

Long Melford Church of England Primary School and Nursery

Weekly Update – Friday 3rd July 2026

Upcoming Dates for Week commencing 6th July

Monday 6th July	Y6 Transition for those attending OSA Choccy, our Reading Dog with Year 3 11am Year 4 Clarinet Concert for Parents and Grandparents Colouring Club Netball Club
Tuesday 7th July	Y6 Transition for those attending OSA Y1 visit Sudbury Gymnastics Club 2.15pm Year 4 Learning Fair Dance Club Singing Club Building Club Choosing Club
Wednesday 8th July	Y 3-6 Football Club Year 5 Trip to Colchester Zoo
Thursday 9th July	Y3 Swimming 2.15pm Year 1 Learning Fair Art Club Y1 & Y2 Football Club Lego Club
Friday 10th July FLUMPS Non-Uniform Day	Nursery visit Rainbow Fun 2pm Tom Potter's Band Academy Performance Girls' Football Club Band Academy

Weekly Attendance

to 3/7/26

Reception	 99%
Year 1	93%
Year 2	97%
Year 3	94%
Year 4	93%
Year 5	94%
Year 6	90%

If your child is ill, please ring the school and leave a message **even if your child is in Nursery**. Thank you.

Our Christian Value is

Perseverance

Letters sent out this week:

Y5 Colchester Zoo visit (rearranged date)

Dinner Menu week commencing 6/7/26

	Core Menu	Allergen Free Menu
Monday	Macaroni Cheese or Cheesy Bean Wrap or Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo or Hot Pasta and Tomato Sauce	Tomato and Basil Chicken or Mixed Bean Chilli or Crispy Skin Jacket Potato and Veggie Bolognese or Baked Beans
Tuesday	Lemon Chicken Noodles or Hoisin Vegetable Noodles or Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo or Hot Pasta and Tomato Sauce	Chinese Chicken or Chinese Veggie Stir Fry or Crispy Skin Jacket Potato and Veggie Bolognese or Baked Beans
Wednesday	Roast Chicken or Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese Bake or Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo or Hot Pasta and Tomato Sauce	Roast Chicken or Vegetable Hot Pot or Crispy Skin Jacket Potato and Veggie Bolognese or Baked Beans
Thursday	Pasta Bolognese or Vegetable Bean Chilli or Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo or Hot Pasta and Tomato Sauce	Spaghetti Bolognese or Vegetable Bean Chilli or Sweet Potato and Bean Stew or Crispy Skin Jacket Potato and Veggie Bolognese or Baked Beans
Friday	Fish Fingers and Chips or BBQ Veggie Wrap and Chips or Jacket Potato and Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo or Hot Pasta and Tomato Sauces	Fried Chicken Fillet or Veggie Bean Patty or Crispy Skin Jacket Potato and Veggie Bolognese or Baked Beans



Certificate Winners

Fox Class – Isla, Phoebe and Stevie

Simmonds Class – Martin, Freddie and Thomas

Jemison Class – Wilf, Matthew, Olive, Mayah, Amelia, Travers and George

Earhart Class – Poppy, Tobias and Holly

Malala Class – Darcie and Iris

Attenborough Class – Emma, Elliot and Charlotte

Bowie Class – Hannah, Bea, Henry and Jude



Well done everyone!

Learning Fairs

Year 4 will be holding their Learning Fair on Tuesday 7th July.

Year 1 will be holding their Learning Fair on Thursday 9th July.

Parents and Grandparents are welcome to come to the Learning Fairs any time after 2.15pm.

Out of School Achievements

If your child achieves something outside school, we would like to celebrate it! Please send the information and a picture to the school office –

office@longmelfordprimaryschool.co.uk



A huge well done to Henry Neal who played Dumbledore at the Quay Theatre last week.

Well done Henry, you look awesome! We are very proud of you!

Dear Year 6 Parent or Carer,

Delay to Key Stage 2 (KS2) Test Results

You may have heard on the news about a delay to this year's Key Stage 2 (KS2) test results, which affects all schools nationally.

Schools were due to receive the results on 7th July 2026. However, Pearson Education Limited (the provider responsible for administering, marking, and returning Key Stage 2 results to schools) has informed the Department for Education of a delay affecting the national system used to make results available to schools. Because of this, results will not be available until 16th July 2026.

We know this is frustrating, and we feel the same way. But please know that the delay will not stop us celebrating everything your child has achieved at the end of their primary school journey.

Please be assured that the delay is not related to the quality of the tests or the accuracy of students' results. We have been assured that test papers have been marked in line with usual processes.

This will not impact your child's transition to secondary school and no action is required by you.

We will send out your child's end of year report as normal on Wednesday 8th July even though we do not have the KS2 test results.

We will share results with you as quickly as possible after we receive them on 16th July.

Thank you for your patience and understanding. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Amanda Woolmer

Possible Menu Changes

This term, the St Edmundsbury and Ipswich Multi-Academy Trust has undertaken the procurement process to appoint a caterer for the next three years.

I am pleased to be able to tell you that the company that won the tender process is called Miquill Catering Ltd. They will be taking over the kitchens from August, ready for the start of the new school term.

Miquill will, in due course, be issuing a three-week rolling menu for the start of the Summer Term. As soon as we have it, we will send it out to you.

With two weeks left until the end of term, our current catering company, Aspens, has restricted what we can order. As very few children choose the vegetarian meals, some will be taken off the menu. Children will have the option of a jacket potato or the pasta with tomato sauce. Some other food items may be replaced with short notice.

We will try and keep you informed in advance via the Facebook Group, but I apologise in advance for any inconvenience that this may cause.

World Cup: England v Mexico

If you are letting your child watch the football at 1am, they need to arrive in school by 10.30am. You will need to have booked a school dinner for them by 9am.

Alternatively, we will be running the complete football game from 7.40am on Monday morning on the screen in the school hall. You can drop your children off in school and they can watch the whole game (including extra time and penalties if they happen). Nobody needs to go to class until the game is completely finished!

On Monday, I will extend the Free Breakfast Club to include the whole football match - breakfast will be included if children want it.



FLUMPS are now collecting bottles for the Bottle Tombola that they will be running at the Village Fete on Saturday 11th July.

They will be offering ice creams to the class who collect the most bottles.

At the moment, Fox Class are in the lead, but who will win?!

Bottles should be taken into your child's classroom.