



Friday Flyer

Friday 26th
September
2025

Headteacher Awards

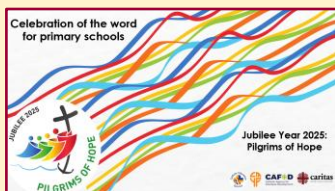


Kindness – Mia, (Year 4) for being a good friend.

Justice – (Year 6) for showing good resilience and kindness with the roles and responsibilities given this afternoon. They understood the sense of justice, Well done Year 6!

Headteacher Weekly Message

The children have been delightful this week, showing good attitudes and dispositions for learning. Reception Class have been walking around school very sensibly and they have shown great listening skills. The two year olds have settled in well and all Pre-School children have developed their self care skills. Thank you for your support with the parental permission digital forms, I hope you are finding this a better way to complete forms. Please know that at the moment the current school website is frozen as our new one is due to be live on Wednesday. Thank you to Mrs Palmer, who as a governor came into school to support us with a financial project. Thank you to Mr Blackman, who has been coming into school frequently to help with a variety of school actions. I hope you all have a lovely weekend. Miss North



Catholic Life and Mission

This week, Year 4 have continued with their Jubilee Pledge and have collected litter from the school playground. Well done Year 4!

Prayers



Please keep Fr Angelus in your prayers as he makes his recovery.

Monday Assembly

This week the children thought about - Can Jesus trust you? In the Gospel he says that those who are faithful in a very little are also faithful in much. To have the virtue of faithfulness means to be honest and trustworthy; someone Jesus can rely upon. We can all be people like this. The children responded to Jesus in prayer, asking for his grace to be faithful. The children then sang the hymn 'Make Me a Channel of Your Peace.' This is a particularly poignant hymn that can help everyone in daily life. Peace comes in different forms to different people.



Terrific Teddy Awards



Pre-School: Iretomiwa

for good listening and attention during carpet times and joining in well with turn taking games.

Reception: William

for being very enthusiastic about his home learning activity this week and talked about how he walked up a big hill to see South Woodham Ferrers with all his family!



Pot of Gold Awards

Year 1: Olive, for being very kind to her peers, recognising when they need help.

Year 2: Elijah, for showing great enthusiasm, focus and recall of key learning points during his lessons this week. His diligence with reading and Mathletics homework is also pleasing to see.

Year 3: Eliza, for her excellent listening and concentration in lessons this week and for completing her work to a very high standard.

Year 4: Megan, for being very supportive of her peers this week, helping others when they need it and for being a kind and caring friend. Well done!

Year 5: Jimmy O'Donnell for perseverance in his swimming lessons. Well done!

Year 6: William, for being a complete role model since starting year six - he pays great attention and is able to do everything without being reminded.

PTA News

Next PTA Meeting is **Friday 3rd October 2025 @ 9:00am**. Please come along if you can or give your thoughts on fundraising ideas to your class reps.

Attendance

Reception Class	96%
Year 1 Class	93%
Year 2 Class	91%
Year 3 Class	94%
Year 4 Class	92%
Year 5 Class	97%
Year 6 Class	97%

The whole school aims for 96% attendance.

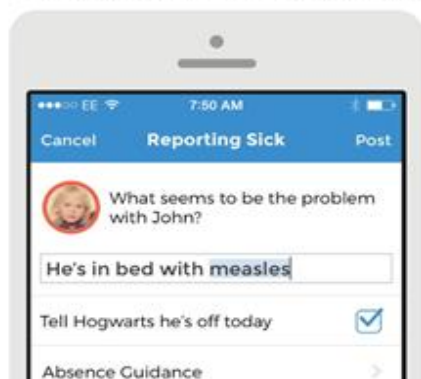
Well done to Reception Class for improving their attendance from last week.

Should I send my child to school, if they are ill?

During the winter months we are seeing an increase in children being off school because they are unwell. We support you, as parents to decide what is best for your child, but the guidance below is useful. Alongside this guidance, please support your child's health, by ensuring that they are getting all the vitamins and minerals they need to stay healthy. Where appropriate, consider whether your child could come back to school a day or so earlier when they have been off with a cold/cough.

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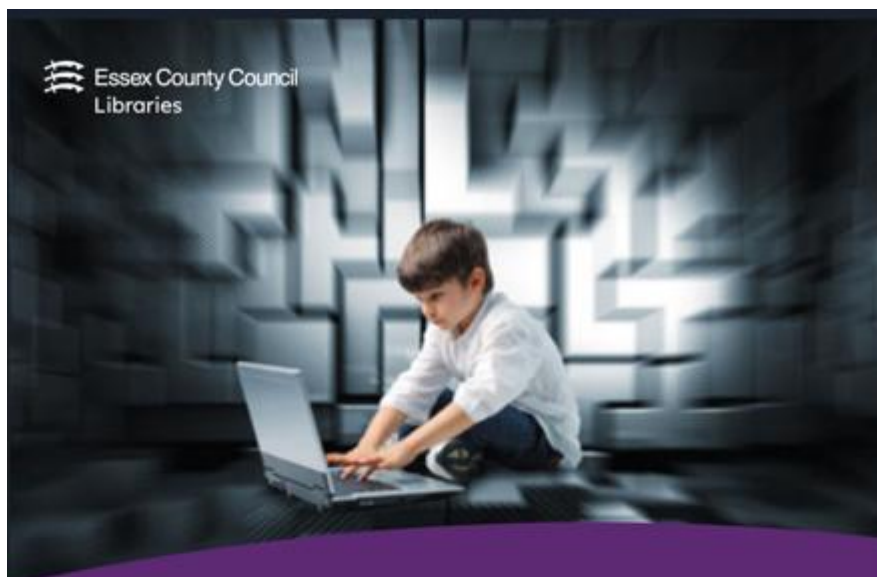
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- **Suitable for ages 9 to 13 in school years 5, 6 or 7**

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Pantos
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A cast of 5
fabulous performers!

Dick Whittington

The Children's Pantomime!

"Absolutely
Brilliant!"

19 DECEMBER 2025

5:00-7:00 PM

CHILD: £5 | ADULT: £10 | FAMILY £25

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South Woodham Ferrers Town Centre



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SOUTH WOODHAM FERRERS CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Robbie Williams tribute and Chelmsford Silver Band will start the
Fayre off with exciting performances from 1pm!

LIVE MUSIC

FOOD AND DRINK STALLS

GIFTS, CRAFTS & CHARITY
STALLS

SATURDAY **22** NOVEMBER

1PM TO 5PM

LIGHT SWITCH ON 4:30PM

Frank Sinatra/Michael Bublé show | Wicked
double act | On-stage entertainment |
Men2Sing | Christmas hits by Maddie Cole
And many more!

connie@southwoodhamferrers.gov.uk



St Joseph's After School Club



Children will be able to access a range of age appropriate activities and crafts. A healthy snack and drink will also be offered.

Session timings and cost

3:20 -4:15pm - £5.00

3:20-5:00pm - £7.00

3:20-5:30pm - £9.00

3:20-6:00pm - £12.00

If you would like your child to attend, please contact the school office,