

Thank you to everyone for all your support and understanding while we navigated the heatwave last week. This has obviously caused our end of term to become even busier than usual while we rearrange events and trips. I am keeping a watchful eye on the weather forecast for the next few weeks.



Congratulations to this weeks winner – Cornwall with 153 points

Running total for the term:

Devon 784	Dorset 803	Somerset 863	Cornwall 862
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Keep working hard everyone ...
... there's only a few weeks left!

Transitions to new classes

Children will have time in their new classes on Friday 10th and Monday 13th July. Due to the 10th July also being the day when reports go out and we will be sending an email out on Tuesday 7th July informing you of your child's class teacher.

Class and Team Photographs Reminder

The Tempest photographer will be here for the whole class and sport teams photographs on **Monday, 6th July.**



UKS2 Play

Both children and staff have been working very hard to ensure they are ready to perform and entertain parents next week. There will be 3 performances of 'Peter

Pan':

- Wednesday, 8th July @ 1:45pm
- Thursday 9th July @ 1:45pm
- @6:00pm

There is a small admission charge of £2.00 for adults and £1.50 for children with tickets selling fast. These can be purchased by returning the appropriate order form and fee to school. Please note that due to high demand there will be a limit of 2 tickets per family for the evening performance, should you wish to order more we will put your name on a waiting list and notify you should the performance not sell out.

During the dress rehearsal on Tuesday, 7th July at 1:45pm we will be making available complimentary tickets for the Over 60's.

Parents driving to school for the play should be reminded not to park in the Village Hall Car Park as these spaces are reserved for the organisations who have a Village Hall booking.

Attendance

As part of Devon County Council's drive to improve school attendance, we will be sharing our attendance statistics with you for the week ending Friday, 26th June.

Year Group	%Attendance	Year Group	%Attendance
Reception	87.72	3	82.69
1	85.68	4	78.97
2	83.75	5	80.04
		6	81.80

The Current National figure for comparison is 94.84%

RSHE Policy Consultation

All stakeholders have received any email to inform you that we are currently in a consultation period for our newly developed **Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE) Policy**, which is scheduled to come into effect from **September 2026**.

The purpose of this consultation is to ensure that the policy reflects the needs, values and expectations of our whole school community. We are keen to gather feedback from all stakeholders, including staff, parents/carers and governors to help shape and strengthen our approach to RSHE provision.

The consultation will run from **Friday 26th June to Friday 10th July.**

During this time, you are invited to:

- Review the draft RSHE policy (attached to the email sent on Friday 26th June)
- Provide your feedback via this survey: [RSHE Policy Consultation Form – Fill out form.](#)

*Thank you for your
continued support
Naomi Tottle
Headteacher*

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SEND Information

LEAP

(Learn. Empower. Advocate. Prepare)

Leap Workshops are practical SEND workshops for families, designed to build understanding, confidence, and everyday strategies for support children and young people with SEND – free of charge!

Please click on the link for more details:

[LEAP Workshops by Leap Workshops | Eventbrite](#)

See details of next 2 free sessions:



Masking

Understanding what masking is, why people might do it and when it can be supportive strategy as well as looking at why it may be detrimental to children and young people



Masking

Fri, Jul 10 • 10:00 AM GMT+1

Free



Understanding ADHD & Related Needs

Acquire an understanding of ADHD and its key symptoms



Understanding ADHD & Related Needs

Tue, Jul 14 • 7:00 PM GMT+1

Free

Sports Days Reminder

Please see the below new date

Tuesday 14th July

- Years R, 1 & 2 9:30am
- LKS2 Years 3 & 4 1:30pm



Thursday 16th July

- UKS2 Years 5 & 6 1:30pm



FREE Family Advice & Guidance

For Parents/Carers of children aged 0-19 and Young People aged 13-19 (25 with SEND or Care Leaver)

Single Session Appointments available in person, via phone or online

CALL: Advice & Guidance Line
0800 5385458
Mon-Fri 10am-4pm

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Request for Contact

Devon County Council 

Teaching Assistant Vacancies

We currently are recruiting for one to one teaching assistants for September, for further details please see the Devon Jobs website.

Reception Wishlist

As the term is drawing to a close, we are looking ahead to enhancing our provision in Reception even further ready for September. One of the areas that our children love is the music area and we would love to provide the children with more resources to use there and as always, are looking to be as sustainable as possible. Therefore, we would love donations of unwanted/old:

- Saucepans
- Saucepan lids (not glass ones)
- Baking trays
- Colanders (particularly metal ones)
- Large utensils such as wooden spoons, spatulas, whisks etc.

If you are able to donate anything, please either hand it to the Reception teachers on the gate in the morning/afternoon or drop it off at the school office.

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WILLAND SCHOOL PTFA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

DATE
📅 **THURSDAY 16th JULY 2026**

TIME
🕒 **6:30 PM**

VENUE
🏠 **THE SCHOOL HALL**

All parents, teachers, and staff are warmly invited to attend and participate in shaping the PTFA's future.

Join us to find out how you can support our school.

The agenda will include a review of last year, the financial report, the election/re-election of the committee, planning future events and AOB.

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PTFA email: willandschoolptfa@gmail.com

BREAK UP BINGO!

A FUN NIGHT OF BINGO TO KICK OFF THE SUMMER!

SUNDAY 12th JULY

DOORS OPEN: 6:00PM

EYES DOWN: 6:30PM

WILLAND ROVERS FOOTBALL CLUB

BAR OPEN
THROUGHOUT THE EVENING

OVER 18s ONLY

EVENT SPONSOR: **RJC ELECTRICAL**

Willand School Lunch Menu for week commencing Monday,

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Westcountry beef burger in a plain bap	Chicken Fajitas	Roast beef	Chicken curry Naan bread and rice	Harry Ramsden's Fish
Vegetarian burger in a plain bap	Quorn Fajitas	Quorn sausage	Macaroni cheese	Homemade Cheese Wheel
Potato wedges/ pasta Baked beans/ peas Salad Bar	Rice/pasta Mixed vegetables Salad Bar	Roast/mashed Potatoes Yorkshire pudding Fresh Carrots Gravy Salad Bar	Green Beans Salad Bar Crisps	Chips / Pasta Seasonal vegetables Tomato Sauce Salad Bar
Ice cream and peaches Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Syrup sponge and custard Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	American Pancake and cream Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Strawberry jelly and fruit cocktail Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Iced Sponge Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
PASTA POTS with Italian tomato sauce or cheese JACKET POTATO with cheese, beans or tuna WRAPSWITH FILLINGS: Ham, Chicken or Cheese				

[Summer 2026 Menu](#)

Diary	to remember...
Monday 6 th July	Class & Sports Photographs
Tues 7 th July	UKS2 Play – Dress rehearsal(pm)
Wed 8 th July	UKS2 Play – Performance 1(pm)
Thurs 9 th July	UKS2 Play – Performance 2(pm) UKS2 Play – Performance 3 (eve)
Friday 10 th July	Pupil reports out
Monday 13 th July	Teachers available for parents
Tuesday 14 th July	YrR/KS1 Sports Day – 9:30am LKS2 Sports Day – 1:30pm
Thursday 16 th July	UKS2 Sports Day – 1:30pm
Monday 20 th July	Leavers Party
Tuesday 21 st July	Leavers' Assembly
Wednesday 22 nd July	End of Summer Term
For full calendar of events, please click below: Calendar of events 2025-26	

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**We provide
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at your school**

Our term time Breakfast and After School Clubs include breakfast or a snack alongside a variety of engaging activities including arts & crafts, board games, card games, sports, outside breaks, puzzles, and much more.

Run by experienced teachers!

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EVENTS

Please see the noticeboard outside the school office for the following events



**UFF FEST
2026**

FEATURED EVENTS

- Live Music • Drama Performances • Dance
- Art Exhibition • Street Food • Bouncy Castle
- Kids Zone • Fundraising Carwash • Face Painting

WEDNESDAY 8TH JULY

8.00PM-8.00PM
TICKETS £5/4
WWW.EVENTSBRITE.CO.UK

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Excellence is a habit

Please note that we are unable to check on the validity of the companies or the people running the schemes, and if those working with children have the correct police checks.

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