Marston Thorold's Charity Church of England Primary School

18th September 2026

This term our Christian Value is "Thankfulness

'Praise the Lord. Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures for ever." Psalm 106:1

Welcome back to the new school year!

It is lovely to see how quickly the children have settled into their new classes are enjoying their learning. We are enjoying seeing our new Hoglets settle into school life along with Eriella, Theo-Fox, Quinn and Toryn who have joined us in other year groups – it is lovely to have new friends in school.

We are working hard to do our best in school and the children have been practising their 'best walking/listening/learning/talking/manners' around school. We have been talking about this a lot in school over the last couple of weeks – I am sure your children will be happy to tell you about it at home.

It has been a pleasure to meet with our new School Council this term. George and Jake are our Otters Councillors and are enjoying their new responsibilities, they are busy researching ways we can support Grantham Food Bank as we approach Harvest. In Foxes class our School Councillors are Bea and Luca; in Hedgehogs it is Ralph and Indie.

They Council are already keen to get working on new ideas and have plans for World Sight Day on Thursday 8th October – more details to follow!

Many thanks for your continued support.

Here's to a happy and productive school year.

Mrs Bedford

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Diary Dates

Friday 25th September

Mac Millan Coffee Afternoon (and Pre-loved uniform sale)3pm

Thursday 1st October

Year 6 Residential Meeting- 3.30pm

Thursday 8th October

Phonics Morning 9am

Friday 9th October

Flu Vaccinations

Monday 12th– 16th October

Year 6 Residential Trip

Tuesday 20th October

Hedgehogs had an exciting time listening to Julia Donaldson reading her new story - Gruffalo Granny. They even had a go at following along with Axel Scheffler's drawing!

Foxes went on lovely Geography learning walk this week. They completed fieldwork activities exploring and identifying the features of the River Witham.

The **Otters** have been busy making 'Blood Smoothies' in science using different ingredients to represent the various components within our blood.







After School Clubs Term 1

Monday– KS1 Colour & Chat

Tuesday– KS2 Rounders

Wednesday– KS2 Board Games & Card Games

	Star Of The Week	Special Mentions
Hedgehogs	Imogen	Grace
Foxes	Samuel	Oliver
Otters	Marley	Archie H

Through our Christian Values and the legacy of Sir John Thorold, we strive to create an inclusive nurturing family where everyone can flourish, unlock their potential and widen their horizons.