



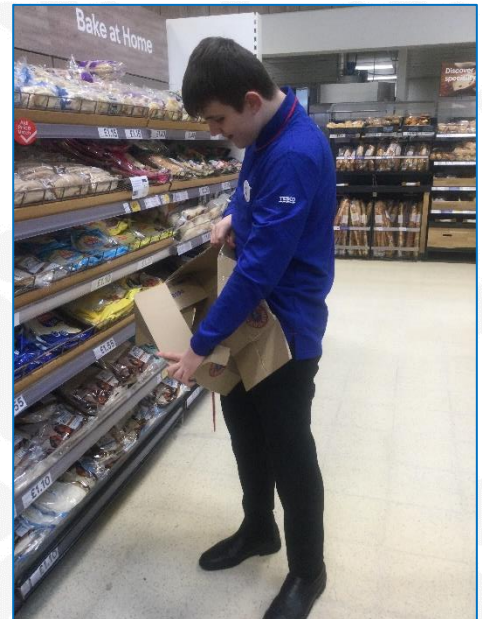
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Willoughby Weekly

Friday 24th March 2023

Tesco Work Experience

Ben from Protea class has started his busy work experience placement at Tesco. So far, Ben has completed a range of different jobs including stacking shelves, greeting customers and printing promotional labels.



AJM Wheelchair Clinic

The next wheelchair clinic is taking place in school on **Tuesday 23rd May**. If you would like to book an appointment, please e-mail willoughbyenquiries@prioryacademies.co.uk detailing your child's name and reason for the appointment.



Ideal School Meals

A reminder to all parents/carers who order Ideal School Meals for their child, please note the ordering cut-off date is **Tuesday 11th April at 9am** for meals week commencing 17th April.



Thank you to everyone who has purchased tickets for the Easter Raffle. If you haven't already done so, tickets are still available. Please send your money in an envelope with your child's name clearly marked, tickets are £1 per strip. The raffle draw takes place next Wednesday. There are a range of prizes to be won, including £200 cash prize, afternoon tea for two, £30 Tesco gift card, family ticket to Burghley House and Gardens, a range of gifts from the Don't Lose Hope Shop, China Palace meal vouchers and Waterside Garden Centre gift cards, plus chocolate hampers and Easter eggs.

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Tiger Lily

On Monday afternoon Tiger Lily class received ten little chicken eggs and an incubator. The eggs needed to be kept at 37 degrees for the next two days. On Wednesday morning we arrived to find one small chick in the incubator along with 9 of the eggs. During Wednesday a further four hatched, by Thursday morning we had four more chicks, bringing our total to nine. Unfortunately, the last egg did not hatch. On Thursday and Friday the chicks visited different classes. The pupils have really enjoyed getting up close and holding the very cute yellow chicks. This weekend the chicks are having a sleepover at Auntie Pat's house. We have the chicks for one more week and have really enjoyed watching them grow so far. Don't forget to check out the Tiger Lily chick diaries on Tapestry and please suggest some names- all egg/chicken puns are welcome!!!

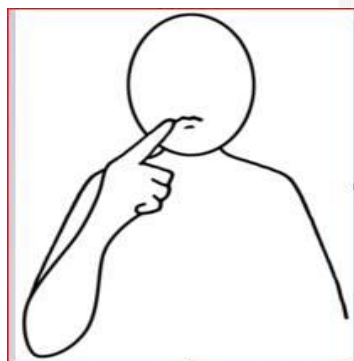
Future Fayre

Last Friday Willoughby hosted our annual Futures Fayre providing the opportunity for parents and carers to meet a range of Post 16 care, education and activity providers and gain information of their services available for pupils upon leaving Willoughby. It was wonderful to see pupils and parents engaging with providers asking questions about college courses, supported internships, holistic education and life enhancing opportunities. If you were unable to attend and would like information to be provided please let a member of staff know. This event will be offered again next year to parents, carers and pupils of year 8 upwards to support informed decision making during the preparing for adulthood section of your child's annual review.



Makaton Sign of the Week

20th – 24th March, this week's sign is...**Red**



**Run index finger across lips,
dominant to non-dominant
side.**

Whole School Attendance

The whole school attendance figure for week commencing 20th March is 92%.

Star of the Week

Pupil	Class	Reason
Sidney	Daisy	For beautiful reading of his new phonic book.
Elio	Water Lily	For finding the correct numbers during 5 little ducks song.
Teddy	Sunflower	For his super SALT work this week.
Alexa	Poppy	For a super return to school this week joining in with everything.
Eva	Buttercup	For brilliant interaction and vocalisation.
Leah	Daffodil	For amazing country dancing.
Jon-Pall	Foxglove	For participating during forest school.
Fred	Leopard Lily	For super work and lovely interaction with his friends.
Robbie	Tiger Lily	For a fantastic transition visit.
Iona	Venus Flytrap	For great focus and balance in physio.
Thomas	Protea	For positive engagement in PSHE and Performing Arts.
Eleanor	Snapdragon	For brilliant work on online safety.
Charlotte Oliver	Bluebell	For great communication all week. For fantastic work on the eye gaze.
Dylan	Jasmine	For super exploring using your hands during our 4D session.

Date	Event
Friday 31 st March	End of Term.
Tuesday 11 th April at 9am	Ideal School Meals ordering deadline for school meals for week commencing 17 th April.
Monday 3 rd – Friday 14 th April	Easter Holidays.
Monday 17 th April	Start of Term.
Monday 1 st May	School closed – Bank Holiday.
Monday 8 th May	School closed – Bank Holiday.
Tuesday 23 rd May	AJM Healthcare Wheelchair Clinic.
Friday 26 th May	End of Term.
Monday 29 th May – Friday 2 nd June	Half Term.
Monday 5 th June	Start of Term.
Wednesday 19 th July	End of Term.

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