



Newsletter

13-17 OCTOBER 2025

Weekly note from, Mrs Alford...

It was incredible to gather together as a community for our Harvest Festival and to see so many families joining us. The children, as always, were the shining lights of the service — showcasing not only their learning, but also their growing courage, resilience, and joy. Moments like these remind me just how special our school community is. I always feel immensely proud of our children, our staff, and the support that surrounds them.

Mrs HC and Mrs Dainty have been working as part of the Talk for Writing project team, reflecting on and developing our approach to teaching writing across the school. They both came back from their second training session on Wednesday full of enthusiasm and exciting ideas to share with the rest of the staff team. We can't wait to see the impact this will have on our children's confidence and creativity as writers.

We are also so pleased with how our Forest School provision continues to serve our children so well. When we talk about every unique individual reaching their brightest potential, we think carefully about the skills and qualities we want our pupils to take with them as they transition to secondary school. As a team, we often return to these core attributes — a strong sense of self, empathy, resilience, independence, the ability to resolve conflict, and a sense of justice.

The great outdoors provides a wonderful environment for developing these skills beyond the walls of the classroom, and we have already seen so many examples of growth in these areas. It is truly inspiring to watch our children flourish in such meaningful ways.

Have a great weekend!

Best Seats

Class 1, Reception
Nova & Owethu

Class 2, Y1 & Y2:
Lola & Kaylee

Class 3: Y3 & Y4
-At Boundless this Friday

Class 4: Y5 & Y6
Zara & Lilly H

Attendance this week

Whole School Target: 96%

School attendance this week: 98.3 %

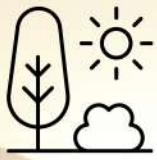
Class 1, Reception: 100%

Class 2, Y1 & Y2: 94.2%

Class 3: Y3 & Y4: 99.7%

Class 4: Y5 & Y6: 99.3%





BOUNDLESS OUTDOORS



Support your child with their wellbeing using the free myHappyMind Parent App.



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Messy Church 2025

October Messy Church will take place at All Saints Church on Thursday 16th October

3.30 pm for 4.00 pm start

We will be serving food!

Looking forward to seeing you.



Farewell and Congratulations to Mrs Jackson

We are sad to be saying goodbye to Mrs Jackson, but delighted to share that she has been offered an exciting new role — one that perfectly reflects her warmth, talent, and dedication to working with children.

It is always a joy to see colleagues moving forward in their professional journeys, embracing new adventures and opportunities. Mrs Jackson will take her wealth of skills and experience to benefit many more children and families in her next role.

She has been a much-valued member of our team, bringing positivity, kindness, and humour to every day. Her contribution to our school community has been truly appreciated, and she will be greatly missed by both staff and pupils.

Please join us in congratulating Mrs Jackson and wishing her every success in this new chapter. Thank you for everything — we know you'll continue to shine!



A Huge Thank You!

We'd like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Jess and Gracie for our fantastic new outdoor easel!

Your generosity and thoughtfulness are truly appreciated.

We can't wait to get creative in the fresh air — there's going to be so much fun (and mess!) as we bring our outdoor artwork to life!



Supporting a Child with ADHD

Challenge the stereotypes and get practical help

Monday 13th October 10-11:30am

Tuesday 11th November 7-8:30pm

90 minute session. Recording available for 48hrs

£24.

Available to book now
facefamilyadvice.co.uk





A glance at next week

13-17 October 2025

13 Monday: Funics with Miss Gilmore
Parents Evening will open for bookings at 12:00PM, you will receive a notification

14 Tuesday:

15 Wednesday: PE for All students
 Community Club-Lunch

16 Thursday: Nintendo Switch Club
 15:30-16:00
 Coding Club 15:30-16:30

17 Friday: Best Seats Open to all parents from 08:40
 Mindfulness Club- Lunch
 The Chase Cluster Y5/6 Football League (invitation only) 3:45-5:30PM



Dates to Remember this term:

October:

21/22- Parents Evening
 24- Last Day of Term
 24- Non- uniform Day £1



November:

04- Class 4 day trip to Boundless
 10-14- Anti Bullying Week
 14- Second League: The Chase Cluster Y5/6 Football League (invitation only)
 18- Class 1, Smyte Farm Autumn Adventures
 20- Class 4, The History Man
 20- Children in Need
 24- Winner Y5/6 Cluster Football League (invitation only, Dyson Perrins)

December:

05- Christmas Fayre-PTA led
 11- National Christmas Jumper Day £1
 17- Christmas Production 2pm @ All Saints Church
 19- Christmas Party Day- Party Clothes
 19- Last Day of Term

PARENTS EVENING



21/22 OCTOBER

BOOKINGS OPEN

13 OCTOBER, 12:00PM

YOU WILL RECEIVE A NOTIFICATION WITH A LINK TO SIGN UP.

Little Hedgehog,
 "Mum, that worm I just finished for tea wasn't very nice."

Mum Hedgehog,
 "I didn't ask for a review!"

Little Hedgehog,
 "It's not a review, it's your end of worm report!"



Classroom Highlights

Class 1, Reception:

The next 2 weeks Class 1 are looking at people who help us. Our real life superheroes!! We also enjoyed sharing a storybook created by one of our youngest students in class.

Class 2, Y1 & Y2:

The Autumn mobiles we created with much concentration blew gently in the breeze whilst the sun shone and the sound of nature filled our ears.

Class 3: Y3 & Y4

Boundless Outdoors!!! A fun filled trip that will definitely be a hot topic this weekend. Great memories and experiences...

Class 4: Y5 & Y6

The children have absolutely loved being able to be story writers and creating their character in an unpleasant setting by creating a threat...





GREAT MALVERN FESTIVAL OF STORIES FOR CHILDREN



AUTHORS

21ST-26TH

OCTOBER

STORYTELLING

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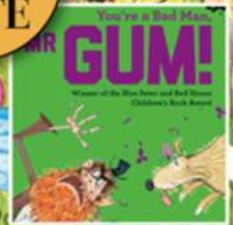
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www.visitthemaalverns.org/storyfest

21st - 26th October 2025

The Great Malvern Festival of Stories for Children returns for the 4th year with a fantastic programme of authors, storytellers, puppetry and much more!

What's on

Saturday

Aardman Animation Workshop

Children's Authors

Will Hughes
Lucy Strange
Eileen Brown
Andy Stanton

Storytellers

Tamar Eluned Williams
Bhangra Tots
Cath Little

Weekend Venues

Great Malvern Priory
Priory Ground Marquee
Priory Grounds Big Top
The Lyttelton Rooms
Malvern Library
The Theatre of Small Convenience

The weekend entertainment programme is accompanied by arts and crafts activities provided by Gail at Duck House Design along with local illustrator and author stalls in the Priory Grounds.

Sunday

Puppetry

Clive Chandler
Tallulah Swirls

Children's Authors

Kate Poels
Peter Bentley

Storytelling

Cath Little
Bhangra Tots

Illustrator

Kev Sutherland

For more information please visit www.visitthemaalverns.org/storyfest

Weekend tickets go on sale on **Monday 15 September 2025** at the Malvern Theatres Box Office ☎01684 892277 www.malvern-theatres.co.uk

**We love hearing from you on your child/children's achievement no matter how big or small please email the Office to let us celebrate with you! : office@mwprimary.co.uk*