



Autumn 2025

Dates for your diary

9th Oct 4-5pm: Meet The Teacher: Pop along within this time to chat to the team. Please let us know if you plan on coming.

17th Oct: Last Day of Term

3rd Nov: First Day of Term

20th Nov: Photo Day – more details to follow

18th Dec: Last Day of Term and Christmas Party – more details to follow

19th Dec: TDD



Easyfundraising

Thank you to everyone who has downloaded the app to raise money for the pre-school. Please ensure you are doing as much shopping as possible via the app to ensure we receive as many donations as possible.

Easyfundraising partners with over 8000 brands who will pay donations on your everyday purchases. All you have to do is download the easyfundraising browser extension or app, and they run in the background whilst you shop online. Both the extension and the app are free to download and it's completely free to sign up.

To get started click on the link below:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk

Total raised so far:

£328.63

Join the Committee

Old Court Community Pre School Needs You!

Our committee needs more members to support the staff team running the Pre School. We meet once a term to discuss various issues and decide on fundraising events and activities. We pull together teams of volunteers to help with jobs, more on this later. If you would like to become part of the committee please speak to one of the team.

Staff News and Updates

Emma Giles has finished and received her qualification in Cache level 3 SENCo in early years.

Ann-Marie is now our Senior room leader and will also become a Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL)

Well done Emma and Ann-Marie – we all appreciate all your hard work.

Kieran has left the team and we are recruiting. Please share our job advert and if you know of anyone qualified looking for a role in early years please send them our way.

Keeping children safe

At Old Court Pre-school we are committed to keeping children safe, safeguarding is a shared responsibility, this includes all team members and parent/carers. If you have a concern about a child please feel free to come and speak with our safeguarding team:

Michelle Miller – Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL)

Emma Giles – Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL)

Ann-Marie Nickles - Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL)

Helen Jarvis – Committee safeguarding officer

If you have a concern that is urgent, you can contact the Integrated Front Door (IFD) on 0300 456 0108 or 999 in an emergency.

Keeping safe online

It's important to keep children safe online and this can be difficult to navigate. For more details and support with this, follow the link below for NSPCC:

[Keeping children safe online | NSPCC](#)

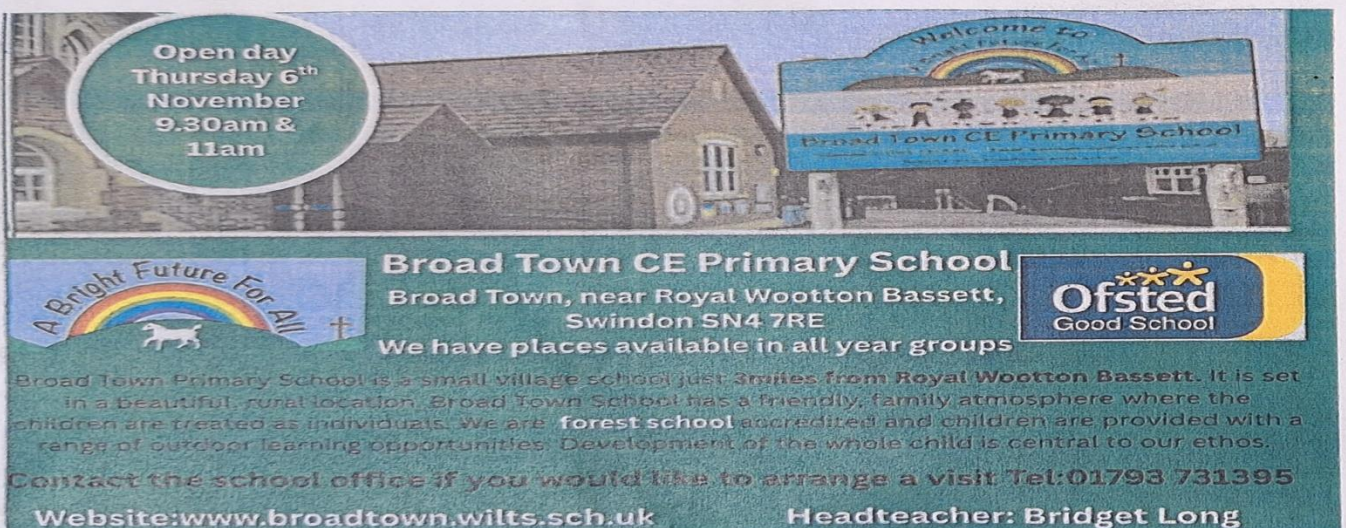
Plastic Free

We are also looking to be as plastic free as possible so if you have any canvas or wicker storage boxes or baskets to donate please do. Also wooden toys in good condition would very much be appreciated.



Trade and skilled persons required

There are always jobs that need doing to maintain the building and grounds for our children. We are always looking for people (especially those with trades experience or skills) to volunteer their time and expertise. If you are able to help please get in touch so we can plan the next productive day. We are also often in need of paint (red cedar or dark oak) to finish our wall and fences.



Open day
Thursday 6th
November
9.30am &
11am

Broad Town CE Primary School
Broad Town, near Royal Wootton Bassett,
Swindon SN4 7RE
We have places available in all year groups

Ofsted
Good School

Broad Town Primary School is a small village school just 3 miles from Royal Wootton Bassett. It is set in a beautiful, rural location. Broad Town School has a friendly, family atmosphere where the children are treated as individuals. We are a forest school accredited and children are provided with a range of outdoor learning opportunities. Development of the whole child is central to our ethos.

Contact the school office if you would like to arrange a visit Tel: 01793 731395
Website: www.broadtown.wilts.sch.uk Headteacher: Bridget Long



St Bartholomew's Primary Academy

Hand in hand, we learn, we grow, we soar

Open Evenings for New Starters

Monday 17th November 2025 4-6pm

Tuesday 18th November 2025 5-7pm

'The school's vision of 'Hand in hand we learn, we grow, we soar' shines throughout all aspects of life at St Bartholomew's. It motivates pupils to be 'the best version of themselves' and work together as a team.' Ofsted 2025



If you are looking for a school place for your child in September 2026 you are warmly invited to visit our open evening

Please come along on your preferred evening; the EYFS classrooms will be open for your child to explore, whilst our friendly team will be on hand to answer any questions!




Learning for Life
LONGLEAZE PRIMARY SCHOOL
www.Longleaze.wilts.sch.uk

OPEN DAYS

We warmly invite prospective Reception 2026 parents, carers, and children to attend one of our annual open mornings or evenings.

At our wonderful school, 'learning for life' is at the heart of everything we do, and we're excited to share that with you.

• Thursday 9 th October 2025	4pm-6.30pm
• Tuesday 18 th November 2025	9.15am and 10.30am
• Tuesday 18 th November 2025	4pm-6.30pm
• Wednesday 19 th November 2025	9.15am and 10.30am

LONGLEAZE PRIMARY SCHOOL OFFERS

- ✓ A nurturing learning environment
- ✓ A broad and balanced curriculum
- ✓ Breakfast and After School Club care
- ✓ Many enrichment opportunities including Forest Schools, coaching with STFC, music lessons, art and dance clubs

Ofsted Good Provider

"Longleaze Primary School is a happy and exciting place to learn."

"Pupils thoroughly enjoy the learning experiences on offer at the school and are keen to do 'their best'".
Ofsted 2022

For more information and to book a place:
Tel: 01793 849251
email: admin@longleaze.wilts.sch.uk



Where learning is fun

Ofsted Good School

WOOTTON BASSETT INFANTS' SCHOOL

OPEN DAYS 2025

Wootton Bassett Infants' School would like to welcome prospective children and parents to visit our amazing school.

We strive to make learning exciting and fun whilst maintaining a family type atmosphere. Come along and meet:

- Headteacher & SENCo, Alison Pass
- Assistant Heads, Rebecca Tebbitt and Jenny Pearce
- Our friendly Governing Body

You will have the opportunity to look round the school, visit the classrooms and ask questions.

Friday 26th September 9.30-11.30
We run this event alongside Macmillan Coffee Morning. So, refreshments will be available.

Wednesday 15th October 6-7pm

Ofsted Good School

Eco-Schools

Healthy Schools

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Affordable Schools

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU TO OUR SCHOOL