



Leopard Class Newsletter

Class Teacher Comments

I have loved my first 2 weeks as Leopard Class teacher. The parents' meetings were a great start for me to formally introduce myself, although I have taught lots of siblings from this class! The children have blown me away already with their work ethic, kindness, willingness improve and overall manners and respect for each other.

I'm looking forward to our next 11 weeks together and watching how much they grow both personally and academically in preparation for their final year at Whiston Willis.

CURRICULUM

We have started new topics in all subjects this week so it is great to see how the children are excited and keen to begin new learning.

English

In English we have started the text 'The Lost Happy Endings' written by Carol Ann Duffy. Firstly, we read some classic fairy tales that had the endings destroyed. We were shocked to learn that the glass slipper didn't fit Cinderella's foot and the Big Bad Wolf blew all of the pigs' houses down. We then explored villains from fairy tales and made inferences, with justification as to who may have sabotaged these stories.

Maths

We are currently learning all about different aspects of Geometry. We have used protractors to both measure and draw angles using accurate measurements. Children have shown me their strong knowledge of types of angles and have used this knowledge to predict sizes. For example, when seeing an acute angle, children knew the degree of the angle had to be less than 90 degrees.

For more information on what these topics contain, please go to Leopard Class at:

www.whistonwillis.co.uk

STARS OF THE WEEK

17/04/2026

Rights Respector of the Week – Charlie W
Star of the Week – Sage W

24/04/2026

Rights Respector of the Week – Aaron G
Star of the Week – Antonia H

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Uniform – It is expected that all children wear the correct uniform to school each day. Children can wear their PE kit on the days mentioned below.

PE Days – Monday and Tuesday (our topics are orienteering and cricket so please ensure suitable clothing and footwear for outdoors)

Snacks – Please ensure children are bringing healthy snacks to school for break and lunch times.

To see all our latest learning and for school updates, please follow @WhistonWillis1 on twitter.

**Thank you for your continued support,
Miss Caldwell**

