

Lydiard Millicent CE Primary Newsletter

Friday 24th April 2026



Believe ~ Learn ~ Grow



Calendar

2025 – 2026 Term 5

- Swimming lessons Y4 (& some Y5 & Y6) every Tuesday
- 11/5/26 – Y6 SATs week
- 15/5/26 – FOLMs Colour run
- 18/5/26 – School council led event – Details to follow
- 19/5/26 – Y6 Trip
- 21/5/26 – Class photo day
- 21/5/26 – Oak class collective Worship (parents welcome)
- 22/5/26 – Term 5 ends for all pupils
- 11/6/2026 – **SPORTS AFTERNOON (Family picnic from 12noon)**

ATTENDANCE

Year to date

96.30%

This week

96.90%

Congratulations

Hazel 98.20%

Mr Farmer's message

Dear families,

It has been an absolute joy to look out across the playground and field lately. As the weather has brightened, so has the wonderful spirit of our school community. I wanted to take a moment to share just how beautifully our children are playing together during our lunch breaks.

Whether they are under the shade of the trees on the field or making use of the playground equipment, the atmosphere is buzzing with kindness and creativity. It is truly heartening to see pupils from different year groups mixing so naturally, looking out for one another, and ensuring that everyone is included in the fun.

The variety of games on display is fantastic! We have seen:

- Energetic team sports
- Traditional playground games like skipping and tag being passed down to our younger learners.

This level of positive engagement makes a huge difference in the classroom, as children return to their afternoon lessons refreshed and ready to learn. A huge well done to all our children for making our lunchtimes such a harmonious and happy part of the school day!

Have a great weekend.

Kind regards,

Mr Farmer

This term's value is: Service

"Just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must forgive others." – Colossians 3:13



Church Links

Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m., which is followed by refreshments.

1st & 3rd Sundays: Morning Worship

2nd & 4th Sundays: Holy Communion (if ordained ministers are available otherwise Morning Worship)

5th Sunday (where applicable): Joint service with St. Mary's Purton

School Run Café - term time Wednesdays 8:45-10am. Free stay and play and refreshments

<https://www.allsaints-online.org.uk>

Happy Birthday to:

Harry Sycamore



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This week's winning house is:

Eagle Owl



Focus on: National Tests and Assessment

Over the coming weeks 3 year groups will be sitting statutory tests and assessments.

- Year 6 will be sitting their SATs during the week beginning 8th May.
- Year 4 will be completing the Multiplication Table check (MTC) during the weeks beginning 1st June and 8th June.
- Year 1 will be completing the Phonics Screening check (PSC) during the week beginning 8th June.

Help us help you make the right choice

NHS Sussex

Use at least 30 SPF

Take care in the sun

Stay in the shade

Cover up

Look out for children and older people

Stay hydrated