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Caring, Considerate, Courageous

As I have loved you, so you must love one another. (John 13:34-35)

A Message from Miss Hammond

We hope everyone had a lovely bank holiday weekend and enjoyed the extra day together with family and friends.

Our week began with Badger Class attending a school trip to Howsham Mill. The trip was a great success, and the children took part in activities exploring wheels and axles, linking closely to their upcoming Design and Technology learning. They also enjoyed making s'mores and used natural materials collected from the woodland floor to create clay faces. We were incredibly lucky with the weather, which made the day even more enjoyable. If you are ever looking for somewhere lovely to visit for a walk, Howsham Mill is certainly worth exploring.

Our Early Years children also enjoyed a special 'Meet the Police' session this week. The children had the opportunity to look around a police vehicle, try on different items of uniform and learn more about the role of the police in helping to keep people safe. They asked some fantastic questions and thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

In and around school, we are continuing to place a strong focus on letter formation and handwriting. We are very proud of the progress children are making, and I would like to remind parents about our Letter-join programme, which we use throughout school to support handwriting development. Children are able to access this website at home should they wish to practise further. Please check your Dojo messages today for instructions on how to log in and use the programme at home.

It has been another busy and enjoyable week in school, and we look forward to all that next week will bring.

Year 1/2 Trip to Howsham Mill

Diary Dates

11th - 14th May	SATs Week - Year 6
15th May	Y6 Booster Group Treat Trip
18th - 22nd May	Y6 Bikeability
20th May	Y5 & Y6 Brownlee Foundation Mini Triathlon Event
21st May	Census Day
22nd May	Break Up for Half Term
1st June	Back to School
2nd June	Y6 - Trip to Merchant Adventurers Hall
5th June	Reception - Grasslands Farm Trip
11th June	New Reception September 2026 Starters Parents Meeting - 2.30pm
15th June	EYFS Sports Day - 9.00am
16th June	Y3/4, Y5 and Y6 Sports Day - 9.00am
17th June	Y1/2 Sports - 9.00am
5th June	Reception - Grasslands Farm Trip
19th June	KS1 - Grasslands Farm Trip
26th June	Nursery - Grasslands Farm Trip

BREAKFAST CLUB

This week our FREE breakfast club has launched, available 8:10—8:30, we still have some availability, so please contact the School Office if you would like to access it.

Attendance from this Week

Owls - 84.1%

Badgers - 96.1%

Hedgehogs - 95.4%

Squirrels - 90.5%

Foxes - 92.9%

Whole School - 92.5%

EYFS Police Visit

Community Police visited Early Years, to talk to the children about how they can help people as well catch the 'Bad Guys!'

Lunch Menu

Jacket Potato option with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo available every day!

Please find our full menu on our school website: http://www.stlawrencesschool.org/prents/school-meals-menu

Week Commencing: Monday 11th May

Monday	Tomato, Spanish and Salmon Pasta, Margherita Pizza and Wedges, Watermelon
Tuesday	Pork and Beef Sausages, or Vegan Sausage with Mashed Potato, Carrot Cake with Orange Glaze
Wednesday	Roast Turkey, or Quorn Fillet with Yorkshire Pudding, Raspberry Jelly and Mandarins
Thursday	Creamy Coconut Chicken and Chickpea Curry, Penne Tomato Pasta, Apple Crumble
Friday	Oven Baked Fish Fingers or Vegetable Sausage with Chips, Chocolate Shortbread

Week Commencing: Monday 18th May

Monday	Ham Pizza or Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges, Watermelon Slice
Tuesday	Beef and Lentil Bolognaise Pasta, Tomato Pasta, Oat Apple Crumble and Custard
Wednesday	Roast Chicken, or Quorn Fillet with Yorkshire Pudding, Orange Jelly and Mandarins
Thursday	Sticky Chinese Chicken or Pea-Powered Vegetable Stir Fry with Rice, Brownie
Friday	Oven Baked Fish Fingers or Vegetable Sausage with Chips, Lemon Shortbread Biscuit