



St Luke's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Go, shine in
the world



Dear Parents and Carers,

It was fantastic to see so many families at our Family BBQ last Friday. Thank you to the Friends of St Luke's, who helped out by running stalls. Take a look at our photo page (attached to this week's newsletter), which captures the lovely, fun atmosphere of the event.

Best wishes, Mr Smith (Head of School) and Mr Webb (Executive Headteacher)

Year 6 SATs results

We all know that achieving GCSEs, A-Levels and other types of qualifications help our children to be successful in the world. Year 6 SATs outcomes are a good indicator of achievement at secondary school. It is an important part of our job at St Luke's that children leave our school able to read, write and do maths well for their age according to national standards. Children in Year 6 attained the following excellent SATs results due their hard work, the support of parents and great teaching through the school. A special thank you to Ms Ahmad, the Year 6 teacher for ensuring the children were so well prepared!

	Expected Standard St Luke's	Expected Standard National Figures
Reading	82%	75%
Writing	82%	72%
Maths	88%	74%
RWM Combined	82%	62%



End of term...

Children continue learning the curriculum until the last day of term. Children must attend school every day until **Tuesday 22nd July** at 3.30pm (any holiday absence will be unauthorised). If your child is absent due to illness in the last week, the school will ask for evidence.



The end of day on **Tuesday 22nd July** will be staggered as usual. **Year 6** must be collected at the earlier time of **2.30pm**; **Year 4 & Year 5** must be collected at **3.00pm**. Siblings of Year 4 & 5 and Year 6 children must also be collected at these times and those children that have permission to walk home on their own will do so as usual. **Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3** should be collected at the usual time of **3.30pm**.

Understanding the World in Reception: A visit to Hampstead Heath

Last week, Reception visited Hampstead Heath to explore the woodland area, observe a variety of minibeasts and do some pond dipping.

They had a fantastic day and even got a chance to create their own minibeasts from clay.



I have received and read the **St Luke's CE Primary School** newsletter of **11.07.25**

Name of child _____ Class _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

Important dates for your diary...



Tuesday 15th July—Y6 Production of *The Lion King*(10am)—parents and families welcome

Friday 18th July—Y6 Leavers Assembly (9.15am)

Monday 21st July—KS2 End of Year Service at St Luke's church—parents and families welcome (2.30pm)

Tuesday 22nd July—Last day of term (staggered end of the day)

Autumn Term 2025 Dates

Tuesday 2nd September—Y1–Y6 pupils back at school

Friday 12th September—Academic Review Day (School closed. Please attend your appointment with your child. Appointment letters will go out to parents in September. Reception class do not attend school for this)

Thursday 11th September—Secondary Transfer meeting for Y6 parents (3:40pm in the hall)



Person of the Week!

Reception - Zayen

Year 1 - Taron

Year 2 - Naqeebah

Year 3 - Kayla

Year 4 - Tanzila

Year 5 - Jola

Year 6 - Safiyah



Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Mr Smith or Ms Marsham.

We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.



Attendance...

Congratulations to **Year 5** who have been awarded Luke, our Attendance Bear, for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** this week.

Year 5 had a class attendance of **100%**!

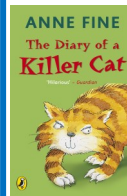
Please make sure your child is in school every single day unless they are too unwell to come to school.

A reminder that gates open at **8:40am** and children should be in school by **8:50am** ready to start their learning.



Work of the Week!

This week's brilliant piece of work displayed in the school lobby is by Ismail, in Year 3.



This term in English, Year 3 have been reading, '*The Diary of a Killer Cat*' by Anne Fine.

Ismail has rewritten a section of the text in the role of the Killer Cat. He has used a range of super sentences to engage the reader and carefully chosen descriptive language to show emotions and feelings.

Ismail has also demonstrated the skills of a good writer by editing and improving his writing independently.



Well done, Ismail!

Our Prayer of the Week

Dear God,

We thank you for examples of ways we can be excellent



We ask that you can help to put the feeling into our hearts.

Going forward we will do better and be better than we did the day before.

Not necessarily winning, but always striving for excellence in all that we do.

Amen



St Luke's Family BBQ

