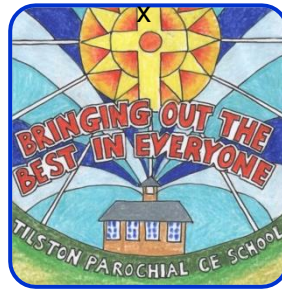


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Dear Parents and Carers

Delivering the harvest gifts was a wonderful way to start our week. We have received many lovely messages of thanks and comments about how lovely it was to see our very happy children. We received so many donations this year that we were also able to support The Whitchurch Foodbank. I had the pleasure of visiting the Foodbank this morning with Harriet & Finley. Thank you very much for your donations this year, it was wonderful to see such generosity and care for others.



Our lovely Thank
you cards

Lunch Menu for week beginning 21st October 2019	
Monday	All day breakfast or deli option - choice of sandwiches with salad
Tuesday	Ham and cheese pasta bake or filled jacket potato
Wednesday	Braised beef in gravy or deli option – choice of sandwiches with salad
Thursday	Chicken curry or filled jacket potato
Friday	Cheese & tomato pizza with chips or deli option – choice of sandwiches with salad

* Please note, the cost of a school lunch is now £2.30. Reminder that all children in Reception and KS1 are entitled to a free school meal.



Lunchtime Behaviour Awards

This week our Lunchtime Award was presented to Iris Tindle for always being aware of others and willing to lend a hand. Our value this week is **work hard**. At Tilston School, our children have excellent attitudes to their learning, and work hard to achieve. Well done to the following children who have worked exceptionally hard this week.



Stars of the Week



- YR** Emily: working hard in her writing.
- Y1** Nia: working really hard all week.
- Y2** Sienna B: working really hard on her maths.
- Y3** Hugo: working hard on his writing, especially direct speech.
- Y4** Corey: working extremely hard in literacy
- Y5** Charlotte: always working hard and giving her best.
- Y6** Lottie: working hard to understand long division and showing determination.



Our Star Hand Writers



Reception	Fearne
Year 1	Eilidh
Year 2	Lilla
Year 3	Fable
Year 4	Karl
Year 5	Hattie
Year 6	Sophie V



This year we have a pupil with a **severe** nut allergy in school and we need to ensure they are not at risk in any way. Please do not send any items in packed lunches or for snacks containing nuts. Thanks.

What is Big Book Boost?

Big Book Boost is The Book People's brand new fundraising scheme. Every time you place an order with them over £10, they will donate £1 to our school to spend on books! This year, It is our aim to build on our library collections, and your help would be very much appreciated. Please follow the link for details:

<https://www.thebookpeople.co.uk/bigbookboost>





School Committee

Our School Committee met again on Thursday and finalised plans for Children in Need on Friday 15th November.

The School Committee would like to run a cake sale and would appreciate any donations of cakes to sell on the day. Cakes will be on sale for 50p.

We are asking all children to come dressed in sports clothing as our day will start with **The Big Morning Move** workout. Sports clothes can have an added touch of spots or stripes; a prize will be given to the best dressed! We are asking all children to donate £1 to come dressed up for our fun day.

We hope to create a Pudsey Bear out of 1p coins and any loose change. If children would like to contribute, we will be creating Pudsey in the hall. At the end of the day pictures will be taken, and all coins will be collected and added to our donations.

Our School Committee would like to raise over £250. Please support us in achieving our target. All money raised will be sent to Children in Need.

Parents' Evening Appointments

Thank you for requesting an appointment to celebrate your child's achievements and talk about ways of supporting their learning. Appointments have now been organised by teachers and your appointments have been sent home this evening. We look forward to seeing you next Wednesday and Thursday evenings between 3:30pm and 6:30pm.

After School Clubs

There will be final session of Tag Rugby on Tuesday; all other after school extra-curricular clubs have now finished for this half term. Next half term we will be offering the following clubs:

Dates	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday
4.11.19- 2.12.19 (5 weeks)	Netball- Mrs Huxtable	Tidy Tuesday- Mrs Mort	Athletics- Premier Sports	Outdoor Exploring
	3:15-4:15pm	12:15-1:00pm	3:15-4:15pm	3:15-4:00pm
	KS2- Y4/5/6	All children welcome	KS2	KS2 Y3,4,5 & 6
	£3.00 per session	Free	£3.00 per session	£3.00 per session
	Total: £15.00		Total: £15.00	£15.00

Clubs are limited this term, due to events taking place on the run up to Christmas. A wider selection of clubs will be on offer in the new year.

Please complete and return the attached slip to book a place for next half term.



Applying for a Secondary School place-Year 7 September 2020

The closing date for secondary school applications is 31 October 2019.

Family Worship

Next half term, we would like to invite you to join us for worship. Each class will lead a worship and you are welcome to join us. Our value next half term is Compassion. Worship starts at 9:05am and lasts for approximately 25 minutes.



Wrens	Robins	House Martins	Kestrels
14 th November 2019	21 st November 2019	28 th November 2019	5 th December 2019

FREE Music lessons

Hello,
My name is Janet Barraclough and I am a brass teacher with Music for Life. I would like to offer any children interested in learning a brass instrument the opportunity to have three free lessons and free loan of an instrument for this period. If your child enjoys the lessons, then you can take up a course through Music for Life and instruments can be hired. If you are interested, please let the school know by **Friday 25th October**. Lessons will then commence after half term.

Yours sincerely
Janet Barraclough



Tilston Landscape & Wildlife Group



Apple Day

**Saturday October 19th 2019
11.00am - 4.00pm at
THE TILSTON PLAYING FIELD
FREE ENTRY**



Prayer of the week- Sophie J

For all our gifts and talents, we thank you, God.
For all the times we try hard, we thank you, God.
For lifting us after failure, we thank you, God.
For celebrating our success, we thank you, God.

Amen.

We will break up next Friday for half term and return to school on Monday 4th November. The children have all worked hard this term and are ready for a well-deserved rest. Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

K Mort

Mrs Kelsey Mort

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Netball Club

Name of child Year group

Please tick (✓) to indicate your child's choice:

Club	Age Group	✓
Netball Club (Monday)	Y4, 5 & 6	

I would like my child to attend the Netball Club this half term and will arrange for him/her to be collected from school at the end of the session (if appropriate). I will ensure my child takes part in all the sessions.

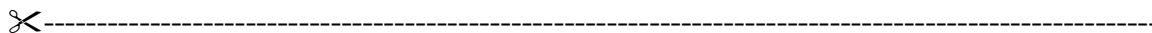
Clubs will run for the half term, from week commencing 4th November 2019 up to week ending 6th December (5 weeks)

*There is a £15.00 charge for these clubs for this half term. Please pay and consent online where possible.

Please tick if appropriate:

- I enclose payment of £..... (please make cheques payable to Cheshire West and Chester).
- I have paid online at www.schoolmoney.co.uk

Signed Parent/Guardian



PREMIER SPORT CLUBS

Name of child Year group

Please tick (✓) to indicate your child's choice:

Club	Age Group	✓
Athletics (Wednesdays)	Y3 – Y6	

I would like my child to attend the Premier Sport Club this half term and will arrange for him/her to be collected from school at the end of the session (if appropriate). I will ensure my child takes part in all the sessions.

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Outdoor Exploring Club

Name of child Year group

Please tick (✓) to indicate your child's choice:

Club	Age Group	✓
Outdoor Exploring (Friday)	Y3, 4, 5 & 6	

I would like my child to attend the Outdoor Exploring this half term and will arrange for him/her to be collected from school at the end of the session (if appropriate). I will ensure my child takes part in all the sessions.

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This term is full of exciting events and we hope you will join us. Each week, I will update the dates for your diary.

Events taking place next week.

Event	Date	Time
Parents Evening	Wednesday 23 rd October 2019	3:30pm-6:30pm
Parents Evening	Thursday 24 th October 2019	3:30pm-6:30pm
Half Term School Closed	Monday 28 th October- Friday 1 st November	

Remembrance Service at St Mary's Church	Sunday 10 th November. Children welcome to join the parade and represent the school.	Details to follow.
KS2 Poetry Evening	Wednesday 20 th November 2019	6pm
Parent Committee Meeting	Wednesday 27 th November 2019	6-7pm
Non-Uniform Day Please bring a bottle/Tombola prize	Friday 29 th November 2019	
TSA Christmas Fair	Friday 6 th December	5:30-8pm.
St Mary's Church Christmas Tree Service- All welcome	Sunday 8 th December 2019	4pm
StoryHouse Theatre Trip 'Peter Pan' (Y1-Y6)	Tuesday 10 th December	During the school day
EYFS/KS1 Nativity	Wednesday 11 th December	6pm
EYFS/KS1 Nativity	Thursday 12 th December	6pm
Christmas Jumper Day	Friday 13 th December 2019	School day
St Mary's Church Christmas Carol Service	Sunday 15 th December	6:30pm
KS2 Christingle Service at St Mary's Church	Wednesday 18 th December 2019	6:30pm
Christmas Dinner	Wednesday 18 th December 2019	
Grandparents Christmas Carol Concert	Thursday 19 th December	1:45pm.