



Westvale News



Friday 25th September 2026

Moments matter, attendance counts!

Holidays, Fines & Court

Many families are taking multiple holidays within a school year. Just to let you know:

- 1st Holiday—£80 fine
- 2nd Holiday £160 fine
- 3rd Holiday—Court case

These fines are per child for each parent (even if you don't live together)

Whole school attendance :

Reception	85%
Y1	85%
Y2	99%
Y3	98%
Y4	94%
Y5	98%
Y6	95%

SEN Parent Workshops

Check out our diary on the last page for further dates and times



Attendance Surprise

So we had a fantastic start to our attendance this year—strongest for 5 years! We decided to treat the children to a theatrical production of Pinocchio . The children loved it—even Nursery joined in with the whole show!



Year 1 Christian Baptism

The children in Year 1 have enjoyed taking part in role playing how children are baptised.

Taking turns to be the vicar/priest and proud Godparents the children explored the themes of belonging to a community.

They also discussed being part of Team Westvale and belonging to our commu-



SEN Parent Coffee Mornings

We would like any parents that feel their child has additional needs to join us for a coffee and chats about how school can help. We are running a number of workshops some in the mornings and some in the afternoons. They are aimed at giving you lots of practical ideas and help with your child.

We have listened to concerns and put together some workshops but would love to hear from more of you!

The more we hear about what you need help with the more helpful the workshops will be.

Some of our workshops will be based around:

- Morning routines and getting dressed / ready for school
- Helping children to regulate themselves when in a meltdown
- Sleep
- Getting on with siblings

Please let us know by emailing the school office or talking to staff if you have any other ideas.

We have booked specialist staff to work with us all on certain things and our own staff have been trained to help you with lots more



Flu Vaccine 5th November

Message from Knowsley health service:

Your child is due their **flu immunisation this term**. To help us prepare, if you haven't done so already, please complete your child's consent form via the unique link/QR code below by day before school session. You can choose either the **nasal spray** (recommended for best protection) or the **injectable flu vaccine** if required. We have a new computer system, if you don't want your child to receive their flu vaccine, please complete their form with a **NO** to avoid receiving further messages/calls.

Free Breakfast Club

Did you know that you can drop your child off at breakfast club from 8:20 for free. They will also receive a breakfast for free. See the menu for daily choices. You can still drop off earlier from 7:30 am but that is charged at £2.



Breakfast Club Menu

WEEK 1

Monday
Cereal, beans on toast, & fresh fruit.

Tuesday
Cereal, pancakes with selection of fruit, toast

Wednesday
Cereal, toast, fresh fruit & yoghurt

Thursday
Cereal, cream cheese bagel & fruit or toast

Friday
Cereal, beans on toast & fresh fruit



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Breakfast Club Menu

WEEK 2

Monday
Cereal, toast, fresh fruit & yoghurt

Tuesday
Cereal, scrambled egg on muffin/toast

Wednesday
Cereal, toast, fresh fruit & yoghurt

Thursday
Cereal, beans on toast & fresh fruit

Friday
Cereal, banana muffin & fresh fruit



Dates for your diary	
Date & Time	Event
5th October	Y6 Start Swimming
7th October	School Nurse Drop In (Nursery & Reception)
14th October	Parent Workshops for EHCP families
16th October 9am	Coffee Morning for all parents who have concerns about their child's special needs
21st October	Parent Workshops for SEND families
22nd October	Parent Afternoon & Evening Finish at 13:15
23rd October	Finish for half term
2nd November	INSET Day - Children not in school
12th November	Y5 & Y6 parents to come to class and help with design and make projects
13th November	Y1, Y2, Y3 & Y4 parents to come to class and help with design and make projects
13th November	Y6 Class Assembly
20th November	Y5 Trip to Thurston (All paid for by school)
26th November	Y2 Trip (All paid for by school)
27th November	Y4 Trip to Frodshom (All paid for by school)

Class Assemblies

Date	Year Group	Time
13.11.26	Y6	09:30
27.11.26	Y4	09:30
22.01.27	Y5	09:30
05.02.27	Y3	09:30
05.03.27	Y2	09:30
19.03.27	Y1	09:30
21.05.27	Reception	09:30

Christmas Events

Date	Activity	Time
10 th December	EYFS Nativity	09:30
11 th December	KS1 Nativity	09:30
14 th December	Breakfast with Father Christmas	09:00
15 th December	Y5/6 Christmas Carols	09:30
16 th December	Y3/4 Christmas Carols	09:30
16 th December	Children's Christmas Disco	Afternoon in school time

Parent Afternoons

Date	Time
Thursday 22 nd October	From 13:30
Wednesday 24 th March	From 13:30