



NEWSLETTER

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17th July 2026

Thank You!

It is hard to believe that I am writing the final newsletter of the academic year. The year seems to have passed in the blink of an eye! We have shared so many wonderful moments together, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their continued support throughout the year. Twelve Apostles is a very special place for our children to learn, grow and flourish. This is made possible by the hard work and dedication of our staff, together with the ongoing support of our wonderful parents, carers and families.

Last Week of the term fun!

What a fantastic final week of term we have had! The children have had so much fun enjoying a range of special activities and celebrations. From cheering on England with plenty of excitement and enthusiasm, to water fun, football fun, ice creams and wonderful school trips to the beach and Leigh Leopards, it has been a week full of smiles, laughter and happy memories. It has been lovely to see the children enjoying time together and making the most of these special end-of-year experiences.



Sports Day

The weather remained kind and in fact was perfect for our annual sports day. The children thoroughly enjoyed this event.

Well done to the overall winning house team Key Stage 1 St. Andrews and Key Stage 2 St. James.

Also, congratulations to all our medal winners. The medals were awarded for children that demonstrated excellent skill, determination and good sportsmanship.

School Council Election Results

Our School Council for 2026-2027

Year 1: Georgia and Harry
Year 2: Arabella and Cosma
Year 3: Oliver and Ben
Year 4: Molly and Layla
Year 5: Maya and Christina
Year 6: Harriet and Ricky

Congratulations to you all. Thank you for all those children who put themselves forward. The competition was fierce and it was very close in a lot of classes.

Thank you for your support.

Parental Engagement during 2026-2027

Thank you for your support and engagement throughout this year. We really value the partnership we have with our wonderful parents and carers, and we could not do what we do without you. As we look ahead to next year, we are keen to tailor our parental engagement opportunities so that we can continue to support our families further. We are therefore asking parents and carers to complete a short survey to help us understand the different ways you would like to engage with school during the next academic year. This is also an opportunity for you to share any suggestions or ideas about how we can continue to strengthen our work with families. We really value your views and appreciate your support in helping us plan opportunities that are useful and meaningful for our school community. Please click on the link below.

<https://survey.easyquest.com/H5ewTe>

School Uniform:

Be prepared for September!

We want our children to be proud to attend Twelve Apostles and a big part of that is wearing the correct school uniform. Our website clearly states the dress code for children at school and this is part of our Home School Agreement. Our uniform is kept simple so that it is easily affordable to parents. **Children must wear their uniform on the days they do not have PE. On the days that children have a club they should bring their PE kit in a bag and get changed prior to the club.**

Some points to note

- **Suitable footwear.** **Black** school shoes should be worn and not trainers with logos.
- **Be prepared!** We all know how changeable the weather can be in the UK so it is important that children have a waterproof coat for outdoor play, as they do play outside in all weathers, except for extreme downpours. It is also equally important that the children are prepared for hot weather- suncream applied before school, hat and water bottle.
- **PE Kit** Children should continue to wear PE kits on the days they have PE. They can wear the school red hoodie and plain **black** track suit bottoms and plain **black or white** trainers - NO LOGO. This can be worn over the PE kit, red T shirt and black shorts.
- **Make up, False Nails and Nail varnish** are not permitted in school.
- **Jewellery** The only Jewellery permitted are small stud earrings and a basic watch (not a Smart watch)

Uniform Suppliers:

Rainbow Uniforms, 87-89 Bradshawgate Leigh. www.rainbowuniforms.co.uk

Jaymax, Gas Street, Leigh, near the Spinning Gate Shopping Centre. Website: www.jaymaxuniforms.com

Toast and Milk Money

The office will be collecting toast and milk money for next term.

£3 for toast

£6 for milk

£9 for toast and milk for the half term.

Reception children receive milk free of charge.

Please note: Milk and toast payments will continue to be made via ParentPay.



Star of the Week



We are
not SUCCESSFUL
because We are Smart.
We are
SUCCESSFUL
when we
work hard.

Congratulations and well-done to all our stars!

Friday 10th July 2026

Reception – Cody Y & Albie T

Year 1 – Oliwier A

Year 2 – Sara D

Year 3 – Louis G

Year 4 – Isaac B-G

Year 5 – Oscar G

Year 6 – Nada L

Friday 17th July - Star of the Term

Reception – Jessie C & Hope S

Year 1 – Annabella G & Theo H

Year 2 – Emerald M-O & Jacob B

Year 3 – Anabell S & Nikos D

Year 4 – Arthur B & Annabelle Y

Year 5 – Luca S & Harriet R

Year 6 – Beatriz A & Filip G

ATTENDANCE MATTERS



In school



On time



Week Commencing: 6th July 2026

Reception 98.06%	Year 1 91.33%
Year 2 98.57%	Year 3 96.77%
Year 4 93.00%	Year 5 90.00%
Year 6 86.68%	

Congratulations
Year 2 & Rec

Week Commencing: 13th July 2026

Reception 98.39%	Year 1 88.67%
Year 2 93.57%	Year 3 93.87%
Year 4 92.00%	Year 5 91.48%
Year 6 94.33%	

Have a lovely Summer Break 😊

Mrs Whitton

School breaks up on Friday 17th July for the Summer holidays and we return on Wednesday 2nd September 2026.



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Rainbows,
Brownies,
Guides and
Rangers

**Places available at Rainbows, Brownies, Guides and Rangers
Girls aged 5 years – 18 years**

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Or
see the Girl Guiding website...**

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9th-15th Leigh Cubs and Beavers Group - Jane Riley - 07714 417263

T Crawley & Son, Coal Merchant - Damian - 07702 527000

Labra-Claws Avenue - Dog Grooming - 07359 206529