



# Welcome to Winton Primary School

## The Winton Warbler

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**LAST DAY OF TERM – FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH – SCHOOL FINISHES AT NORMAL TIME**

**EASTER HOLIDAYS – MONDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> MARCH TO FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

**CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

**THE ONLY CLUBS RUNNING NEXT WEEK ARE TUESDAY MORNING PRODUCTION CLUB AND FRIDAY KARATE – ALL OTHER CLUBS HAVE NOW FINISHED FOR THE TERM**

**FOR NEXT TERM'S CLUBS INFORMATION, PLEASE REFER TO THE [SUMMER TERM CLUBS NEWSLETTER](#)**



### **PFA Information - NEXT WEEK - Parents V Teachers**

Make sure you come along to our Parents v Teachers sports matches straight after school until around 4.30pm. **Football - Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** and **Netball - Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March**. Cheer on the teams and buy some refreshments - it's sure to be great fun!

We will be selling drinks and snacks, and the candy floss machine will be powered up and ready to go!

On Monday, we will also have the uniform out in exchange for donations. We have summer dresses and shorts in stock for next term, come get yourself some good quality second hand

uniform for a fraction of the shop prices!

If you would like to help at the matches (with selling refreshments or setting up) we are always on the hunt for more helpers. Please email [PFA@wintonprimary.uk](mailto:PFA@wintonprimary.uk)



We have a WhatsApp Helpers group which you can also be added to if you email us with your contact number. Only the group admin can message, and this will only be for an upcoming event where they will post the details and add a poll to ask if you can help. This means you will not be inundated with messages. You are more than welcome to be added to the group and only help at one event in the year. You do not have to commit a huge amount of time!

<b>HOUSE COMPETITION – LUNCHTIME DAILY MILE RESULTS</b>			
1 <sup>ST</sup>	2 <sup>ND</sup>	3 <sup>RD</sup>	4 <sup>TH</sup>
974 LAPS – 100 HOUSE POINTS	967 LAPS – 75 HOUSE POINTS	761 LAPS – 50 HOUSE POINTS	720 LAPS – 25 HOUSE POINTS
<b>HOUSE COMPETITION - LEADERBOARD</b>			
1 <sup>ST</sup>	2 <sup>ND</sup>	3 <sup>RD</sup>	4 <sup>TH</sup>
1874	1746	1736	1722

### CHILDREN OF ACHIEVEMENT

**Emily in 5JE** was invited by her ballet studio to be an extra in the Ukrainian Opera & Ballet theatre production of Carmen. Emily got to perform on stage at the Bournemouth Pavilion, as one of 6 children in a market scene! It was a fantastic experience on-stage and off, and Emily loved every second of it!

**Robin in 3EW** was awarded the Chief Scout's Bronze Award last week! This is the top award for Beaver Scouts. It shows he is adventurous, has helped his community and has learnt about the world. It also means that he has gained skills, worked in a team, and completed all the Challenge Awards and multiple Activity badges. What a fantastic achievement, Robin!



### ATTENDANCE REMINDERS

National guidance on school attendance was updated in August 2019, and all schools are required to follow this statutory guidance. Further details can be found on our website:

<https://wintonprimary.uk/attendance/>

Regular attendance is essential for your child's learning. Children are expected to attend school every day, unless they are genuinely too unwell to do so. If your child is unable to attend, please inform the school on the morning of the first day of absence using one of the following methods:

- Log the absence via **Arbor** (same-day absence only)
- Leave a voicemail on the **Pupil Absence Line: 01202 513988 (Option 1)**
- Email the school office at [office@wintonprimary.uk](mailto:office@wintonprimary.uk)

We kindly ask that medical appointments are made outside of school hours wherever possible. If this is not achievable, please notify the school in advance. Children cannot be collected during their lunch hour or after 2.50pm. Evidence of the appointment must be provided either by email or when completing an appointment form at the office.

Absences that are not related to illness, medical needs or approved religious observance may be recorded as unauthorised. A pattern of unauthorised absences may result in further action. If you plan to take your child out of school for travel, a [leave of absence form](#) must be completed. This can be found on our attendance webpage.

Please note that Headteachers can only authorise leave in exceptional circumstances. If leave is not authorised, a penalty notice may be issued. The diagram below, drawn up when the guidance was updated, outlines the process in more detail.

## PENALTY NOTICE FINES FOR TERM-TIME HOLIDAYS ARE CHANGING

### First Offence

The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for an unauthorised term time holiday the fine amount will be:

£80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days.

Increasing to £160 if paid between days 22-28.

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### Second Offence (within 3 years)

The second time a Penalty Notice is issued for unauthorised absence the amount will be:

£160 per parent, per child, payable within 28 days.

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### Third Offence and any further offences (within 3 years)

The third time an offence is committed a Penalty Notice will not be issued and local authorities will need to consider other available measures to address the absence concerns. This may mean that cases are presented before a Magistrates' Court. If convicted, sanctions can include a fine of up to £2,500 and a prison sentence of up to 3 months, and you will have a criminal record.

Cases found guilty in the Magistrates' Court can show on the parent's future DBS certificate due to 'failure to safeguard a child's education'.

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Changes will come into force for Penalty Notice fines issued after 19<sup>th</sup> August 2024

#### Who may be fined?

Penalty Notice fines are issued to each parent who allows their child to be absent from school.

#### National Threshold:

All schools in England must consider a Penalty Notice when a pupil has 10 unauthorised absences in a 10 school-week rolling period. For example, a 5-day holiday would meet this threshold.



## CHARTWELLS – NEW MENU

Parents who are signed up to receive emails from Chartwells will have received notification of the new hot meals menu which takes effect from after the Easter holidays. The new menu can be found on [Chartwell's website](#), on [our website](#) and at the end of this newsletter. The new menu has been loaded onto [Meal Selector](#) so you can place your orders online now. Please note that the deadline to order meals for the first week of the summer term, is Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March.



## Job Vacancy - Finance and Admin Assistant, Winton Primary School



**22.5 hours per week (12pm – 4.30pm Monday – Friday)**

**£26,403 – £28,412 per annum (actual salary for part-time, term-time working £13,740 – £14,786)**

### **Permanent, Term time only**

At Winton Primary School, we know that the smooth running of our school depends on people who care about the details – the people who organise, support, solve problems and keep things moving so that teachers can teach and children can learn. We are looking for a Finance and Admin Assistant to join our friendly and supportive team.

This is a role at the centre of school life. Some days you'll be processing invoices and supporting colleagues with budgets. Other days you might be helping organise a school event, responding to enquiries from parents, or making sure the right resources arrive in time for an exciting lesson.

It's a varied role, a busy role, and an incredibly important one – because the work you do helps create the environment where our children can thrive.

**Closing date: 12th April 2026**

**Interview date: 28th April 2026**

*The Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people, this role involves directly working with children and significant contact with children, and therefore we expect all staff and volunteers to share the same commitment. Please ensure a full work history is completed in your application form including any gaps of employment. Applicants will be required to complete satisfactory enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check for this post prior to commencement. This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act (ROA) 1974.*

*The Trust is an equal opportunities employer. If successfully shortlisted the HR Department will also be conducting an individual online search including social media platforms of your 'name, education and employment', to demonstrate due diligence following 'Keeping Children Safe in Education' guidance. The search will not form part of the actual shortlisting process and any concerns arising from the search will be discussed directly with you.*

For full details and to make an application, please click here:

<https://www.southerneducationtrust.com/work-for-us/finance-and-admin-assistant-winton-primary-school/>

<b>DATES TO REMEMBER</b>	
<b>MARCH</b>	
<b>Monday 23rd to Friday 27th</b>	<b>SCHOOL RUN AND EXTERNAL HAVE FINISHED FOR THE TERM with the exception of Production Club &amp; Karate which WILL still run</b>
Monday 23rd	PFA Staff v Parents Football Match - after school - details above 3KB Ukulele Performance - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Tuesday 24th	1NA Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates) PFA Staff v Parents Netball Match - after school - details above
Wednesday 25th	3EW Ukulele Performance - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates) Matilda Performance - 6pm - ticket holders only
Thursday 26th	3JC Ukulele Performance - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates) Matilda Performance - 6pm - ticket holders only
Friday 27th	3AB Ukulele Performance - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates) Last day of term - school finishes at normal time
Sunday 29th	Deadline to order hot meals for after Easter (new menu coming soon)
<b>Monday 30th March to Friday 10th April</b>	<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>
<b>APRIL</b>	
Monday 13th	Children return to school after the holidays Year 1 Moordown High Street Walk (see email sent 27th February)
Wednesday 22nd	3AB Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Tuesday 28th	4RR Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
<b>MAY</b>	
<b>Monday 4th</b>	<b>MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY</b>
Tuesday 5th	Pear Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Monday 11th	Year 6 SATs week
Monday 18th	Cherry & Apple Aviation Museum Trip (see email sent 13th February)
Tuesday 19th	5AB Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Wednesday 20th	Pear & Plum Aviation Museum Trip (see email sent 13th February)
Friday 22nd	Children break up for half-term holidays - school finishes at normal time
<b>Monday 25th to Friday 29th</b>	<b>HALF TERM HOLIDAY</b>
<b>JUNE</b>	
Monday 1st	Children return to school after the holidays 4BP River Stour Trip (see email sent 18th March)
Tuesday 2nd	2AW & 2LU New Forest Wildlife Park trip (see email sent 22nd January)
Wednesday 3rd	2JD & 2ST New Forest Wildlife Trip (see email sent 22nd January)
Friday 5th	4KL River Stour Trip (see email sent 18th March)
Monday 8th	4ML River Stour Trip (see email sent 18th March)
Tuesday 9th	Plum Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Friday 12th	4RR River Stour Trip (see email sent 18th March)
Wednesday 17th	3JC Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Tuesday 23rd	1RD Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)
Tuesday 30th	1IN Class Assembly - 2.45pm in Small Hall (enter through Courtyard Gates)

# SPRING/SUMMER 2026 MENU

# WEEK 1

W/C: 13/04/2026, 04/05/2026, 25/05/2026, 15/06/2026, 06/07/2026, 27/07/2026, 17/08/2026, 07/09/2026, 28/09/2026, 19/10/2026

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT DISHES	OPTION 1	Pork Sausage Bites Served with Mashed Potato & Gravy	Beef Bolognese With Wholemeal Pasta 🍷	Ham & Cheese Ploughmans Served with Bread & Salad	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Battered Chicken Bites Served with Crispy Cubes & Tomato Ketchup
	OPTION 2	Creamy Cheese & Tomato Pasta	Cowboy Pasta With Wholemeal Pasta 🌱 🍷	Veggie Fingers with Crispy Cubes 🌱	Macaroni Cheese	Cheese & Onion Pasty Served with Crispy Cubes & Tomato Ketchup 🌱
	OPTION 3	Jacket Potato Topped with Baked Beans 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Cheddar Cheese 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Cheesy Coleslaw 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Tuna Mayo 🐟	Jacket Potato Topped with Cheddar Cheese 🌱
HOT DISHES ARE SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES AND FRESHLY BAKED BREAD						
DESSERT		Blueberry Crumble Muffin	Jammie Jack Flapjack	Chocolate Cookie Puck	Chocolate Brownie	Melon & Yoghurt



**AVAILABLE DAILY**  
Fresh fruit, salad, yoghurt and water

🌱 Vegetarian 🌿 Vegan 🐟 Oily Fish 🍷 Fruity! 🍷 Wholegrain 🍷 Nutritionist's Choice

Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for.



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# WEEK 2

W/C: 20/04/2026, 11/05/2026, 01/06/2026, 22/06/2026, 13/07/2026, 03/08/2026, 24/08/2026, 14/09/2026, 05/10/2026, 26/10/2026

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT DISHES	OPTION 1	Creamy Cheese & Tomato Pasta	Beef Burger in a Bun Served with Crispy Cubes & Tomato Ketchup	Roast Turkey Served with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Chicken & Vegetable Korma Served with Rice	Fish Fingers with Chips
	OPTION 2	Vegetarian Chilli Served with Rice 🌱	Crispy Veggie Burger in a Bun Served with Crispy Cubes & Tomato Ketchup 🌱	Quorn Sausages Served with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy 🌱	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Omelette With Chips 🌱
	OPTION 3	Jacket Potato Topped with Baked Beans 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Cheddar Cheese 🌱	Jacket Potato Served with Tuna & Salmon Mayo 🐟	Jacket Potato Topped with Veggie Bolognese 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Cheddar Cheese 🌱
HOT DISHES ARE SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES AND FRESHLY BAKED BREAD						
DESSERT		Oatie Cookie	Melon & Yoghurt	Lemon Muffin	Raspberry Sponge Pudding	Jammie Jack Flapjack



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# WEEK 3

W/C: 27/04/2026, 18/05/2026, 08/06/2026, 29/06/2026, 20/07/2026, 10/08/2026, 31/08/2026, 21/09/2026, 12/10/2026

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT DISHES	<b>OPTION 1</b> Macaroni Cheese	BBQ Chicken Served with Rice	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gravy 🍷	Lasagne with Garlic Bread 🍷 🍷	Battered Pollock Served with Crispy Cubes & Tomato Ketchup
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	<b>OPTION 2</b> Vegetarian Bolognese With Wholemeal Pasta 🌱 🍷	Cheese & Tomato Pizza 🌱	Roast Quorn with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread 🌱 🍷 🍷	Quorn Dippers Served with Crispy Cubes & Tomato Ketchup 🌱
OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	
<b>OPTION 3</b>	Jacket Potato Topped with Sweetcorn Salsa 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Cheddar Cheese 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Tuna Mayo 🐟	Jacket Potato Topped with Baked Beans 🌱	Jacket Potato Topped with Cheddar Cheese 🌱
<b>HOT DISHES ARE SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES AND FRESHLY BAKED BREAD</b>					
DESSERT	Chocolate Brownie	Treacle Sponge	Melon & Yoghurt 🌱	Lemon Muffin	Jammie Jack Flapjack



**AVAILABLE DAILY**  
Fresh fruit, salad, yoghurt and water

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🌿 Vegan
🐟 Oily Fish
🍷 Fruity!
🍷 Wholegrain
🍷 Nutritionist's Choice

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## HSU HEALTH SCIENCES UNIVERSITY

# STAMMERING CLINIC

Delivering evidence based therapy, developed by the Michael Palin Centre, for school aged children / young people who stammer. Free of charge for 2026.

8-14 year olds



10 week therapy programme delivered by speech therapists (and students) available May to August 2026 at HSU Bournemouth or online.

Please click the link below or scan the QR code to request further information by 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026  
<https://forms.office.com/e/a2qV7jaiVm>  
 or email: [Elouise.Ashwin@hsu.ac.uk](mailto:Elouise.Ashwin@hsu.ac.uk)

