

Weekly Newsletter

ISSUE 16 - WC 5TH JANUARY 2026

Congratulations to our Stars of the Week, Head Teacher's Award winners, and those who have achieved great accomplishments in their after school activities.



School Value this Term is Perseverance



This term, our school value is perseverance. Perseverance means keeping going even when something feels tricky, trying our best, and not giving up when we face challenges.

Throughout the term, children will be encouraged to show perseverance in their learning, friendships, and everyday school life. Whether it's tackling a tricky piece of work, practising a new skill, or solving a problem, we will be celebrating children who try their best, learn from mistakes, and keep going.

We look forward to seeing our children grow in confidence as they show perseverance each day!

Celebration Assembly

The following children received Perseverance awards this week.

Hedgehogs - James for being on fire with Phonics this week and persevering in his learning.

Foxes - Rosie for always paying attention and responding brilliantly to marking and persevering to tick and flick.

Squirrels - Ethan for never giving up and continuing until he finds the right synonym.

Otters - Charlie and Finlay For showing incredible commitment to learning by persevering and making great progress in subtracting mixed numbers.

Visitors Wanted – People Who Help Us (Term 3)

In Term 3, Hedgehog class are learning about people who help us and would love one visitor a week to come in and talk to us about what they do to help other people/animals/the community. If you can offer your time to do this, or know someone else who would be willing to come in and talk to us, please email the school office and this will be forwarded onto Myself.

The dates we would like a visitor are as follows:

13th, 20th and 27th Jan in the PM and 3rd and 10th Feb in the PM.

We welcome all careers and dates can be flexible!

Many Thanks, Mrs Haskins



Mobile Library Bus Visit – KS1



The Mobile Library Bus is coming to visit KS1 on Wednesday 14th January.

Children will have the chance to choose new books, swap books they've already read, and explore lots of fun, interesting stories.

Reading regularly helps children grow their imagination, confidence, and love of learning.

Please remember to bring in library cards and any library books on the day so everyone can take part.

We can't wait to see the children enjoy choosing some wonderful new books!

Essential Dates

Friday 16th January 2026 - Inset Day
Friday 13th February - Inset Day
Monday 16th February - Half Term
Monday 23rd February - Term 4
Tuesday 17th March - KS1 Community Farm Visit
Friday 3rd April - Bank Holiday
Monday 6th April - Bank Holiday
Tuesday 7th April - Easter School Holiday
Monday 20th April - Term 5
Monday 25th May - Bank Holiday
Monday 1st June - Term 6
Monday 1st June - Inset Day



DISCOVERY DAYS

at WEMA Music Centres

Our free-of-charge Discovery Days are the perfect chance to try out our Music Centres, meet new friends, and experience the fun of playing in an ensemble. Bring your enthusiasm and see where music can take you!

Ensembles available for a wide variety of instruments, ages and playing levels.



Sign up using the QR code or visit:
wema.org.uk/wema-music-centres



Thank Cake It's Friday

*Just Drop in
Everyone's Invited*



**Every 1st
Friday!**

**Friday 9th January
3.00pm - 4.30pm
East Harptree Church
Meet, Eat, Chat
Children's Activities**

STREET FOOD

Burger
Bar



FOOD
FESTIVAL
By Aspens

Get ready
for our
Burger
Bar o er!

15TH JANUARY 2026

A FOOD
EXPERIENCE you'll
never forget!

FANTASTIC PRIZES
TO BE WON!

MAKE YOUR CHOICE

**HEAD TO THE SELECT SYSTEM TO
REGISTER AND PICK YOUR MEAL.
DON'T MISS OUT!**

If you have not used the Select system before,
please reach out to your school office and get
your school and child code before registering.



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