water by using evaporation. We have also been rehearsing and telling each other our ghost stories! In art, we have created some original work inspired by the artist LS Lowry.





Other school news....

Sports Hall Athletics

Firstly, we have finally received results for Sports hall athletics from last weeks Competition.

Tibberton and St Lawrence finished a fantastic 2nd overall out of 24 teams with the boys team finishing a very creditable 6th and the girls team smashing all records to win by over 100 points.

This will mean that Tibberton and St Lawrence girls will get the chance to represent Telford at the Shropshire Championships in May. Well done to all that took part and also a huge thank you to Mr Bennett, who came and helped our superstars throughout the event.



Also on Tuesday both schools competed in Race 1 of the Telford Cross Country Championships at Chetwynd Deer Park. Over 1000 children from 30 different schools took part and we are pleased to say Tibberton and St Lawrence had a very successful competition. All our children did amazingly well and can be extremely proud of their efforts.

The competition is split over 2 races and is not only a chance for individual achievement but also a Team event. Going into race 2 both schools have good chance of podium finishes.

Congratulations to all that took part, wonderful effort. Finally a massive thanks to Mr Bennett, Mrs Godfrey and Mrs Bayle who gave up their time to help and support on the day.



Dates for your Diary

DATE	EVENT
OCTOBER	
Friday 25th	Class 3 trip - Carding Mill Valley Last day of term
NOVEMBER	
Monday 4th	Back to school
Friday 8th	New Reception starter 2025 open afternoon 4–5pm
Mon11th–Fri 15th	National School Meal Week
Friday 15th	Children In Need–Wear Spotty for a donation
DECEMBER	
Thursday 5th	Whole school Theatre trip (Morning)
Wednesday 11th	Reception to Year 6–Nasal flu spray
Friday 13th	5 - 6.30pm - Christmas disco
Tuesday 17th	1pm - KS1 Nativity in Church
Wednesday 18th	Christmas jumper day / Christmas lunch
Thursday 19th	1.30pm & 6pm - KS2 Nativity in Church
Friday 20th	Last day of term
JANUARY 2025	
Monday 6th	PD Day
Tuesday 7th	Back to school

