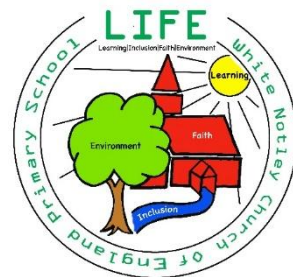


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Our school vision is: LIFE in all its fullness - now and in the future.
John 10.10 Jesus said, "I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full".

9th October 2026

Dear Parents,

Hockey Festival

Eight children from years 4 and 5 attended a hockey festival at the Braintree Hockey Club yesterday. They took part in activities to improve their stick, passing, offensive and defensive skills and then played in three mini matches.

It was really fun because
we got to play lots of
games and we won!
Loula-Belle

It was really fun - good
learning and lots of good
drills before the match.
Sonny



Spotlight Youth Club

The Spotlight Youth Club runs every Tuesday from 6-7pm at Cornerstone Christian Church, CM77 8NB. Children in Years 3-6 are welcome to come. It costs 50p per week and the children receive a snack and drink, play games and craft. Just turn up!

Harvest Festival

Our harvest festival will be held on 23rd October at 2:30pm in the church. This year, we are making donations to the First Stop Community Fridge. First Stop provide many services in the community such as advice and signposting, counselling, education and the community fridge. Please go to <https://www.firststopcentre.com/> if you would like more information. Please send in donations of food or toiletries over the next two weeks with your child. Many thanks for your support.

Collective Worship

This week, we were lucky to have Empower on Monday and Reverend Jonathan on Tuesday to lead collective worship. On Monday, the children learned about Sarah and Abraham. They learned that they need to be prepared to embrace new challenges with bravery and accept support from others to help them. Reverend Jonathan led worship about the meanings of Harvest Festival.



All Ages Worship
Together in God's presence

All are welcome!
Families, children, young people, adults and older members of our community.

2nd Sunday of every month
11.15am – midday
St Etheldreda's Church

Next dates:
11th October 8th November

Worship Community Faith Together
Real people ♥ A welcoming church

After School and Breakfast Club

Can you please book your children in advance to breakfast and after school club if possible, as this helps us with ordering sufficient food for the week. Bookings can be made on schoolmoney.

Attendance Spot Light

Congratulations to Class 3 on your outstanding attendance last week!

Class	Percentage Attendance Last Week
Class 1	98.67%
Class 2	95.86%
Class 3	100%
Class 4	98.75%

**Congratulations to the children who received certificates in Celebration Collective
Worship this week**



Class One:

Stanley - for your super maths thinking when continuing patterns and counting down the activities left until home time

Class Two:

Lorenzo - for gaining more independence within tasks

Maggie - for super thinking skills within maths

Class Three:

Teddy - for wonderful thoughtful contributions to class discussions and having a bright and cheerful nature

Martha - for increased focus, determination and resilience with your learning every day, well done!

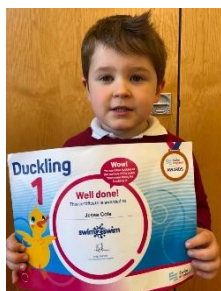
Class Four:

Jack E - for your amazing effort producing the imovie

Hollie - for your effort in keeping your table tidy

Congratulations to Kikuyu Tribe, who won the tribe points this week.

Congratulations on your achievements



- Congratulations, Stanley, on being player of the match
- Congratulations, Fay, on your gymnastics achievement
- Congratulations, Jesse, on your swimming achievement
- Congratulations, Isabella, on your aerial achievement
- Congratulations, Scarlett, on being player of the match

Diary dates the week beginning 12th October 2026:

Monday 12 th October:	Football club 3:15-4:15pm Cooking club 3:15-4:15pm
Tuesday 13 th October:	Mr Timms - music lessons School Council Event - Silver End 10:00-11:30am KS2 boys' football club 3:15-4:15pm
Wednesday 14 th October :	Netball club 3:15-4:15pm
Thursday 15 th October:	iRock lessons Karate 3:15-4:15pm Girls' football club 3:15pm-4:15pm
Friday 16 th October:	Tennis club - 8:00am-8:45am Sewing Club 12:30-1:00pm Mrs Davidson - music lessons Tennis lessons

Have a fantastic week,

P Fitzpatrick

Patsy Fitzpatrick
Head of School

