



Tilstock[†]

Part of the Marches Academy Trust 

Talking Heads

Friday 18th October 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we conclude our first autumn term of the year, I want to extend our heartfelt thanks for your unwavering support and involvement in our school community. This term has been filled with remarkable achievements, joyful events, and meaningful learning experiences, all made possible by your dedication and partnership.

The flooding certainly presented its challenges for our school community, from disrupted journeys into school to the temporary relocation of morning entry gates. We understand the inconvenience this caused and appreciate your flexibility and support throughout this period. With the great British weather, we will always provide regular updates on weather conditions and any potential impact on school operations. Please check your Class Dojo, email and our website frequently during the winter months.

We understand that winter months can be challenging for families. If you need assistance or have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school office. We are here to support you and ensure the safety and well-being of our children. Take care and best wishes,

Mrs Rowena Kaminski
Headteacher

Cold Weather

As the weather gets cooler, please ensure your children come to school with appropriate clothing, including coats, hats, and gloves.

It's important to remind children about the importance of washing hands regularly to prevent the spread of colds and flu.

School Photos

Individual photos will be taken on Tuesday 12th November. Please ensure your child is in full uniform.

Job role

We have a vacancy at Tilstock for a Level 2 Teaching Assistant. Please click here to apply or share. <https://themarchesacademy.trust.facebook.co.uk/vacancies>

PRIMARY UNIFORM SURVEY OCTOBER 2024

Let's Talk About Our Uniform Rules!

We made changes to uniform and reduced branded items after asking for your views back in 2022.

We now want to hear your thoughts on some of our school uniform rules. We can't promise change but want to hear your views whilst we explore, to make sure everyone feels comfortable and included, whilst maintaining our need to follow health and safety guidance or rules.

Uniforms are important because they help us feel like a team and show our school spirit. But we also want to make sure they work well for everyone.

We really need your ideas and opinions. Please share your thoughts with us so we can make the best decisions for our schools.

Thanks for your help!



REMINDERS & NOTICES



Hope Award Winners

Congratulations to our winners of this term's Hope awards! We are extremely proud of all of you for continuing to Reach for the Stars!



WORSHIP



This term, in worship, we are focusing on the Christian value of Hope.

What this means to us:-

- High expectations in everything we do
- Having resilience
- Having positive attitudes
- Working together to achieve our goals
- Understanding each child's hopes and dreams for the future.
- Believing that the world can be better and being prepared to do something –



This week in worship we learnt about the story of Harvest. We also sang the songs [Lord of all hopefulness](#) [Colours of the day](#). To watch the story and sing along with this term's hymns, click the blue links above.



UPCOMING EVENTS

[Click here](#) to view our upcoming events.

Events at a glance:

Friday 18th October: PD Day no children in school
Monday 22nd October: Half term holidays
Monday 4th November: Children return to school
Tuesday 12th November:- individual photos in uniform please
Friday 15th November: Children in Need Day
Wednesday 20th November: Parents evening
Thursday 21st November: KS2 Panto trip (Otters & Badgers)
Friday 29th November: KS1 Panto trip (Squirrels)
Friday 6th December- Christmas Fair 3-5pm
Friday 6th December - Flu vaccinations
 Monday 23rd December – Christmas holiday
 Monday 6th January – Children return to school

Hapy birthday to
Blake, Sam, Evie,
Isaac, Paddy, Willow,
Eden

Who celebrate their
birthdays over the
holidays.

We wish you a very
happy birthday!

NEWS



[Click here](#) to view what our students have been up to recently.

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