



Warmingham CE Primary School

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School Diary for the
Week Beginning:
6th January 2025

Monday

PE for All

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

PE for all



Monty and Milo

'Let Your Light Shine'

Matthew 5:16

Dear Parents,

It's been another busy week in school with our Nativity, Christmas Dinner and Carol Service. Our Year 6 children also delivered some Christmas cards and chocolates to our local residents. Thank you to all of you who were able to come to our Nativity and Carol Service. There are some photographs later in the newsletter. As the term draws to an end, we would like to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

School opens again on Monday 6th January. Mrs Smith will be coming into school every Monday afternoon to deliver some dance lessons with all the children in school. Next term our PE days will be on a Monday and a Friday. On these days the children need to come dressed in their school PE kits.

Last week, we were able to appoint two new members of staff: Mrs Jodi Fitzpatrick and Mrs Kerry Wilkinson. They will be running our before and after school club: Warmingham Wombles. I'm sure you'll join me in welcoming them to our Warmingham family. Earlier this week, Mrs Marsden sent out some information about how to book a place. If you experience any difficulties, please email Mrs Marsden and she will help you.

As principal, I always feel lucky to led Warmingham. The children are amazing, and the staff all go above and beyond for the children in our care. Over the last few weeks, I have been incredibly proud of our children – the outstanding behaviour whilst we were watching 'Sleeping Beauty', their wonderful productions but more importantly how they behave every day. The last few weeks in school have been packed with lots of wonderful things for the children to enjoy. Despite this the children's behaviour has been exemplary.

Kind regards,

Kate Appleby
Principal of Warmingham CE Primary
Proud member of the Rural Church Schools Academy Trust

**'What can I give Him? Poor as I am?
If I were a shepherd, I would bring him a lamb,
If I were a Wise Man, I would do my part,
Yet what can I give Him: give Him my heart.**

My heart – but that doesn't seem quite enough?

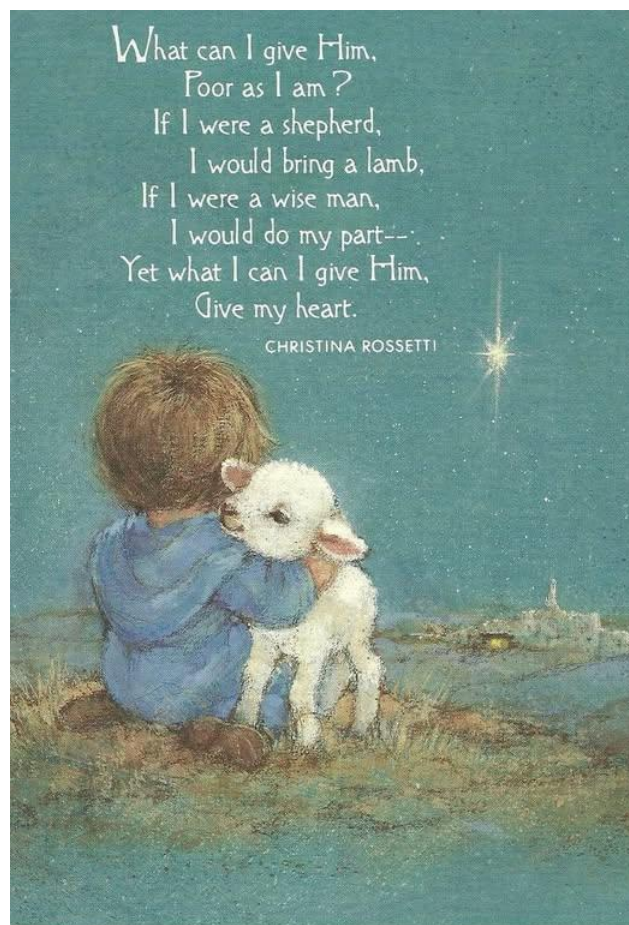
The heart is a funny thing. It's the organ which pumps blood around our bodies, keeping us alive – yet it means so much more. It's at our very core, and our very being. It's central to the relationships we form and the people we love. It's who we are.

The Bible says, "For God so loved the world, that he gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." John 3:16

God gave us His heart that very first Christmas. His real, living heart beat as Jesus lay in a cold manger, taking his first breaths here on earth. Having a heart can mean heartbreak, sorrow and pain, but it can also mean love, joy, and hope. We know that God loves us and always will.

Christmas is full of lots of traditions – trees, lights, food and presents to name a few. These are all wonderful, but they are not at the heart of Christmas. It's so easy to forget what's important. The only thing which makes Christmas perfect is Jesus – Jesus who loves and welcomes us all and our loved ones. The only thing we need to give Jesus – and each other - is our hearts.

Have a wonderful Christmas
From Everyone at Warmingham CE Primary.





We at Warmingham believe that courageous advocacy is a long-term legacy, an endowment to future generations; it is about releasing the possibility of the pupils in our school to serve the common good. Together we are exploring the concept of courageous advocacy and what that means to us as Christians:

What does the Lord require of us?
‘To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God’
Micah 6:8

When using the term ‘courageous advocacy’ we are referring to the act of speaking out against an issue of injustice, often on behalf of those whose voice is not heard. Speaking out, at whatever level this takes place, requires an element (and sometimes a great deal) of courage! Becoming a courageous advocate for change, therefore, must involve being informed about an issue and it must move beyond simply knowing, to saying and doing. Educating for courageous advocacy must embody an ethos of action-taking, challenging injustice and becoming agents of change in the transformation of ourselves, our relationships and our communities from the local level to the global. We at Warmingham endeavour to nurture and grow courageous advocates.

As part of this journey, we are currently working with SuperKind Education C.I.C, a 100% not-for-profit organisation dedicated to empowering young children to make positive change happen in the world around them, through the website SuperKind.org.

The Social Impact Schools Award celebrates and showcases school’s commitment to having a social impact and provides formal recognition of those schools placing social action and charity-work at the heart of their education.

Applying to be a Social Impact School and achieving the award will provide formal recognition of our school’s commitment to social impact.

There are 12 categories of social action listed on SuperKind. These are:



Changing their behaviour



Organising an event



Sharing with others



Donating



Petitioning



Starting a club



Making a speech



Protesting



Volunteering



Making a poster



Raising money



Writing a letter

The children have already started gaining badges and will be working with their teachers and peers over the next academic year to hopefully achieve the award. Parents and carers can follow our journey using the link below:

<https://superkind.org/school/warmingham-ce-primary-school>

What's wonderful to see is when the work we are doing in school starts to have an impact on the children especially when they independently decide to do something to support others. Niamh showed her generosity towards others by donating some of her clothes and toys to help those in need.



Roslyn prepared some gift bags for the children at a local special needs school. They don't receive much at this time of year because parents being carers and not being able to work. Roslyn chose some of the items from the basket she gets to choose things from when she's done something special because she knew it would mean more to someone else.



It's a very Special Baby!



Let Your Light Shine - Out of School Achievements



Well done Ethan and Teddy.



Spring 2025

- 6th February – Y5/6 Indoor Hockey Tournament @ MHP
- 11th February – SENs Meetings
- 11th February – Parents' Evening
- 12th February – Parents' Evening
- 13th February – Squirrels Class Chester Grosvenor Museum trip
- 25th February – SENs Meetings
- 12th March – World Religion Day
- 19th & 20th March – Hedgehogs Residential @ Tattenhall
- 27th March – Y5/6 Netball Tournament @ MHS
- 4th April – Easter Service @ 10am

Summer 2025

- 22nd April – Squirrels swimming starts (every Tuesday until the end of term)
- 28th to 30th April – Squirrels & Badgers Residential @ Conway Centre
- 8th May – Y5/6 Football Tournament at MHS
- 12th to 15th May – KS2 SATs
- 16th May – Y6 Trip to London
- 21st May – SENs Meetings
- 22nd May – Y5/6 Tag Rugby Tournament @ MHS
- 4th June – SENs Meetings
- 18th June – Town Sports @ MPS
- 24th June – Hedgehogs Class trip to Chester Zoo
- 11th July – End of Year Reports
- 16th July – Y6 Prom (Y5 invited)
- 18th July – Leavers Service @ 10am

TERM Dates & INSET Days

New dates or changes to previously advertised dates are shown in bold.