



School Newsletter Friday 18th October 2024



We've had another busy week in school which has seen many different events happen and has given us the opportunity to welcome you all into the building to see the changes that have been made over the last few months. Mrs Doberska held another SEND clinic to support parents of children who are on the SEND register, we had individual photographs taken on Wednesday morning, Year 6 kicked off our Class Assemblies on Thursday morning and, of course, our Official Opening of the New Building took place on Wednesday afternoon. Thank you to everyone who came to support the school for the opening service and enjoyed the tours put on by year 6 as well as the cream tea in the Community Centre.

Here are some pictures of the wonderful proceedings from Wednesday:



Important Information from the Academy regarding admissions arrangements

The Directors of the Diocese of Coventry Multi Academy Trust are currently determining proposed admission arrangements for admissions to its academies in September 2026. As determined by the School Admissions Code, we are required to consult on these arrangements at least once every 7 years or when significant changes are made, and are inviting comments on the proposed changes.

A copy of the covering letter and proposed admissions policy is available on our website at <https://www.covmat.org/multi-academy-trust-policies/> for your information. Alternatively, if you require a hard copy of the policy please email info@covmat.org to request. Whilst this is a trust wide policy, the individual school admissions arrangements are included as Appendix 1.

If you wish to comment on the proposed admissions arrangements, please send your response in writing for the attention of Louise Beale, either by post to the address at the bottom of this email or by email to info@covmat.org. Comments should be received by no later than 9am on Wednesday 18th December 2024.

A reminder that there is a Teacher Training Day on Friday 25th October (next Friday) so the last day of this half-term is Thursday 24th October. We will welcome the children back for the following half-term on Monday 4th November.

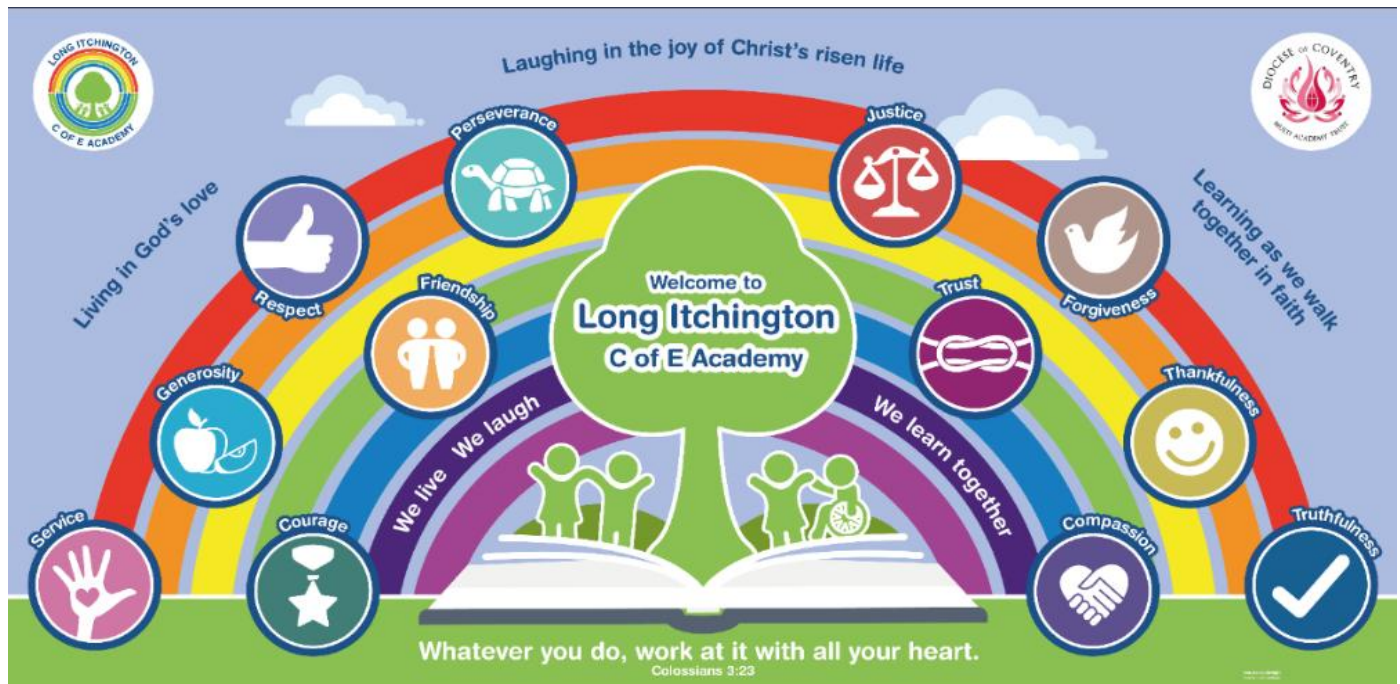


Stars of the Week



Diary dates for this half-term

Monday 2 nd September	INSET DAY
Tuesday 3 rd September	INSET DAY
Wednesday 4 th September	Children return to school
Tuesday and Wednesday 3 rd /4 th September	Reception home visits
Thursday 5 th /6 th September	Reception intake start school
Monday 9 th September	Reception start school full time
Tuesday 17 th September	Parent Forum (5pm)
Tuesday 17 th September	SEND clinic -for families with pupils on SEND register to drop in between 9am and 10am
Wednesday 18 th September	Behaviour information meeting 9am
Wednesday 18 th September	Meet the teacher – 4.30pm (excluding reception)
Thursday 19 th September	Phonics Information Meeting for reception and Y1 parents – 9am
Wednesday 25 th September	Harvest Festival (in school) 9am – donations for Southam food bank
Wednesday 2 nd October	SEND clinic -for families with pupils on SEND register to drop in between 9am and 10am
Wednesday 9 th October	Welcome service for Reception class 1.30pm
Tuesday 15 th October	SEND clinic -for families with pupils on SEND register to drop in between 9am and 10am
Wednesday 16 th October	Individual school Photographs
Wednesday 16 th October	Official opening of new school building – parents invited from 2pm
Thursday 17 th October	Y6 Class assembly (9-9.30am)
Monday 21 st October	Parents' Evening (3.30-6pm)
Wednesday 23 rd October	Parents' Evening (3.30 – 6pm)
Friday 25 th October	INSET DAY



Menu from Wednesday 4th September – beginning with week 1.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Option One	NEW Vegetable Stack with Rice	Penne Bolognese	Sausages, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	YAMASI Greek Chicken Pita with Rice, Tzatziki & Salad	Fishfingers, Chips & Tomato Sauce
Option Two	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Pasta Salad	Vegan Penne Bolognese	Vegan Sausages, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	or Cheese WHF with Rice, Tzatziki & Salad	BBO Queso with Chips
Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
Dessert	Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad	Apple Crumble with Ice Cream	NEW Berry Mousse	Iced Vanilla Sponge	Vanilla Brioche
Option One	Pasta Kitchen Tomato Pasta or Carbonara Pasta with Toppings	Burger with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce	Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Fishfingers Salmon Fishfingers, Chips & Tomato Sauce
Option Two	THE PASTA KITCHEN	Vegan Burger with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce	Vegetable Wellington, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Vegetable Curry with Rice	Vegetables with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
Dessert	NEW Chocolate Brownie	NEW Iced Biscuit	Fruit Medley	Jelly with Mandarins	Oatmeal Torte
Option One	NEW All-Day Vegetarian Breakfast	FIESTA ESPAÑOL Hot Dog & Wedge Chicken Paella with Potato Brava	Chicken Roast Potatoes or Mashed Potatoes & Gravy NEW Meat Balls Paella & Sweet Potato Loaf with New Potatoes or Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	NEW Chicken Fajitas with Rice	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Option Two	Vegan Chili with Rice	Hot Dog & Wedge Veggie Meatballs with Potato Brava	Vegetables of the Day	Macaroni Cheese	Cheese & Bean Pasty with Chips
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Dessert	Fruit with Ice Cream	Syrup Snap Biscuit	Fruit Platter	Chocolate Shortbread	Summer Lemon Cake