



Longwood Lingo

Nurture today—Flourish tomorrow

Our weekly Good Work and Behaviour award go to

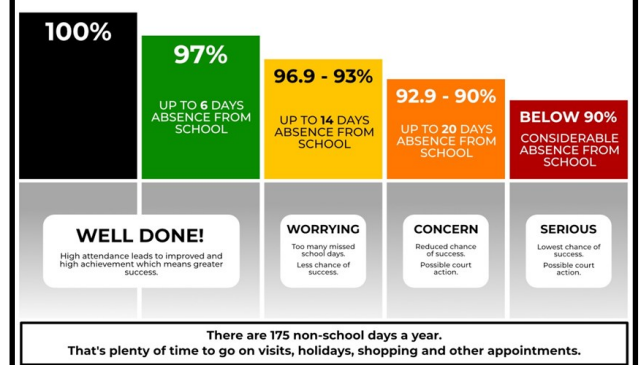
<u>CLASS</u>	<u>GOOD WORK</u>	<u>GOOD BEHAVIOUR</u>
Rec	Miles	Isabelle
Year 1	Tommy	Xander
Year 2	Archie	Allannah
Year 3	Baeleigh-James	Jordi
Year 4	Oliver	Blake
Year 5	Louisa	Ahnit
Year 6	Rhiannon	George

W/C 03.06.24 WEEKLY		
ATTENDANCE %		
Rec	87	SERIOUS
Year 1	93	WORRYING
Year 2	90	CONCERN
Year 3	90	SERIOUS
Year 4	91	CONCERN
Year 5	84	SERIOUS
Year 6	88	SERIOUS

IMPORTANT DATES

10th June	Fathers Day Gift Shop week
18th June	Year 6 Leavers Photographs
21st June	Odd Socks and Messy Hair Day (further info to follow)
24th June	Olympic Athlete (proposed date)
25th June	Talent Show and Family Picnic
4th July	Year 4 USA Day (further info to follow)
4th July	Year 6 SAT's camp (further info to follow)
16th July	PTA Disco
17th July	Year 5 & 6 Summer production (further info to follow)
18th July	Farewell and good luck year 6
18th July	Last day of this academic year

WHAT IS YOUR ATTENDANCE?



SCHOOL START TIME

School lesson begin daily at 8.30am sharp, please make sure your child is here on time or they will be marked as late.

Staffordshire County Council are very closely monitoring lateness and absence and are routinely issuing fines to parents/carers for non-compliance across the county.





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LOST PROPERTY

There is a large amount of lost property building up in school. All items are in a green box by the school gate.

Any unclaimed items of lost property will be disposed of at the end of term.

FAITH TRAIL VISIT

Letters have been emailed out to parents/carers of our current Years 2, 3, 4 and 5 children about a school trip to the Open Centre in Derby to follow the Faith Trail. This visit covers many different religions, faiths and charitable causes. It is available to book now on Parent Pay. This trip is in September 2024, the new academic year.

SCHOOL LUNCHES

School lunches need to be ordered by **midnight on Wednesdays for the following school week**. You can order lunches up to the end of each half term if you choose. This pre-ordering system applies to all paying children, Free School Meal and Universal Free School Meal children.



YEAR 3: ERASMUS DARWIN HOUSE

Unfortunately, the trip arranged for Year 3 to go to Erasmus Darwin House on 10th July has been cancelled as we did not receive sufficient contributions to make this trip financially viable.

Do you have a question for the Senior Leadership Team? Do you want to know more about what we do in school or the curriculum that we follow? Do you want to know how activities or special events are planned?

Whatever your question is, please email the SLT at headteacher@longwood.staffs.sch.uk and we will do our best to answer you as soon as we can.

CHILD PROTECTION CONTACT NUMBERS

STAFFORDSHIRE CHILDRENS ADVICE & SUPPORT SERVICE (SCASS): 0300 111 8007

SAFEGUARDING: 01785 895836

CHILD LINE: 0800 1111

NSPCC HELP LINE: 0800 800 5000

Everyone has a duty to keep our children safe



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LINKS TO INFORMATION ABOUT FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Free School Meals

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

Healthy Start; for people more than 10 weeks pregnant or with children under four, help to buy healthy food and milk.

<https://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/>

Sure Start Maternity Grant; A one-off payment of £500 to help towards the costs of having your first child

<https://www.gov.uk/sure-start-maternity-grant>

Help for Households; see what support is available to help with the cost of living and save money with our energy saving tips;

<https://helpforhouseholds.campaign.gov.uk/>

Universal Credit

<https://www.gov.uk/universal-credit>

Universal Credit: further information for families

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/universal-credit-and-your-family-quick-guide/universal-credit-further-information-for-families>

Move to UC

<https://ucmove.campaign.gov.uk/>

Council Tax Reduction- for those on a low income or claim benefits.

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-council-tax-reduction>

Discretionary Housing Payments (DHPs); financial support to help with rent or housing costs.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/claiming-discretionary-housing-payments/claiming-discretionary-housing-payments>

Tax-Free Childcare; Up to £500 every 3 months (up to £2,000 a year) for each child to help with the costs of childcare.

<https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare>

Help paying for childcare

<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

Universal Credit & childcare; Claim back up to 85% childcare costs if eligible for UC

<https://www.gov.uk/help-with-childcare-costs/universal-credit>

Help to Save; Get help with savings if you're on a low income (Help to Save)

<https://www.gov.uk/get-help-savings-low-income/what-youll-get>

Healthcare Travel Costs Scheme (HTCS)

<https://www.nhs.uk/nhs-services/help-with-health-costs/healthcare-travel-costs-scheme-htcs/>

Money helper

<https://www.moneyhelper.org.uk/en>

Budget Planner

<https://www.moneyhelper.org.uk/en/everyday-money/budgeting/budget-planner>

Citizens Advice Energy Advice;

<https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/energy-advice/>