



Imagination is not a state, it is the human existence itself William Blake

15th Oct 2021

Harvest

It's that time of year! Next week we will be having a whole school harvest assembly, and are asking for donations for Colchester Food Bank from anyone who feels like they can. They are in particular need of:

- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Antibacterial hand soap
- Antibacterial cleaning products
- Other toiletries
- Treats for children



For those able to donate, children can bring items in any time until next Tuesday. We will make sure we get plenty of photos of the assembly for you to see.

Thank you so much for your support.



The school has some secret passageways that only you know about. How would you get in? Where would they lead to?

Winning answer by Dennie in Foundation Stage
There is a button in the bushes and it opens the door.

Winning answer by Jamie in Year 2
My special place would be in the hall, then I will move a table, jump in a portal and it will take me to the Titanic when it was still floating and I would tell the captain to TURN THE SHIP!!!

Winning answer by Indiana in Year 4
My secret passageway would be behind the new game in the Year 5's playground zone. There would be a secret button at the back that would open it. It would lead to a mythical forest with unicorns and dragons.

Headteacher Awards

Lucas-Lee,
William, Alaiyah
(x2!) and Ben R in
Year 1; Poppie-
Rai, Joshua,
Henry D & Ella in
Year 2 Circles



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CELEBRATING EACH OTHER, AND THE JOURNEY WE ARE ON

Year 5 Bikeability

Every year we are lucky to be able to offer free Level 1/2 Bikeability training to Year 5 pupils, thanks to funding awarded to Safer Essex Roads Partnership by the Bikeability Trust.

This week I sent home a Ping to ascertain numbers, which I will follow with consent letters to those interested. PLEASE do respond ASAP as spaces are limited and offered on a first come first serve basis.

Children will need their own road worthy bike and a helmet, but if you are worried your child's bike isn't road worthy, let me know and I'll try and find a 'bike surgery' you can take it to.



Individual Photos

You should all by now have seen your child's individual photos – we think they're amazing and hope you like them too! Remember to place your order by the deadline in order to take advantage of free delivery to school.



Midday Assistant Maternity Cover

Are you interested in joining our dedicated team to assist in serving food and clearing away at lunchtime? We need a new Midday Assistant to cover maternity leave two days per week, 11.30 a.m. - 1.30 p.m. (plus relief cover when required). For more information, and to apply, please visit:

www.essexschoolsjobs.co.uk/Vacancies/Details.aspx?VacancyId=68623.

If you have any questions, or would like to discuss the role, please just give us a call.

Well done Casey!

Well done to Casey in Year 6, who during an open evening at TLA was among the TOP THREE scorers in a mathematical memory challenge. He won a scientific calculator to further harness those maths skills!

Children's University Autumn Ideas

Forestry England

Forestry England look after more land and more trees than any other organisation in the country, shaping landscapes for people, wildlife, and timber. With over 1,500 forests across England there are lots of amazing learning opportunities for you to get involved in. Forests offer fantastic opportunities to bring learning to life through hands-on experiences. No matter what the age or ability, there is something for everyone.

www.forestryengland.uk/childrens-university

Write a Drabble about Autumn

A drabble is a short piece of writing which is exactly 100 words long.

It's like any other story.

It should have a beginning, a middle and an end. Maybe it will have a twist in the tale. Think about the things that change as Summer moves into the Autumn, including the weather, what you wear, the amount of daylight. It's a great idea to write a list of words which will inspire your story before you get started.

Inviting parents and carers of children due to start Primary School

September 2022



Open Sessions

Wednesday's

20th October at 9:30am

3rd November at 7:00pm

17th November at 9:30am

We are delighted to be holding open sessions at St. Lawrence Primary School in Rowhedge on the above dates. If you or someone you know are considering applying for a place in our September 2022 Foundation Stage Class we would love to meet you at one of these sessions to speak with the Headteacher, see the school in action, and enjoy a hot drink and hand-baked biscuit made in our school kitchen. Meanwhile why not find out more about our school by visiting our website and our school Facebook page.

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Please contact us to book your session

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We look forward to welcoming you into our school!