



Sampford Peverell C of E Primary School

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Newsletter: 10 October 2025

Dates for your diary:

School Photographs
14 October

Harvest Church Service
15 October 2.30pm

Parents Evening
16 & 20 October

Just One Tree Day
17 October

Show Racism the Red Card
Day
23 October

Non-Pupil Day
24 October

Half Term
27 October - 31 October

Return to School
3 November

Stars of the week

Ash: Lexi
Beech: Demelza
Cedar: Emily St
Oak: Emily
Willow: Daphne

Golden Leaves

Ash: Fleur
Beech: Theo
Cedar: Charlie
Oak: Esme
Willow: Faye H

Stars of the last week

Ash: Mary
Beech: Nicholas
Cedar: Emily Sa
Oak: Toby B
Willow: Ellamae
Golden Leaves
Ash: Willow
Beech: Isabelle
Cedar: George M
Oak: Elsie
Willow: Faye I



Message from Sarah Price

As you know, we pride ourselves on supporting children's learning through hands-on experiences, and this week has been a brilliant example of that in action! Beech Class had a fantastic time at Farmwise, learning all about where food comes from in a fun and interactive way. The Welly Walk gave Cedar & Oak the chance to explore the signs of Autumn first-hand, sparking lots of curiosity and conversation. Next week, Ash Class will be heading to the canal to explore aquatic biomes—another exciting opportunity to bring learning to life. These experiences are just some of the ways we offer a broad and engaging curriculum that makes learning meaningful, memorable and full of joy. We always try to keep costs low and make the most of free local opportunities, but coach travel and trip expenses can add up. We're incredibly grateful to our PTFA for their generous donations, and to all our families for your continued support. Your contributions help us offer these amazing experiences that make learning meaningful, memorable and full of joy.

Willow Class (Pre-school)

Hello everybody. It has been another busy week in Willow. We have been finding out about Autumn colours and observing the changes in nature. Lots of children brought in conkers, leaves and seeds to talk about and share with their friends. We also learnt about colour mixing to make Autumn colours. When out and about, chat with your child about what they see. Talk about how the weather is changing and that we need to wear different clothes to keep us warm and dry.



Oak Class (Reception)

Oak have been enjoying our English text 'Martha Maps It Out' and have been busy bees creating maps of their own version of London from train tracks and wooden blocks. The children have been creative unicorns in maths by spotting, continuing and creating patterns from lots of different resources, including themselves. We had a fantastic time on our Wow Welly Walk yesterday, looking at landmarks and maps of the village and spotting signs of Autumn along the canal and through the orchard. Continue to support your child's understanding of the different seasons. Please support your child to name the four seasons and talk about how each season is different.



Cedar Class (Year 1 and 2)

Cedar Class have had a fantastic couple of weeks, full of fun and learning across the curriculum. We joined Oak Class for a lovely Autumn Welly Walk, enjoying the seasonal changes and outdoor exploration. Please support your child to name the four seasons and talk about how each season is different. In English, we've been discovering the features of non-fiction texts, learning how to spot headings, captions, and factual language. During Computing, the children have been developing their digital skills by using a paint program to create colourful artwork in the style of Mondrian. In Dance, we've been moving with energy and confidence, just like champion dancers! Well done team Cedar!



Beech Class (Years 3 and 4)

It's been a jam-packed two weeks of learning in Beech Class! A highlight was our visit to the fantastic Farmwise event, where the children explored how food is grown and produced. The children have also thoroughly enjoyed developing their football skills further in P.E whilst showing great teamwork and enthusiasm. Within the classroom, they've been busy writing their very own fictional adventure stories, which have been full of imagination and creativity. It's been wonderful to see their curiosity and confidence grow across all areas of the curriculum taught so far.



Ash Class (Years 5 and 6)

The children in Ash have returned after the Year 6 residential ready to get going with their classwork. In English they completed their biographies on aerialist Philippe Petit and have now moved onto their new book: Robot Girl. In maths, we have also moved on to additional and subtraction - using the formal method as well as using known facts to help calculate more complex problems. In geography, we have begun to look at the local aquatic biomes in Devon with us preparing for our local field trip to the canal next week. In RE, we have researched how Christian charities try to make the World like the Kingdom of God and in music we have been rocking out to Status Quo and learning to play the recorder to accompany Bon Jovi's 'Livin' on a Prayer'. We have also continued our work with Code to the Future, with Coach Martin instructing us from the USA on how to create our latest Scratch project.

