



Friday 17th April 2026

Church Langton Church of England Primary School

Newsletter – Updates and Announcements

Dear Parents and Carers,

A very warm welcome back to our Summer Term, I hope you had a lovely Easter break!

I am delighted to be writing to you for the first time as the new Headteacher of Church Langton C of E Primary School. It is a real privilege to be joining such a caring and supportive school community, and I am very much looking forward to working closely with you and your children.

Throughout this week, I have already seen how happy and enthusiastic the children are, how committed and nurturing the staff team is, and how proud families are of the school.

The staff team have been preparing engaging lessons, inspiring environments and exciting experiences to motivate and challenge our children. As ever, we're committed to providing a supportive, inclusive environment where every child can thrive.

Best Wishes,

Mr J Ross

Headteacher

Attendance, Term Dates and Penalty Notices

The importance of good attendance is a high priority for all schools. At Church Langton, we expect the best possible attendance. This means your child/ren attending school every day they are well. This academic year we will continue to monitor attendance weekly and make contact with families if attendance begins to fall between 95-90%, in order to offer support. If your child's attendance falls under 90%, this would mean they are classed as persistently absent and we would work together to create a plan to improve attendance. All attendance communication is aimed to highlight where attendance needs to improve and offer support if required. Your child's attendance certificate is available on Arbor throughout the year and the policy, with additional information, is available on our website. I look forward to working in partnership to ensure all children have good attendance.

100% attendance	Attending school every day	95% attendance	9 days of absence
90% attendance	19 Days of Absence	85% attendance	28 days of absence
80% attendance	38 days of absence	75% attendance	46 days of absence

You will find information from Leicestershire County Council regarding the National Framework for Penalty Notices in the school office.

With the above in mind. Please refer to the term dates on the school/Learn AT websites to guide you when booking time out of school. If you need to request authorisation for absence, in exceptional circumstances, please contact the school office for further information.

Online Safety - Supporting Children's Safety in the Digital World

With the rise in children encountering harmful content online, it is increasingly important that families and schools stay informed about the risks and challenges children face in digital spaces.

Internet Matters offers clear, age-appropriate advice to help parents and carers support their children's use of technology. From understanding the risks of popular apps to setting up parental controls and addressing issues like cyberbullying and screen time, the platform provides practical guidance tailored to each family's needs. <https://www.internetmatters.org/>

The Langton Community Hall Carpark

We are extremely lucky to have the continued use of the Langton Community Hall carpark. A rarity in primary schools, particularly those in rural locations. Please remember to be considerate to other drivers and pedestrians when parking. As a school that holds kindness and respect in the highest regard, I urge you to mirror these expectations in adult interactions too. In addition, we do have families with blue badges, therefore I respectfully ask you to be mindful when parking and to keep the allocated accessible spaces free for families who need to park closer to school. Many thanks in advance for your continued support and cooperation.

Naming your child's belongings

Please ensure that your child's belongings are named as clearly as possible. As I am sure you know, children are very good at putting things down and forgetting where! Searching for them is made so much easier if items are named. This is particularly true of sweatshirts, cardigans and PE kit please.

Nuts

Please remember that we are a nut free school; this includes in spreads and bars. Thank you for your cooperation.

Summer Term Dates (Summer 1 – 13th April – 22nd May ----- Summer 2 - 1st June - 9th July)

<u>Residential Visits</u>	Year 4 22 nd April – 24 th April Year 6 1 st June- 5 th June
<u>Day Trips</u>	EYFS- Pizza Express 30 th April Year 1 – The Botanical Gardens 5 th May Year 2 – Twycross Zoo 26 th June Year 3 - Roman Day 8 th May
<u>SATS</u>	Year 6 – Week Beginning Monday 11th May – Thursday 14 th May
<u>Multiplication Test</u>	Year 4 – Week Commencing 1st June
<u>Phonics Screener</u>	Year 1 Week Commencing 8th June
<u>Sports Day</u>	19th June

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LOROS
Hospice Care for Leicester, Leicestershire & Rutland

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CHURCH LANGTON CE PRIMARY
SOUTH KILWORTH CE PRIMARY & ST. ANDREW'S CE PRIMARY
RIDGEWAY PRIMARY ACADEMY
HUSBANDS BOSWORTH CE PRIMARY
GREAT BOWDEN CE ACADEMY
MARKET HARBOROUGH C OF E ACADEMY

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1ST MAY
2026

OUTSIDE
HARBOROUGH MARKET

9.45AM -
1.30PM

Busking Day – Friday 1st May

On Friday 1st May, the LearnAT Trust will be holding a Busking Day in Market Harborough. Our brass band and Taiko drummers will be performing and Church Langton School opening the day from 9.45–10.30am. The event is raising money for LOROS Hospice Care. Parents and families are very welcome to come along and support the children – and make a donation to our collection tubs for LOROS.



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