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# WEEKLY OVERVIEW

## for week beginning 23rd November 2026

Dear Parents,

Please find the overview for the whole school and individual classes for next couple of weeks:

## Individual Class Information

**Year 6 Children**: **Tuesday 24th November:** swimming for Year 6 children. Please ensure your hair is tied up and that you have your swimming hat.

**Year 6 Parents: Tuesday 24th November:** Parents are invited to attend an informal information meeting regarding SATs (Statutory Assessment Tests). This will take place at our Priddy site at 15.30 and 18.00.

**Oak Class: Tuesday 1st December:** at **14.00** parents are warmly welcomed to join their child in Oak Class to create their own carnival float.

**Willow Class Girls: Wednesday 2nd December:** Year 3 and 4 girls will be participating in a football festival at Millfield School. A reminder that your daughter needs to come to school dressed in their PE kit on Wednesday 2nd December.

## Whole School Information

**Wellbeing Action Group (WAG meeting): Monday 23rd November at 15.30 at St. Lawrence's School Site:** This will be our first wellbeing meeting of this academic year. As a group, we meet termly to promote and support wellbeing. All are warmly welcome to attend this meeting, Greenshoots will be free of charge for your child/ren whilst you attend. If you would like more information regarding this, please do not hesitate to speak to Mrs. E. Lodge.

**Open Day for Pre-school and New Reception Starters: Wednesday 25th November at 09.30 St. Lawrence's School Site.** I would be grateful if you could circulate the flyer attached to parents of children due to start school in September 2027 or who are interested in starting our pre-school. Thanking you in advance.

**Christmas Hamper including prizes:** Raffle tickets are on sale. Please see a member of our PTA to purchase these. £5.00 a strip or £1.00 a ticket. This will be drawn on Tuesday 15th December.

**Wreathmakers: Friday 4th December at 19.00:** We look forward to welcoming those parents who have booked their place. This will be held in St. Lawrence's school hall.

Please bring secateurs or sharp scissors if you have them. All materials are provided but if you wish to bring additional decorations to add a personal touch to your wreath then please do.

**Christmas Movie Night: Wednesday 9th December:** at St. Lawrence's School Hall This will run straight after school until 17.30. The cost of this event will be £5.00 to attend. This will include watching a film, a hotdog, crisps and a drink. The choice of films will be announced next week so please hold off sending any payment into the school office. Your child can wear a Christmas Jumper/dress to school on this day, with school trousers/skirt.

**PTA Christmas gifts for parents: Friday 11th December:** All children will be able to choose a Christmas present for each parent. They will need to bring into school with them **£2.00** in total to purchase gifts. This can be brought in on the day in a named envelope or prior to this event and handed into the school office.

**No extra-curricular club's week beginning 14th December** - Greenshoots will still be running.

**Federation Morning: Monday 14th December: Reception and KS1 Nativity Dress Rehearsal:** All children will need to arrive at St. Lawrence's site for registration at 08.45. Beech and Willow Class will then be transported back up to Priddy for lunch. Collection times from each site will be as normal.

If you live in Priddy, then a minibus will leave Priddy at 8.15. Please contact the school office by Wednesday 9th December if you would like your child/ren to travel down from Priddy.

**Reception and KS1 perform 'Christmas with the Aliens':**
There will be two performances of this production involving the children from Oak and Holly Class.
**Monday 14th December at 14.00 and**
**Tuesday 15th December at 09.30**
This will take place in St. Lawrence's school hall. Refreshments will be available at the performance. Information about ticket allocation will be sent out next week.

**Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day: Tuesday 15th December:** Please see attached the menu for the Christmas lunch. If you do not book your child in for a Christmas lunch, then you will need to provide them with a packed lunch.

**Willow and Beech Class: Matilda the Musical: Wednesday 16th December:** We will be leaving Priddy at 10.30 and aim to return at our Priddy site for 21.00. Your child will need to wear their school uniform and bring their water bottle, a packed lunch and a packed tea.

**Oak and Holly Class Christmas Party: Wednesday 16th December:** Your child can come to school dressed in a Christmas jumper or sensible party clothes for the day.

This year, we will be providing party food for each class in the afternoon. The children will still be having their school lunch/packed lunch at 12.15.

**Saplings Pre-school: Wednesday 16th December:** Your child can come to school dressed in a Christmas jumper or sensible party clothes for the day. If your child does not normally attend a Wednesday session, then please feel free to book them into pre-school for this day. Saplings children will be receiving a visit from a children's entertainer during the afternoon.

**Oak and Holly Class: Dick Whittington: Thursday 17th December:** All children must be at St Lawrence's by **08.15** for a prompt coach departure. Children should wear their school uniform, bring a packed lunch, and a water bottle. We will be returning to school after lunch.

**Willow and Beech Class Christmas Party: Thursday 17th December:** Your child can come to school dressed in Christmas jumper or sensible party clothes for the day. This year, we will be providing party food for each class in the afternoon. The children will still be having their school lunch/packed lunch at 12.15.

**Reception to Year 6 Crib Service: Friday 18th December 09.00 – 09.40 at Priddy Village Hall** This will be led by Revered Ruth. We ask that you drop off your child at Priddy School at 08.45. The Early Bird minibus will be running at 08.00 as usual for those children who normally catch it. Oak and Holly Class will be transported back down to St. Lawrence's by our school minibuses at the end of the service. Parents are welcome to attend.

**Willow Class: Saturday 16th January:** We are excited to announce that Willow Class have been invited to take part in the Wells Lantern Parade on Saturday 16th January 2027! Please save the date – more details to follow in the new year!

I know there is an awful lot in this overview but felt it would be helpful for you to have details of events in advance.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend,

S. Foxall

Mrs. S. Foxall
Headteacher