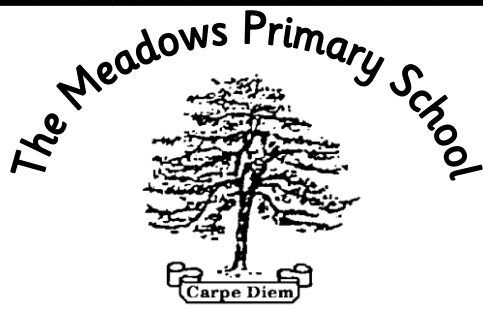




Weekly Newsletter

Friday

19th September

2026

This week's school news and information

Rooted in Respect, Reaching for Potential

R – Respect

Earlier this week, we welcomed a visitor to school who spoke to the children about the Jewish faith. She was extremely impressed with the children's behaviour throughout her visit and commented on how well behaved, respectful and engaged they all were. We are very proud of the excellent manner in which our pupils represented the school.

O – Opportunity

You should have received an email outlining all of the clubs we have on offer this term. The booking system is now live.

As always, places are limited and are expected to fill up quickly, so please do not miss out. If you experience any difficulties booking your child onto a club, please contact the school office. Where a club is fully booked, we may be able to reserve a place for your child in the second half of the term. We are very grateful to our wonderful teaching assistants who have kindly offered to run additional clubs outside of their usual working hours, giving our children even more opportunities to participate in a range of enjoyable and enriching activities. Swimming lessons also begin next week, with Puffins Class swimming on Tuesday and Kingfishers Class on Thursday.

O – Optimism

We will be holding Learning Plan meetings during the week beginning Monday 21st September for parents and carers of children on our Special Educational Needs (SEN) Register.

These meetings provide an opportunity to discuss your child's progress, review their current targets and support strategies, and work together to plan the next steps in their learning and development. We value the partnership between home and school and encourage all parents and carers to attend.

T – Together

Sports Clothing and Football Boots Donation

Quality used football boots have been donated by a member of our school community to encourage as many children as possible to take part in sports. If you have any other quality used sports clothing that you would like to donate, please leave it at the school office. Any unwanted sports clothing that is not taken will be donated to charity.

The football boots (and any other donated sports clothing) will be available to collect on Friday 25th September at 3.15pm from the school's gazebo. Other, further dates will be shared in the future.

Save the Date!



21st September ~ Individual & Family School Photographs

22nd October ~ Intra-School Sport's Tournament (Hockey)
(House **coloured** t-shirts are required for this day)

23rd October ~ PD Day

26th ~ 30th October ~ **HALF - TERM**

2nd November ~ PD Day

3rd November ~ Back to School

13th November ~ Children in Need

16th November ~ Odd Socks Day

16th - 20th November ~ Anti-Bullying Week

4th December ~ Christmas Dinner & Jumper Day

7th December ~ Parent / Carer Meetings

8th December 9 am & 2 pm ~ Christmas Performances

9th December 9 am & 2 pm ~ Christmas Performances

10th December ~ Intra-School Sports Tournament (Tag Rugby)
(House **coloured** t-shirts are required for this day)

11th December ~ EYFS & KS1 Trip to Theatre Severn to see 'Santa's New Sleigh'

15th December ~ KS2 Trip to Chester Theatre to see 'Rapunzel'

Christmas Parties

(Christmas Party wear essential! With sensible shoes!!)

Monday 14th December ~ Chicks' & Ducklings'

Tuesday 15th December ~ Wrens', Robins' & Owls'

Wednesday 16th December ~ Puffins' & Kingfishers'

Thursday 17th December ~ Kestrels' & Hawks'

Friday 18th December ~ Eagles' & Falcons'

21st December – 2nd January ~ **CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS**

5th January 2027 ~ PD Day

6th January ~ Return to School for Spring term



This week we would like to wish the
following children a very Happy Birthday.

Jack

Ethan

Olivia

Olivia

Poppy-Mai

Isaac

This half term, our school value is **Respect**.

We are incredibly proud of the pupils below who have demonstrated this important value throughout the week. By showing consideration, kindness and courtesy towards others, they have set a wonderful example for our school community.

Well done to all our Respect award winners – keep up the fantastic work! 🙌☀️

Chicks Year R	Eleri has shown excellent respect and kindness throughout the week, setting a wonderful example to others with her positive behaviour, great listening skills, and responsible attitude around school. She has also been a caring friend by helping others in class and should be very proud of being such a fabulous role model.
Ducklings Year R	Kennedy consistently shows great respect in Ducklings class by listening carefully to others, being patient when waiting for his turn, and always showing excellent manners. He responds thoughtfully and kindly to his classmates, making him a wonderful role model for respectful behaviour.
Wrens Year 1	Alba has shown lots of respect this week by using excellent manners in class and around the school, always speaking politely to others. She regularly says things like "Please can you help me?" and "Excuse me," demonstrating respectful behaviour every day.
Robins Year 1	Abigail always shows respect through the kind and considerate way she speaks to both adults and children, demonstrating excellent manners and thoughtful behaviour. She is a valued member of the class who helps make it a calm, caring, and respectful environment for everyone.
Owls Year 2	Oliver shows respect every day by treating others with kindness, using excellent manners, and being considerate to everyone around him in school. This week, he demonstrated this wonderfully by thanking Mr O'Reilly for teaching his PE lesson, showing that he is a positive role model at The Meadows Primary School.
Puffins Year 3	Oliver is a very respectful member of the class who listens carefully, follows instructions well, and always shares his ideas thoughtfully. He is also eager to help others and sets an excellent example through his positive, responsible, and helpful attitude.
Kingfishers Year 3/4	Ruby has shown excellent respect since returning to school in September by listening carefully, always trying her best, and following the school rules with a positive attitude. She is a wonderful role model who demonstrates kindness and maturity every day, setting a fantastic example for her classmates.
Kestrels Year 4/5	Skye is always polite, respectful, and eager to do her very best in every lesson, setting a wonderful example for others. She is kind and helpful to staff, always greeting them with a smile and offering support whenever she can.
Hawks Year 5	Luke consistently demonstrates respect through his excellent listening skills, thoughtful contributions in class, and kind, considerate treatment of others. He is always ready to learn, willingly helps those around him, and sets a wonderful example as a positive role model within the school community.
Eagles Year 6	Ashley demonstrated great respect during the visit from Those History People by listening carefully, showing excellent engagement, and taking a keen interest in learning about World War II. He also sang the national anthem beautifully and was a wonderful ambassador for the school, making everyone proud.
Falcons Year 6	Lewie has shown excellent respect this week by being polite, using good manners consistently, and warmly welcoming and supporting visitors in school. He is reliable, responsible, and always willing to help others, setting a wonderful example through his caring and considerate behaviour.

What is happening in school next week?

Day/Date	During School Time	After School
Monday 21st September	7.30 onwards—Early Bird Breakfast Club Tempest ~ Individual & Family School Photos Music Mob—Violin Lessons	Caterpillar Club 3.15—5.30 pm 3.15 – 4.30 Y1-3 Football 3.15 – 4.30 Y1-6 Homework Club 3.15 – 4.30 Y1-4 Outdoor Exploration 3.15 onwards - SEN Parent Meetings
Tuesday 22nd September	7.30 onwards—Early Bird Breakfast Club Swimming – Puffins	Caterpillar Club 3.15—5.30 pm 3.15 – 4.30 Y4-6 Tag Rugby 3.15 – 4.30 Y1-3 Art
Wednesday 23rd September	7.30 onwards—Early Bird Breakfast Club Swimming – Kingfishers KS2 Kurling Team at The Marches	Caterpillar Club 3.15—5.30 pm 3.15 – 4.30 Y1-3 Archery / Target Practice 3.15 – 4.30 Y3-6 Chess 3.15 – 4.30 Y3-6 Girls Football
Thursday 24th September	7.30 onwards—Early Bird Breakfast Club Music Mob—Guitar Lessons Music Mob—Brass Lessons	Caterpillar Club 3.15—5.30 pm 3.15 – 4.30 Y4-6 Football 3.15 – 4.30 Y4-6 Art 3.15 – 4.30 Y1-3 Spanish 3.30 – 4.15 – Puffins SEN Parent Meetings
Friday 25th September	7.30 onwards—Early Bird Breakfast Club Brass Lessons—Puffins & Kingfishers Music Mob—Drum Lessons KS2 Futsal Coaching Session	Caterpillar Club 3.15—5.30 pm 3.15 – 4.30 Y4-6 Gymnastics