



# Burbage C of E Infants: Newsletter Easter 2026



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## Executive Headteacher's Message



Dear parents/carers

It's been a short but busy half term, full of learning and activity!

As we approach the Easter break, we say a heartfelt farewell and thank you to Mrs Jesson, who retires at Easter after many years of service to our school community; working within both schools as Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator. We wish her every happiness in her retirement. Following the holiday, Mrs Lucas will lead on Special Educational Needs across the Federation, continuing to support our children and families with care and commitment.

We also thoroughly enjoyed our church visit for Palm Sunday, which was a lovely way to reflect together on the Easter story. "He is not here; he has risen, just as he said." – *Matthew 28:6*

Children will return to school on Monday 13th April at 8:45am.

We wish all our families a joyful and peaceful Easter.

Kind regards

Zoe Driver

Executive Headteacher

## Easter Message from Father Andrew



Dear Parents/Carers,

As we welcome the Easter break, I would like to extend our warmest wishes to you and your families. Easter is a time of renewal and hope, and we pray that you experience the joy and blessings of this special season. I hope that the weather will be kind to us, allowing everyone to enjoy the beauty of spring and spend quality time outdoors with loved ones. Whether you are celebrating with family gatherings, attending church services, or simply enjoying some well-deserved rest, all the governors wish you a peaceful and joyous Easter.

Can I take this opportunity to invite you to our Easter Messy Church at St Catherine's on Good Friday at 10:00 am.

May the spirit of Easter fill your hearts with peace, love and happiness. May our staff and teachers have a good rest and come back renewed and restored. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school after the break, refreshed and ready for the term ahead.

Rev. A. D. Hall

## Governor Update



As governors, we are proud to support the school by helping to set the long-term direction and ensuring it continues to provide the best possible education for all pupils. Our role is strategic – we work with the school’s leadership team to set the vision, review progress and make sure the school is moving forward positively. The day-to-day running of the school is led by the Executive Headteacher and staff, who work incredibly hard to support our children every day.

From time to time, parents and carers may have questions or concerns. In most cases, these can be quickly resolved by speaking directly with the class teacher or a member of the school team, who are always happy to help.

If a concern can’t be resolved informally, we kindly ask parents to follow the school’s **Complaints Policy**. This process helps ensure that any issues are looked at carefully, fairly and by the right people. The policy explains the steps involved and can be found on the school website.

We greatly value the support of our parent community and appreciate everyone working together with the school to create a positive environment for our children to learn and thrive.

Rebecca Jones

Chair of Governors

## Year Groups - Curriculum Updates



### Reception

What a fast and busy half term we’ve had!!

Our first theme ‘People Who help us’ started by considering those close to us who help us every day. We then looked wider at our school and community. We were also very lucky to have some special visitors in school.

Mr Janda came to talk to us about his role as a fire fighter and brought his uniform to show the children. Mrs Nagra and her team came to talk to us about her role as a Dental Therapist and to explain to the children how important it is to look after their teeth. Mr Botting came to talk to the children about his job as a police officer and Mrs Greatwood came to tell us about her role as the School Crossing Patrol and how important it is to cross the road safely. We would like to express our thanks to all the visitors for giving up their valuable time to bring our learning to life. World book day and Science Day happened in between all this and we all certainly had fun dressing up as book characters and scientists!

Our next theme was ‘New Life’. Which includes our learning about Spring and Easter. We have learnt about the Easter story and the Christian celebration. And that’s not all, we have finished our half term with some more exciting activities; Our Easter Service at Church, Easter egg hunts, Easter egg rolling competitions and Easter Bonnet fun.

After the half term break we are looking forward to our visit to the farm and enhancing our learning on Spring and farm animals. We

will also be learning through our themes 'Little in the Garden' and 'Safari Adventure'.

We hope the children have chance for a rest and enjoy any Easter celebrations you have planned.

### **Year 1**

Although it has been a shorter term, the children have worked incredibly hard and should be very proud of all they have achieved.

In art, they really enjoyed creating 3D shapes and exploring their creativity.

In history, we have been looking at the history of toys and how they have changed over time. Many children were surprised by what their grandparents might have played with!

In RE, the children enjoyed learning more Bible stories, including *The Lost Son* and *Jonah and the Whale*.

In science, they have been learning about different animal groups such as mammals, reptiles, amphibians, fish and birds. Why don't you ask them what they remember?

In English, the children have been learning about the features of instructional writing.

In maths, we have been focusing on mass and volume. Over the Easter break, it would be great for the children to practise this at home by weighing different objects and filling containers to apply the language they have learned.

The children were also very excited to share their Easter bonnets!

Thank you for your continued support. We hope you all have a lovely Easter break.

### **Year 2**

What a fantastic and action-packed half term it has been in Year 2! The children have shown great enthusiasm and determination in all areas of their learning, and we are incredibly proud of their hard work.

In Science, we have thoroughly enjoyed exploring human and animal life cycles. The children have taken on the role of young investigators, measuring growth and using their data skills to identify trends and patterns—future scientists in the making!

In our PSHE lessons we have focused on the importance of staying healthy, sparking thoughtful discussions about how we can look after our bodies and minds.

In Maths, fractions have been a big hit! The children especially loved using the "Burbage Star Pizza" method to help them understand fractions of numbers in a fun and engaging way.

In English, we have been diving into a range of writing genres, including poetry, letter writing, and narrative. It has been wonderful to see the children growing in confidence and skill as they learn to adapt their writing style to suit different purposes.

In History, learning has taken us on a journey into the past, where the children explored what school life used to be like. A particular highlight was interviewing a former pupil, which gave us fascinating insights into how much things have changed over time. We're excited to build on this learning during our upcoming visit to Beaumanor Hall, where we will step back in time and experience a Victorian classroom!

Looking ahead, there is a real buzz of excitement as we prepare for our residential trip to Beaumanor Hall after the Easter break. It is always a highlight of the year, and we can't wait for the adventures ahead!

Well done, Year 2—keep up the amazing work!





## SENCo Update



Hello!

This Easter I will be retiring from my work at Burbage C of E Infants. I would like to take this chance to thank you for engaging with me in conversations over the last few years. It has been my privilege to work with your children and staff over the last 17 years.

After Easter, Mrs Lucas will be working across the two schools (Burbage Infants and Burbage Juniors) and you can contact her through the school office (01455 239391) and by email ([vlucas@burbageinfants.org](mailto:vlucas@burbageinfants.org)). She will continue to offer *Time to Talk* sessions each week as well.

I have been considering if there is any advice that you may find useful as parents and carers. Here is a useful link with tips for helping to develop your child's language skills. This may be particularly relevant for younger children or those who are struggling to acquire language:

<https://send.eani.org.uk/support-services/send-local-impact-teams/send-categories/language-and-communication/useful>

Next term the school will start to look at transitions both through the school as well as for the Y2 children who are leaving to go to the Junior School. If you have concerns about how your child may cope with this, please contact your child's class teacher or Mrs Lucas to start a conversation next term.

Best wishes for the future!

Mrs Philippa Jesson

SENCo

## Forest School



### Forest School and Garden Update

There have been some very exciting developments in our Forest School and garden this half term. We are incredibly grateful for a very kind donation from Jason Paton, Manager of FosseTech in the village, who purchased a brand new and much-needed greenhouse for the children.

This wonderful addition will allow our pupils to continue learning how to plant, grow, and care for their own food as part of our gardening and outdoor learning activities. The greenhouse will help us extend our growing season and give the children even more opportunities to develop their skills and confidence in the garden.

Following the successful build of our Forest School pavilion, we also had some wood left over. A very kind craftsman, Tom Myers (also

known as *The Burbage Woodman*), has been working his magic with the spare timber. Along the way, he has also been teaching his son valuable woodworking skills while creating not one but two sturdy sawhorses for the children to use during our Forest School sessions.

We would also like to thank Ben Moore, who kindly offered his services to cut wood circles that will be used as activity bases. These will allow different activities to be set up for children to access freely and explore during our Forest School sessions.

We are incredibly thankful for the generosity and support from members of our local community who help make these wonderful opportunities possible for our children.

**Thank you for supporting  
our children's learning.**

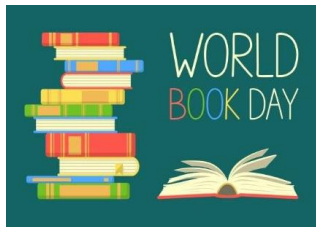


**It is very much appreciated.**





## World Book Day and Readathon



Thank you to everybody who took part in our February Readathon! It is lovely to see that the children are reading lots at home. Our recent Readathon, at the Infant School has raised a whopping £3,156.50! This is a fantastic amount of money and we have already started to consider how to spend it to support children's reading.

Also, this half-term it has been World Book Day. It was wonderful to see the children wearing their costumes and to hear them talking about their favourite books. All the children had a fun-filled day, read lots of stories and took part in some special Oracy-focused World Book Day activities in their classrooms and on the playground.

## Collective Worship - Justice



During Collective Worship this half-term we have been thinking about **Justice**. We introduced this value by sharing the acrostic poem below.

Justice is:

**J**udging what is right

**U**nderstanding what is fair

**S**tanding up for those who need help

**T**rying to listen to both sides

**I**nformed and wise decisions

**C**aring enough to take action

**E**qual opportunities for all

The children have reflected on what it means to treat people fairly, the importance of rules and making wise decisions in our own lives.

The children also continue to enjoy listening to and reflecting on the big stories from the Bible. We thank Father Andrew, Clem Morrison and Mary Tynan from St Catherine's

Church and Karen Berry from the Methodist Church for their continued support.

We have had special Collective Worship times this half-term, including Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday and Easter Around the World. The whole school enjoyed going to St Catherine's Church yesterday for our Palm service and the children had a palm cross to take home.

## Prayer Space



On 19th March we held a Prayer Space day in school. The theme this time was Grace, Mercy & Peace, led by Mrs Barwell. The children enjoyed spending time thinking about forgiveness and considering how we can all show more love and kindness to one another. The children were also encouraged to share their ideas about what makes them feel at peace. We had some lovely ideas including; when they have a cuddle with family at home, spending time with pets, listening to the waves and feeling the sand on the beach, reading, spending time with friends and many more.

All activities encouraged spirituality though looking IN, OUT and UP. Please see attached *Prayer Spaces at Home* scavenger hunt activity to complete over the Easter break if you wish.

**JUSTICE**

**'Learn to do right. Seek justice.'**

Isaiah 1.17

**QUOTES & QUESTIONS**

Earth provides enough to satisfy every man's need, but not every man's greed. (Mahatma Gandhi)

Justice cannot be for one side alone, but must be for both. (Eleanor Roosevelt)

How much of what you want is what you actually need?

Do you think about what is fair for others as well as what is fair for yourself?

Overcoming poverty is not a gesture of charity; it is an act of justice. (Nelson Mandela)

If you want peace, work for justice. (Pope Paul VI)

Can you rewrite these words spoken by Nelson Mandela in your own words?

Why do you think Pope Paul VI believed justice was essential to having peace?

**PRAYER ACTIVITY**

**Prayer Walk Scavenger Hunt**

When you see one of these, think about the following.

**STONES**  Is there something you are holding on to inside, you don't want forward with you anymore? Maybe there is a hurt or sadness, fear or worry?  
Hold the stone in your hand. Think about the thing you want to let go of.  
When you are ready, release the stone to the ground and let go of the thing you are leaving behind in head or your heart. Don't pick it back up!

**LEAF**  As the seasons change the leaves change colour on the trees around us! It's a visual reminder that life is always moving forwards and God is always at work around us.  
Pick up a leaf and thank God for the new exciting times ahead to come.

**FLOWERS**  Flowers can be very beautiful. They come in all shapes, sizes, colours and designs.  
When you see a flower you like, tell God and those you are with why you like it so much!  
Why not ask God what he thinks is beautiful?



## School Council



This term, we welcomed our new Reception School Councillors to meetings. We regularly discuss ways to make our school even better and have recently made posters to remind everyone about good manners in the dinner hall and at lunchtime.

We also welcomed PTFA Emma to our last meeting. She wanted to gather the children's views about how much they have enjoyed the PTFA events held, hear their ideas for new events in the future and also ideas about how to spend money raised. Councillors represented their classes well and shared with Emma the ideas they had discussed in class.

## Eco Committee



We are excited to share some of the wonderful things happening in our Eco group this term.

We are pleased to welcome some new children who have joined the Eco Committee from Reception. They have been very enthusiastic and are already contributing great ideas about how to help our environment.

This term, we carried out our monthly Eco Award walk. During this, we visit classrooms

and choose a class that is doing a fantastic job of looking after the environment. We look for things such as closing windows, recycling paper, and switching off the whiteboard when it is not in use.

We have also been busy creating and putting up new Eco rules and posters around the school. These were designed by the children and help remind everyone how we can all make a difference.

We have an after-school Forest School Club starting next term for year 1 and year 2. We are working with the *Let's Go Zero Campaign* and thinking of ways our school can be more eco friendly.

## Online Safety



We are sharing this poster to help families understand how children can stay safe when using **YouTube**. While the platform offers many enjoyable and educational videos, it is important to remember that not all content is suitable for young children.

At school, children have **very limited and supervised access** to YouTube, and any videos used in lessons are carefully selected by staff. This helps ensure that pupils only see age-appropriate content that supports their learning.

We encourage parents and carers to take a similar approach at home by:

- Supervising children when they are online
- Using parental controls such as Restricted Mode

- Talking to children about safe and kind behaviour online
- Encouraging them to ask an adult if they see something that worries them. Working together helps children enjoy the benefits of technology while learning how to stay safe online. If you would like more information about online safety for children, please speak to the school office. ?????



## PE and Sport



PE has been full of energy, creativity and fantastic achievements this half term!

Our KS1 children have been dancing their way through an exciting unit, using a range of imaginative themes to inspire their routines. From silly clowns to swashbuckling pirates, daring safari adventurers to creatures of the

rainforest, the children have loved bringing their ideas to life through movement. Their confidence and creativity have truly shone on the “dance floor”!

In games with Mr Probert, we have been sharpening our sending and receiving skills. The children have been busy building their ball control, improving their accuracy and developing their ability to track and pass in different sports. It has been brilliant to see their skills—and teamwork—grow week by week.

Beyond lessons, it has been a hugely successful term for school sport. Our talented gymnastics team wowed at the county finals, performing their routines with confidence, precision and style—what a fantastic achievement!

We have also taken part in the Hinckley and Bosworth Schools Netball Festival, where our children showed great determination, teamwork and skill across a range of fun activities and mini games. To top it all off, our hockey team proudly represented the school at Green Towers, playing with enthusiasm, resilience and excellent sportsmanship.

Well done to all our pupils for their effort, team spirit and positive attitude—what a brilliant half term in PE!



## PTFA News



It's the end of another half term and this one seems to have flown by!

There has been lots going on behind the scenes with two of our biggest events of the year coming up. Burbage Scarecrow Festival is back from the 2nd - 4th of May. There have been some fabulous scarecrows in the past and we would absolutely love to make this year's bigger and better, but we can't do it without you! If you haven't entered your Scarecrow yet, please do so by the **6th April** by clicking [here](#).

We also have our Spring Fayre on the 2nd of May, 12pm - 4pm. There will be lots going on, including entertainment, bouncy castles, plenty of games and food and drink! Thank you to our wonderful parents who have already kindly volunteered their time. If you are able to help out at the event at all please drop us an email at [ptfachair@burbageinfants.org](mailto:ptfachair@burbageinfants.org).

Finally, the children have enjoyed egg rolling this month! Well done to all the pro egg rollers who won themselves an Easter Egg.

Wishing you all a relaxing Easter break.

Emma, Lisa, Emma, Jess and Viv



# 'Healthy Together' Newsletter



Healthy Together [www.healthforkids.co.uk](http://www.healthforkids.co.uk) Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust

## Healthy Together Newsletter

ISSUE 10

**Welcome to your latest Healthy Together newsletter**

Hello and welcome to the latest edition of your newsletter for parents/carers and school staff from the school nursing team at Healthy Together.

In this update, you can find advice around reducing screen time, information about free online parenting pathways and details of our Lanterns game, encouraging children to write down their worries and watch them float away.

**Reducing the amount of screen time for children**

To help you explain the importance of looking away from and spending less time on their screens, we have produced 5 easy to understand reasons for you to share with your child.

**Riddle me this!**  
When should you turn off your screen before bed time?

- 1 hour before
- 1 second before
- 1 minute before

**Click here to view our 5 reasons why you need to look up from a screen**

**Free online parenting pathways to support your journey**

Together courses cover concerns that parents often face with all children, from before they are born to early adulthood, including physical and mental health, understanding their feelings and how to build better relationships.

Issues that affect children with additional needs including learning disabilities and autism – are also covered.

**Click here to find out more about all of the available courses**

Healthy Together [www.healthforkids.co.uk](http://www.healthforkids.co.uk) Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust

## In the Spotlight

**Lanterns: Helping to let go of worries**

For some children, feelings can be difficult to understand, share and let go of.

To help with this, the **Lanterns game** on Health for Kids encourages children to note down their feelings on one of our lanterns and watch as they float away, rather than 'bottling up' how they are feeling.

**Click here to play our Lanterns game**

**Contact a school nurse by text message**

Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust runs a dedicated, confidential and secure text messaging service called ChatHealth for parents/carers of children aged 0-11 in Leicestershire and Rutland, which enables you to get professional health advice and support.

**Text a Public Health Nurse (School Nurse) on:**

**07520 615 382**

**ChatHealth**

**Free local support for managing parental conflict**

There is strong evidence that conflict between parents, whether they live together or are separated, can have a significant negative impact on children's mental health, well-being, and long-term life chances.

Not all conflict is harmful. Children can cope well with disagreements that are calm, short-lived and resolved. However, when conflict is frequent, intense, or poorly resolved, it can affect how safe children feel, how they manage their emotions, and how they behave at home and in school.

The **East Mids Relationships website** offers more information as well as non-judgmental support and guidance for managing parental conflict.

**Click here to visit the East Mids Relationships website**

**EastMidsRelationships**

**Contact a health professional via the Healthy Together Helpline**

You can also call to speak to the Helpline's qualified health and administrative professionals who offer easy to access, safe and free advice, support and signposting.

**Call 0300 300 3001**

Calls are answered from 9am – 4.30pm on weekdays, excluding bank holidays.

# Leicestershire Libraries Newsletter



YOUR LIBRARY [leicestershire.gov.uk/libraries](http://leicestershire.gov.uk/libraries)

CULTURE LEICESTERSHIRE

## Schools Newsletter

Spring - 2026

It's been a busy and exciting start to the year at Leicestershire Libraries! From our January challenge packed with fun prompts to boost creativity to colourful rainbow creating sessions with Putty Planet, there has been lots for us to enjoy!

February also brought plenty of excitement as we celebrated National Storytelling Week with free interactive sessions led by Super Sparkie. Families had a great time, commenting on what a 'fun, interactive and engaging' event it was. We also had a fantastic time celebrating World Book Day, sharing stories and sparking a love of reading across our communities.

Super Sparkie - Under the Sea Event      World Book Day

**Booklist Spotlight**

May brings National Share a Story Month, celebrating the joy of reading aloud and how stories bring people together. To mark the theme **Once Upon a Storytime**, we've added a wonderful selection of traditional stories and fairy tales to our library shelves.

**For more book recommendations and to reserve books, visit our catalogue**

## Coming Soon

**Easter Activities**

Keep an eye out for Easter Holiday events and activities taking place in Leicestershire Libraries. You can find out more about what's on at your local library by checking our **What's On?** Page and following us on **Facebook** and **Instagram**.

**Summer Events**

**Summer Reading Challenge - 4 July- 12 Sept 2026**

READ TO THE BEAT

This July sees the launch of our brand new Summer Reading Challenge. Read to the Beat! Families can look forward to a summer filled with special events and engaging activities across Leicestershire Libraries, exploring how rhythm, music and storytelling spark imagination and creativity.

**Love Your Library**

**National Year of Reading 2026**

**If you're into it, read into it**

Did you know that 2026 is the National Year of Reading? Throughout the year, Leicestershire Libraries will be hosting a range of activities and events to encourage reading across our communities. Keep an eye on our website and social media for updates and ways to get involved.

**Coalville Library Refurbishment**

Coalville Library has reopened after 7 weeks of work behind the scenes. The Children's Library has traded old for bold and now has a fresh, modern feel! The refurbishment was funded by Section 106 Developer contributions. We invite you to come and explore the sensory lights, exciting arches, peep boxes and brand new books and find your favourite new spot in your library.

**To find out about upcoming events, visit the 'What's On' page on our website.**

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## School Term Dates



### Academic Year 2025-2026

#### Summer Term

School Opens: Monday 13th April 2026

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 4th May 2026

Mid-term break: Monday 25th to Friday 29th May 2026

School Closes: Wednesday 8th July 2026

### Academic Year 2026-2027

#### Autumn Term

School Opens: Monday 24th August 2026

August Bank Holiday: Monday 31st August 2026

Mid-term break: Monday 19th to Friday 23rd October 2026

School Closes: Friday 18th December 2026

#### Spring Term

School Opens: Tuesday 5th January 2027

Mid-term break: Monday 15th to Friday 19th February 2027

School Closes: Friday 19th March 2027

### Summer Term

School Opens: Monday 5th April 2027

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 3rd May 2027

Mid-term break: Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June 2027

School Closes: Wednesday 7th July 2027

Dates for Your Diary: [Parents/Letter Bank/School Dates Summer Term 2026](#)

[2026-2027 School Academic Year](#)

| Summer Term 2026  |   |
|---|---|
| Mon. 13 <sup>th</sup> April   | School re-opens at 8.45 am for start of summer term   |
| Wed. 15 <sup>th</sup> April   | Reception trip to Stonehurst Farm, Leicestershire (info to follow)  |
| Wed. 29 <sup>th</sup> April – Fri. 17 <sup>th</sup> May   | Burbage Community Arts Festival – Programme to be confirmed. See website for more details   |
| Sat. 2 <sup>nd</sup> May  | PTFA Spring Fair at Burbage Infants   |
| Sat. 2 <sup>nd</sup> May – Mon. 4 <sup>th</sup> May   | PTFA Scorecrow Festival   |
| Mon. 4 <sup>th</sup> May  | May Day Bank Holiday – school closed  |
| Wed. 13 <sup>th</sup> & Thurs. 14 <sup>th</sup> / Thurs. 14 <sup>th</sup> & Fri. 15 <sup>th</sup> May | Year 2 Beaumanor Hall residential trips   |
| Sat. 16 <sup>th</sup> May   | St Catherine's Church May Fair - 10.00 am to 2.00 pm  |
| Tues. 19 <sup>th</sup> May  | Year 1 trip to Conkers (info to follow)   |
| Fri. 22 <sup>nd</sup> May   | PTFA non-uniform day – suggested donation £1  |
| -   | Break up for half-term  |
| 25 <sup>th</sup> May to 29 <sup>th</sup> May  | Half-term holiday   |
| Mon. 1 <sup>st</sup> June   | School re-opens at 8.45 am  |
| w/b 8 <sup>th</sup> June  | Year 1 phonics screen   |
| Wed. 10 <sup>th</sup> June  | Introduction to Key Stage 1 Meeting 4.45 – 5.30 (in the School Hall) For current Reception parents only.  |
| Fri. 12 <sup>th</sup> June  | PTFA Disco for Reception 4.30 to 5.30 pm and Year 1 5.45 to 6.45 pm<br>Booking essential – this will be via PTFA Facebook page (look out for school Parent/Inf email nearer the time) |
| Wed. 17 <sup>th</sup> June  | SEND Parental Reviews – in classrooms 3.30 to 5.00 pm appointments to be made via Class Dojo (invitation to follow)   |
| Thurs. 18 <sup>th</sup> June  | Yr 2 violin concert 10.00 am for parents/carers of violin pupils  |
| Mon. 22 <sup>nd</sup> June  | Sports Day. Families welcome:<br>• Reception – 9.30 am to 10.30 am<br>• Year 1 – 10.45 am to 12.00 pm<br>• Year 2 – 1.30 pm to 2.45 pm  |
| Thurs. 25 <sup>th</sup> June  | Prayer Space Day in school – theme of 'Transition'  |
| Fri. 26 <sup>th</sup> June  | Children's end of year reports going home   |
| Tues. 30 <sup>th</sup> June   | Year 2 leavers' performance at 2.00 pm<br><b>No younger children or babies, thank you.</b><br>Email about how to book places to follow nearer the time.                               |
| Wed. 1 <sup>st</sup> July   | Year 2 leavers' performance at 9.30 am<br><b>No younger children or babies, thank you.</b><br>Email about how to book places to follow nearer the time.                               |
| Thurs. 2 <sup>nd</sup> July   | Transfer Day – children spend the day in their new classroom (for 2026-27 academic year)  |
| Thurs. 2 <sup>nd</sup> July   | Drop-in from 3.15 to 4.00 pm<br>School will be open for you to have a look at your child's new classroom.   |
| Mon. 6 <sup>th</sup> July   | Yr. 2 Leavers' service at St Catherine's Church – 2.00 pm<br>Year 2 parents/carers welcome.<br>Parent helpers needed - please speak to the school office                              |
| Wed. 8 <sup>th</sup> July   | School closes for end of academic year  |

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#### Academic Year 2026-2027

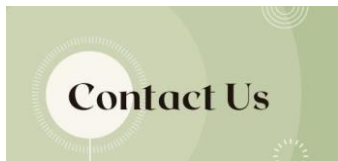
| Autumn Term         |   |
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| Staff Training Days | Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> August 2026 |
| School Opens        | Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> August 2026                               |
| August Bank Holiday | Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> August 2026                               |
| Mid-term Break      | Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> to Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2026   |
| School Closes       | Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2026                             |

| Spring Term        |  |
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| Staff Training Day | Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2027                              |
| School Opens       | Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2027                             |
| Mid-term Break     | Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> to Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2027 |
| Schools Close      | Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2027                               |

| Summer Term          |   |
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| School Opens         | Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> April 2027                               |
| May Day Bank Holiday | Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2027                                 |
| Mid-term Break       | Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> May to Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2027 |
| School Closes        | Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2027                             |
| Staff Training Days  | Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> July 2027                              |

Please note that the school cannot authorise holidays during term time except in "exceptional circumstances". (Please see the Pupil Attendance Policy on our website.)

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