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Dear parents and carers,

Individual and Sibling Photographs

Individual and Sibling Photographs will be taken on **Tuesday 7th October 2025**. All children to wear the correct uniform for this day.

Sibling photographs (**specifically sibling that do not attend Langenhoe**) will be taken just before school from **8:30am**. These will be taken in the school hall, you will be able to use the side entrance door to access the hall.

Parking Reminder

Can we remind parents to be mindful of parking during drop off and collection. Cones are placed out in areas that are not permitted for parking e.g. the first corner of the turning circle. It is also important that parents **do not** park in the staff car park during drop off/pick up unless accessing the disabled spaces. If accessing the disabled spaces we ask that you do not enter or leave the car park between 8:40am—9am and 3:10pm—3:30pm.

Nursery Open Day

Attached is a flyer regarding an open morning for Mudlarks Nursery on **Thursday 13th November 2025 between 10am—12pm**.

There is no need to sign up, just arrive at reception at **10am**.

Secondary School Applications for September 2025

Can all parents notify the school office prior to any Secondary School visits your child may be attending so that we can mark these accordingly on the register.

The statutory closing date for Secondary School Applications for Year 6 Parents is **11:59pm on Friday 31st October 2025**.

Applications can be made via the Gov Website: <https://www.essex.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/schools/admissions/secondary-school-places>

Medical/Dental Appointments

We understand that you are unable to make medical or dental appointments outside of school hours but can we ask that you notify the office the morning of the appointment, or as soon as you have managed to obtain an appointment so that we are able to notify the class teacher to have your child ready for collection.

Parents Evening Autumn Term 2025

Slots for the Autumn Term Parents Evening were made available on MCAS last week. We urge you to book your slot as soon as possible. Separated parents who require 2 separate slots must contact the school office and we will do our best to accommodate the request.

Community Wildlife Day

On **Friday 18 October** Langenhoe School will be holding a **Community Wildlife Volunteer Day**. To ensure children's health and safety within their wildlife area, it is important the area is regularly maintained. If you wish to participate all you need to do is report to the school office at any time from **9am on Friday 18 October**. While the school has some tools, additional equipment such as secateurs and loppers would be useful. Refreshments, will be provided.

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Non Pupil Days: 1 & 2 September 2025

3 September—19 December 2025

Autumn Half Term

27 -- 31 October 2025

Spring Term

Non Pupil Days: 5 January & 23 February 2026

6 January—27 March 2026

Spring Half Term

16 February—20 February 2026

Summer Term

Non Pupil Days: 20th July 2026

13 April—17 July 2026

Summer Half Term

25 May—29 May 2026

EVENTS:

Newly added events are in red

7 October

Individual and Sibling Photographs

16 October

F&F Halloween Disco

18 October

Community Wildlife Day

21 October

Parents Evening

22 October

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10 November

Odd Sock Day

10 November

SEND Coffee Morning

11 November

Remembrance Day

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Friends & Family Update – October Update

Halloween Disco

Please remember to order your child(ren)'s ticket soon as the date is fast approaching <https://friends-and-family-of-langenhoe-community-primary-scho.sumupstore.com/>

Christmas Project

The children are completing their Christmas card designs in school this week – thank you to the teaching staff for supporting them with this. Items available will include cards, wrapping paper, gift tags, mugs, snow globes, tree decorations etc. All items are very reasonably priced and make wonderful keepsakes or gifts, and a percentage of sales comes back to us so it's a great fundraiser.

Elfridges

We urgently need donations for this year's much-loved Christmas Pop-Up Shop. Please send in any unwanted items that could make great gifts for mums, dads, grandparents, siblings or friends. We are always short of men's gifts, but this year donations are low across the board. A donation box is in the school entrance lobby. Every little helps – thank you!

Meet and Greet

For the first time we held a meet and greet in the park – thank you to Rachel for providing the snacks. We're also pleased to welcome some new members to the PTA committee and event helpers. Extra support is always welcome to help us run school events. If you'd like to join Friends & Family or can offer any level of support, please email FFpta@outlook.com

Pre-Loved School Uniform

We have now sorted through all the donated pre-loved school uniform and are making items available through a private Facebook group linked to our main school page: [Join here](#).

The group has been set up for our school community to share and pass on items such as school uniform, Halloween costumes, Christmas jumpers, Wellies, Coats and more. Please refer to the group rules when joining and posting.

We kindly ask that, where possible, anyone requesting school uniform makes a small donation amount of their choice to F&F on our [sum up link](#)

F&F will also use this group to share event information, or request helpers for upcoming events.

Thank you for your continued support.

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A snapshot of what we've been up to: I can't quite believe we are a month back! We have had many visitors over the past few weeks and they all comment on how well behaved and polite the children are. The School Council is now up and running and the older members have already had the important job of showing our existing and new Governors around our site. I know speaking with Mrs Still that they are very enthusiastic and have some fantastic ideas for this year. Mr Allard has been in school a few days this term already, not only in his role as the chair of governors but also to help Years 5 and 6 in their printmaking study. We thank him very much for all the time and commitment he gives to the children and the school. Coming up, we have a Vision and Values Day on Monday where we will explore our Vision 'Everyone Flourishes' and our Trust Values of 'Creativity, Optimism and Compassion'. We will enjoy a day off timetable and teachers have planned thought provoking and fun activities. There will be some new instalments in the entrance hall as a result. *Mrs Lucy Kershaw, Head of School*

Rainbow Rewards

Friday 26th September & Friday 3rd October

This week, the following awards were presented and children nominated:

Class	Rainbow Award		Class	Hot Chocolate	
	26th	3rd		26th	3rd
Robin	Theo	Albie & Alex	Robin	James	Theo
Sparrow	Darcie & Quinn	Maggie & Joshua	Sparrow	Oliver H	Joshua
Owl	Bella & Maggie	Libby & James	Owl	Bella	Maggie
Nightingale	Louis & Erin	Whole Class	Nightingale	Ethan	Jasmine
Falcon	Scarlett & Zita	Isabella & Zane	Falcon	Scarlett	Connie

Class	Work to Praise & Share		Class	Class Dojo	
	26th	3rd		26th	3rd
Robin	Phoenix	Archie	Robin	1148	1345
Sparrow	Oliver F	Elliot	Sparrow	1402	1731
Owl	Abel	Bella	Owl	1332	1604
Nightingale	Toby	Ethan	Nightingale	1042	1328
Falcon	Maisie	Connie	Falcon	1149	1613

26th September 2025

Timetable Rockstars Award: Falcon—2316 Points

Timetable Rockstar Certificate: Bayleigh, Libby, Emilia & Charlotte

Attendance Cake: Owl—98.07%

Zoe Bear Award: Poppy D

Sports Coach Award: Lily-Mae, Bayleigh, Louis, Lily W, James

Outdoor Learning Award:

3rd October 2025

Timetable Rockstars Award: Falcon—1967 Points

Timetable Rockstar Certificate: James W, Charlotte, Bayleigh

Attendance Cake: Nightingale—100%

Zoe Bear Award: Joshua

Sports Coach Award: Bayleigh, Jake, James, Elliot & William

Outdoor Learning Award: James W