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Friday 27th June 2025



This half term, we are growing to be *faith-filled* in our beliefs;
and *hopeful* for the future.



I think for me hope is a choice. And I am much more inspired by the idea of being hopeful, and I would rather live in that headspace.

Riley Keough – American actress



TOMBOLA APPEAL

CALLING ALL PARENTS, FAMILIES AND FRIENDS OF THE SCHOOL

WE ARE LOOKING FOR PRIZES FOR OUR TOMBOLA STALL AT THE SUMMER FAYRE- AND WE WOULD LOVE YOUR HELP!

IF YOU, SOMEONE YOU KNOW, OR A BUSINESS YOU'RE CONNECTED TO COULD DONATE AN ITEM, IT WOULD MAKE A HUGE DIFFERENCE.

THE PTA WORKS HARD TO SECURE PRIZES, BUT WE KNOW THAT OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY IS FULL OF AMAZING CONTACTS AND WE WOULD BE SO GRATEFUL FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

Donations can be dropped to the school office from now until 4th July.

THANK YOU

Please help our PTA

Last chance to donate!

RAINBOW HAMPERS ARE BACK!



PLEASE DONATE TOWARDS YOUR CLASS COLOUR FOR OUR PTA SUMMER FAYRE 'RAINBOW RAFFLE STALL'

**WINE TO WASHING UP LIQUID
BISCUITS TO BUBBLE BATH
CHOCOLATE TO CANDLES
SWEETS TO SPIRITS
AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN!
IT JUST HAS TO BE IN YOUR CLASS COLOUR!**

Nursery - Any Colour!
Reception - Red
Year 1 - Orange
Year 2 - Yellow

Year 3 - Green
Year 4 - Blue
Year 5 - Purple
Year 6 - Pink



ALL PROCEEDS GO BACK INTO THE SCHOOL COMMUNITY- WE WOULD BE GRATEFUL TO HAVE DONATIONS IN BY 2ND JULY

Staffing for September

Classes for September

On Wednesday morning, the pupils will have a lesson with their teacher for September 2025.

Nursery – Miss Yates

Reception – Miss Clayton

Year 1 – Miss Taroni

Year 2 – Miss Carson

Year 3 – Miss Bolter

Year 4 Miss Garfield

Year 5 – Miss Cartwright

Year 6 – Mrs Potter/Mrs Tween

Sendco – Miss Meek

We will be confirming support staff very soon

There are a couple of names missing, and a couple you won't recognise!

As we start to approach the end of a school year, there are always farewells.

This year we are very sad to say goodbye to:

Mrs Martin – After 8 years, Mrs Martin will be leaving us to take a role at St Andrews. We thank her for her hard work and inspiring so many pupils with her outstanding teaching and her love of PE, particularly dance. She has influenced so many pupils in her time here and we wish her much happiness as she continues her career.



Miss Timmins – In her two years with us, Miss Timmins has shown so much care and nurture to our pupils. Unfortunately, we couldn't compete with the draw of Dubai, where she is taking up a teaching position.



Miss Cashmore – officially Miss Cashmore left us as a member of staff this year, but has returned this year as a trainee teacher. As we knew she would, she has done incredibly well on her course and is now a full qualified teacher. She leaves us next Friday and will also be starting a teaching role at St Andrew's in September. Good luck at the start of your very promising teaching career.



Miss Doherty – Miss Doherty joined us as a student and impressed so much that we didn't let her go! However, she has now decided to take the step to do her teacher training. We thank her for all the care and patience she has shown to our youngest pupils and we know she will make a fantastic teacher.



Mr Lynam – In his short time with us, Mr Lynam has shown a great deal of enthusiasm and I truly believe he has had as much fun as the children! Watching him out of my office window, it has been great to see him so engaged and encouraging pupils to be active. His passion for sports is infectious and I'm sure his coaching career will go from strength to strength.



However, with the sadness of saying goodbye, we welcome two new teachers, Miss Taroni and Miss Garfield. They will both be joining us on Wednesday morning and we look forward to getting to know them and working with them next year.



Time to talk...

TAKEHOME

23rd - 29th
June



Why do people explore the past?

'TUESDAY NEWS DAY!'

This week we learnt that nearly 140 years after it sank, a team of divers has identified the wreck of a ship, called the SS Nantes, off the coast of Devon, in southwest England. The ship sank in 1888, after crashing into another boat. The shipwreck could finally be named when a diver found a plate with the ship's company logo (or crest) on it.

Things you could talk about at home:

- What do you think it would feel like to discover a missing shipwreck?
- If you could explore one mystery from the past, what would it be and why?
- Is it important to learn about the past?

✕ *Pope Leo XIV says...* ✕

✕ ✕



In the face of hatred and violence, what can we Christians do? First of all, we must pray. It is up to us to turn every tragic news story and image that touches us into a cry of intercession to God.

Thank you Fr. Steven!



THANK YOU!

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We have been very fortunate as a school and parish to have been supported by Fr. Steven Fleming over the past few months.

Not only has Fr, Steven led our school Masses, providing engaging homilies for the children, but he has also organised the Easter Egg Hunt, celebrated our First Holy Communion Mass and today planned and led us in a beautiful Corpus Christi procession.



Fr. Steven will now go back to his role in the parish of Our Lady of the Wayside and we are sure share our thanks and gratitude for all of his hard work at St. Anthony's.



Tiny Ants



Our Tiny Ants 'star of the week' is Enzo R - for using great vocabulary when talking about our caterpillars.



This week we have been planting sunflower seeds and cress. We have read the story 'The Tiny Seed' by Eric Carle and talked about the different seasons and the importance of wearing sun block and caps when it is hot.



Nursery

This week in Nursery, we have focused on the story 'The very Hungry Caterpillar' and the children have acted out the story using costumes. This has linked in nicely to the arrival of our real caterpillars and Nursery have loved observing them transform into cocoons and are waiting extremely patiently for them to turn into beautiful butterflies. Nursery have also gave each caterpillar a name and they love talking to the caterpillars to encourage them to grow.



Nursery have also been very creative and have painted caterpillars and butterflies and also developed their cutting skills to make caterpillars. Additionally, Nursery have loved trying a range of fruits just like the caterpillar tried in the story, and some of the children now have new favourite fruits such as watermelon and kiwi.

Reception

What an exciting time in our classroom! Our caterpillars have started spinning their cocoons, and it's been a magical experience watching them transform. The children are amazed by the changes they've observed and are eagerly awaiting the emergence of our new butterflies.



We also had a special visitor from Birmingham Hospice - Hetty the Hedgehog! She came to thank us for our fundraising efforts and to share some important messages about kindness and caring for others. The children were delighted to meet Hetty and learn more about the valuable work of the hospice. We're proud of our children's generosity and compassion!

Year 1

We started the week with some Computing. The children worked with their Kagan partners on scratch, to write commands, programming their creature to do different jobs. In Science, we have been learning about our environment. The children learnt about where different fruit and vegetables grow. The children tasted summer fruits and vegetables, the strawberries were our favourite! In PE, we were out enjoying the sun. The children had a go at different team building games, they were super at working in their Kagan groups!



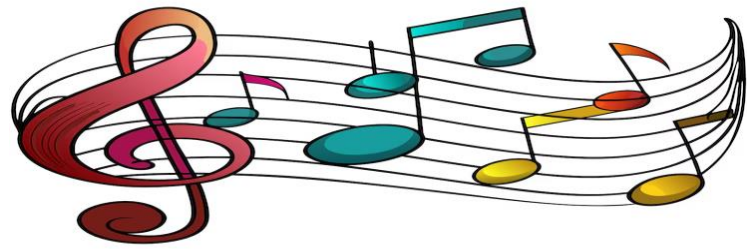
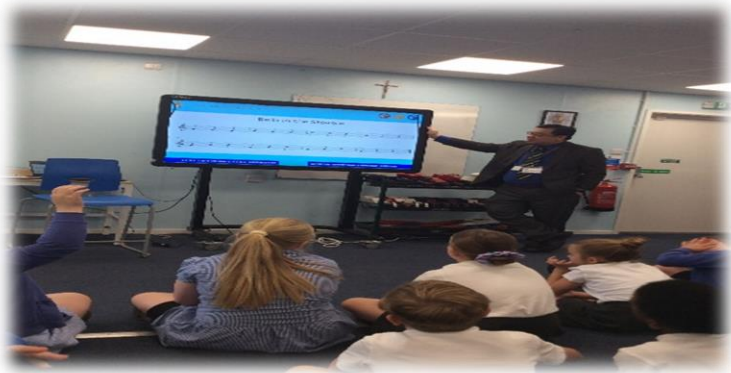
Year 2

Year 2 have been learning about Denise Lewis, the inspiring gold medal-winning athlete from the West Midlands. We explored her amazing achievements and thought about our own talents and how we can use them to grow and succeed. With Sports Day just around the corner, we've also been busy practicing our events and showing fantastic teamwork!



Year 3

Year 3 have had a lovely week! In Geography, we completed some research on Sweden and Poland and assessed the similarities and differences. In RE, we moved onto our new unit, focusing on prayer and explored why the Church is such a special place to pray. In Maths, we have continued with our learning on time. We looked at minutes and seconds and timed ourselves doing a lap of the playground so we could find the difference between the slowest and fastest times. We continued our music lessons with Mr Wong and some of us were lucky to go to an athletics competition! Well done to everyone!



Year 5

Year 5 had a fun-filled week, they kicked things off with a burst of creativity. In Art, they were challenged to use pastels and other materials to develop ideas for their own portraits—resulting in some truly fantastic creations!

In English, the focus was on writing newspaper articles. We explored real newspapers to identify key features and understand how journalists structure their work. They've been hard at work preparing to write their very own articles!



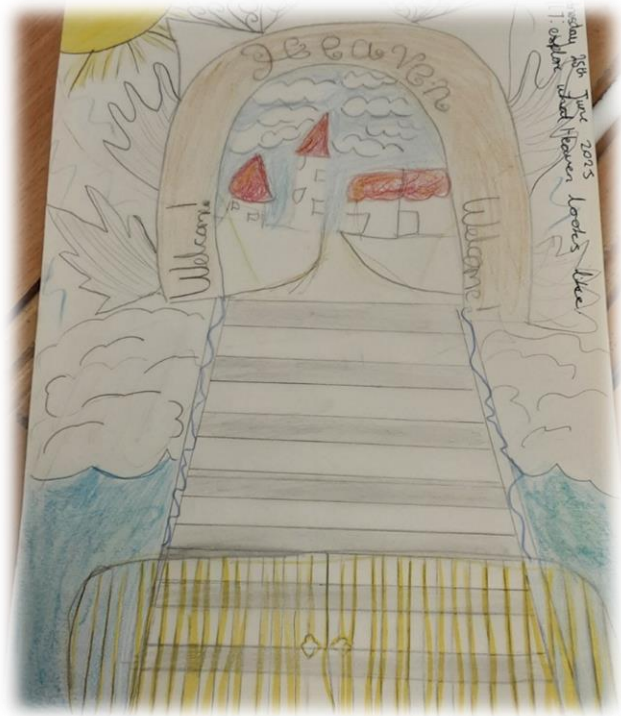
Year 6

This week Year 6 explored a really tricky question in RE: "What does Heaven look like?". We looked at some existing artistic representations and then used a range of art techniques and materials to express our own ideas.



Year 6 continued...

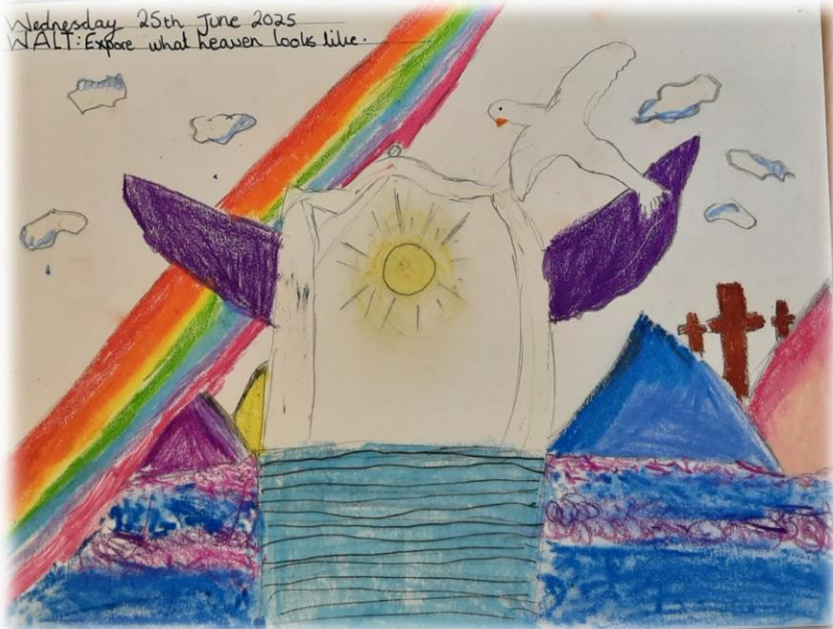
Wednesday 26th June 2025
WALT: Explore what heaven looks like.



Wednesday 25th June 2025
WALT: Explore what Heaven looks like.



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WALT: Explore what heaven looks like.



Gardening Club

We have planted; strawberries, potatoes, onions, radishes, carrots, pumpkins, cabbages, sweetcorn and a herb garden!



Borough Athletics

On Tuesday, St Anthony's took part in the Borough Athletics. It was a hot day, and many schools were competing, but our pupils rose to the challenge with true sportsmanship, drive, passion, and determination. It was heart-warming to see them supporting not only one another but also children from other schools. They should be incredibly proud of themselves—they were absolutely amazing!

I'm delighted to share that St Anthony's won **first place** in the small schools category. A huge well done to all involved!



*We are
Champions*



Starting Tuesday 1st July, FREE Water Safety Lessons for 6-11 year olds



Subject: Dive into Summer Fun: Free Water Safety Lessons for Kids at North Solihull Sports Centre!

Dear Parent/Carer,

We're thrilled to share some exciting news! This summer, North Solihull Sports Centre is offering **free Water Safety Lessons** for children aged **6 to 11 years**. These sessions are designed to be both fun and educational, equipping your child with essential skills to stay safe and confident around water.

Why Enrol Your Child?

Water activities are a delightful part of summer, but safety is paramount. Our engaging lessons aim to:

- **Build Confidence:** Helping children feel comfortable and secure in the water.
- **Teach Vital Skills:** From recognising potential hazards to responding effectively in emergencies.
- **Promote Lifelong Safety Habits:** Encouraging responsible enjoyment of water-based activities.

Course Details:

- **Location:** North Solihull Sports Centre, Conway Road, B37 5LA
- **Start Date:** Tuesday, 1st July 2025
- **Session Times:** Between 4:00 PM and 6:00 PM (based on ability)
- **Duration:** 30-minute session per child, once a week
- **Course Length:** 12 weeks
- **Cost:** Absolutely free!

How to Secure a Spot:

Spaces are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. To reserve your child's place:

1. **Scan the QR code** attached to this letter.
2. **Complete the application form**—please submit one per child.

If you have any questions or need assistance, feel free to reach out to our team at northsolihullactivities@everyoneactive.com.

Let's make this summer both fun and safe by empowering our children with the skills they need to enjoy water activities confidently!

Warm regards,

Emma Marshall
Contract Activity and Wellbeing Manager
Everyone Active - North Solihull Sports Centre



Water Safety for EVERYONE!



Wellbeing Walk...

MENTAL HEALTH MATES

WALK FOR WELLBEING
AT...

BABBS MILL PARK.

FORDBRIDGE ROAD CAR PARK
OPPOSITE SOLIHULL HOUSING

13/07/2025.

11:00 MEET TIME

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE
EMAIL TERESA ON
MHRUDKIN@GMAIL.COM



Lost Property

We still have a huge pile of school jumpers and cardigans in our lost property. None of these have names in. If your child is missing a jumper or cardigan, please come and take a look.

LOST



Please ensure that your child's uniform is clearly marked with their name.

Summer Uniform

Summer uniform can be worn after Easter until Autumn Term in October.

School Caps

School caps are recommended during the hot weather, these can be purchased from the School Office and are £6 (please pay on ParentPay)

School caps only – no other caps to be worn



Boys

**Grey trousers or school shorts*

**White sleeved shirt with a school tie or blue or white polo shirt*

**Black school shoes*

**Blue school jumper*

Girls

**Grey skirt, trousers, pinafore or blue gingham dress*

**White blouse with tie or blue or white polo shirt*

**Black school shoes (no heels, no sandals)*

**Blue school cardigan or jumper*

Bulls in the City 2025

WestMids_CA / TransportForWM 
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WestMidlandsCA 
westmidlandca / TransportForWM 

COME AND JOIN THE TRAIL!

16 July - 14 September 2025

For 8 weeks from July, you can find all the bulls around Birmingham city centre and local surrounding neighbourhoods. The trail will be made up of 40 bulls and 88 calves, each with a unique design to admire.

bullsinthecity.co.uk

88 Calves
40 Bulls



Brought to you by:

 Birmingham Hospice 

Sponsored by:  UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM  Mayor of the West Midlands  West Midlands Combined Authority

This summer, Birmingham will welcome an exciting new art trail to the city. The iconic **Birmingham Bullring Bull** will be joined by 40 large bull sculptures, as well as around 85 calves. We're keeping their exact locations secret for the moment, but the trail promises to be a fun family activity. It will take families around the city to find one decorated bull after another, with each design created by a local artist or sponsored by a local business.

This art trail will celebrate our city and raise awareness of Birmingham Hospice and the care it provides for the people of Birmingham and their loved ones. The trail is a great way to get outside, get active, and give back to Birmingham Hospice, offering a fun, free summer holiday activity for families. The trail will be in **Birmingham from July 16 to September 14, 2025.**

You can find out more about the trail here: <https://bullsinthecity.co.uk>

Parents/Carers starting Reception or Secondary School...

Is your child SCHOOL ready?

Not sure if your child is fully prepared to start reception or secondary school?

The Family Support Service are holding **coffee mornings** to offer support to parents and carers whose children are:

Starting reception

- 8 July, 10-12, Riverside Family Hub
- 10 July, 12-2, Evergreen Family Hub
- 11 July, 9-12, Elmwood Family Hub
- 15 July, 9-12:30, Hatchford Brook Family Hub

Starting secondary

- 2 July, 9-12, Elmwood Family Hub
- 11 July, 11-1, Riverside Family Hub
- 16 July, 9-12:30, Hatchford Brook Family Hub
- 17 July, 12-2:, Evergreen Family Hub



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<https://bit.ly/4n47fWgt>



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Local Brownies spaces



Do you have a daughter aged between 7 and 10 years old who loves fun and games?

Shard End Brownies currently have spaces for their Monday night meetings from 6pm – 7:30pm.

They meet at the Methodist Church on the corner of Cat Lane.



Please contact Pat on 0121 354 3617 for more information or pop in for a chat.



Online Safety for Parents and Carers

All The National College, our Website Wednesday guides empower and equip parents, carers and educators with the confidence and practical skills to be able to have informed and age-appropriate conversations with children about online safety, mental health and wellbeing, and future change. Created by National College, these guides first address their topics and themes. For further guides, tips and tips, please visit www.thenationalcollege.com.

What Parents & Educators Need to Know about NINTENDO SWITCH 2

Nintendo launched its Switch 2 games console in early June 2025 – its first new console in eight years. While it builds on the original's success by remaining compatible with certain existing games, it also adds powerful hardware and new features like GameChat and a USB-C camera. As more children look to upgrade, it's important to understand how this new console might affect their play and safety.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

EASIER TO ACCESS MATURE CONTENT

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CONTENT

Despite Nintendo's reputation for family-friendly titles, mature games like *Cyberpunk 2077* and *Call of Duty: Warzone* are available on the platform. With the Switch 2's improved performance, developers will be able to port even more mature-rated games. These may appeal to children due to their popularity, but they contain content that is highly unsuitable for young audiences.

IN-APP & GAME STORE PURCHASES

The Nintendo eShop enables purchases with just a few taps. If payment details are saved and restrictions are disabled, children may unknowingly make costly purchases – including game add-ons, cosmetics, DLC or extra content releases – without parental approval.

UNRESTRICTED ONLINE PLAY IN SOME GAMES

While some Switch 2 games feature online play, Switch 2 also supports the broader Nintendo Switch 2 ecosystem. Many games support the GameChat or Nintendo Switch 2 online play with strangers unless chat settings are adjusted, meaning children could encounter inappropriate language or unwanted contact.

GAMECHAT & REAL-TIME VOICE COMMUNICATION

GameChat enables live chatting with up to 12 people, even across different games, with optional voice and screen-sharing. Though children under 16 are restricted to chatting only with approved friends, the chat functionality could expose young consumers or create pressure to connect online friends.

CAMERA COMPATIBILITY & PRIVACY CONCERNS

The optional USB-C camera supports video calling and facial tracking in games, however this also raises the risk of cyberstalking or the unwanted sharing of personal images. The camera can be disabled, removed or covered, and parental controls are essential to manage how and when it's used.

POWERFUL PULL OF FAMILIAR CHARACTERS

Nintendo's mascot, Mario, along with *Pikachu*, *Diddy Kong* and others remains hugely appealing to younger audiences, especially among the owners of the recent *Fortnite*, *The Super Mario Bros. Movie* (2023). These beloved icons are central to Nintendo's branding and often feature in merchandise, events and in-game purchases, creating strong emotional attachments in children and a sense of urgency to keep up with their peers.

Advice for Parents & Educators

CHECK RATINGS & USE PARENTAL CONTROLS

Every Switch 2 and Switch 2 game comes with an ESRB age rating. Before buying one, check the content matches your child's age. Use the Nintendo Parental Controls app to restrict gameplay, set screen-time limits and even age-band requests.

REMOVE OR RESTRICT PAYMENT METHODS

Reduce accidental spending by unlinking credit cards from the device. Instead, consider adding funds via prepaid eShop cards or requiring a PIN for purchases. Some banking apps can also be set to approve transactions manually.

REVIEW FRIEND LISTS AND CHAT PERMISSIONS

Child profiles are restricted to chatting with approved friends only, but it's good practice to regularly check their friend list and communication settings. Use the Parental Controls app to switch off voice or video chat if necessary.

ENCOURAGE OPEN CONVERSATIONS

Teach children how to block, report and capture any behaviour or content that makes them uncomfortable. The console's built-in tools allow them to create screenshots and video clips, which can aid in reporting any issues. Keeping an open dialogue helps children feel supported and safe.

Meet Our Expert

Ujjal Ghosh is the Features Editor of *Bully Mag* and has been working in the gaming and tech industry for five years. A regular visitor to the eShop to try out new tech, he's also a parent and understands the importance of online safety. He's also a tech and fitness writer and his work has been published on sites including *ITN*, *Technet*, and *plenty more*.



#WakeUpWednesday

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Support for Parents and Carers

Family Helpline

**Early Help support for families
and professionals in Solihull**

0121 788 4327

Live from 3 March 2025

**Available Monday-Thursday 09:00-16:30,
Friday 09:00-16:00**

**Our dedicated team of duty workers support
with topics such as:**

- **Parenting and family guidance**
- **School attendance and support in coordinating Early Help assessments and plans**
- **Signposting to local services such as Solihull Family Hubs**
- **Child behavioural issues and social development**
- **Health and emotional wellbeing**
- **Referrals to Family Support Workers**

For safeguarding concerns, such as if a child is at risk of being harmed, call the Solihull Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) on 0121 788 4300



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Support for Parents and Carers

Did you know Solihull now has a new Family Help Line?



This has launched to support families and the people around them. You can now call 0121 788 4327 for advice, information, strategies & support on things like:

- Parenting support
- Family conflict particularly because of difficulties managing children's behaviours
- Parents/carers needing support if they are struggling to get their child/ren into school and getting in trouble because of this
- Parents/carers struggling to manage their child's health, developmental or social needs (including mental health)

The team can offer:

- Signposting to services and what's on offer at the Family Hubs
- Referral to a Family Support Worker
- Advice and Support on the wider Early Help offer & how this works

**** This is not a safeguarding or social work service, so if you are worried about a child being unsafe – please call the MASH on 0121 788 4300.**

According to Ofcom, 90% of children are watching online videos and browsing the internet regularly. Children may love to stream videos and look up information, it's a fun way to learn and relax after all but they must be guided. The e-space is filled with inappropriate content and dangerous material. It is important that parents and even teachers, are able to steer their pupils and youngsters, towards the right places when online. Internet Matters has published a guide dedicated to supporting adults in setting digital boundaries for children, so that they can make smart choices and build healthy online habits. In the Internet Matters guide you'll find practical tips on managing content access, the use of safety controls, advice on setting boundaries and ways to educate children on how to stay secure online. If interested please follow the link below:

[Browsing and watching online safely guide Internet Matters](#)

Next week's menu ...

FOOD FESTIVAL
By Aspens

LUNCHTIME

TRADITIONAL
Week 2

Spring Summer 2025
28/04/25, 19/05/25,
09/06/25, 30/06/25,
21/07/25, 11/08/25,
01/09/25, 22/09/25,
13/10/25

Day	THE MAIN EVENT	MEAT-FREE MAGIC Veggie Dish	RAINBOW ALLEY Vegetables and Salads	BIG TOPPING Filled Jackets	DESSERT TROLLEY
MONDAY	Beef Bolognese Pasta	Cheese and Potato Pie	Sweetcorn and Peas	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Jam Sponge and Custard
TUESDAY	BBQ Chicken Wraps and Paprika Wedges	BBQ Veggie Wrap and Paprika Wedges	Peas	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Banana Muffin
WEDNESDAY	Roast Gammon, Skin on Roasties and Gravy	Maple Roasted Sweet Potato Filo Pie with Skin on Roasties	Mixed Greens	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Oaty Cornflake Crunch Bar
THURSDAY	Sausage and Mash with Gravy	Veggie Sausage and Mash	Carrots and Green Beans	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Apple Sponge Pudding with Custard
FRIDAY	Battered Fish and Chips	Cheese and Onion Burger with Chips	Baked Beans	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Vanilla Cookie

DAILY SANDWICHES AVAILABLE

DAILY SALAD BOWL, FRESHLY BAKED BREAD, YOGHURTS AND CUT FRUIT AVAILABLE DAILY

PASTA TWIRLER AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Topped Pasta Hot Pasta topped with Homemade Tomato Sauce & Cheese

W1

Due to school dinners being cooked fresh, please ensure that you pre order meals that your child will eat. Unfortunately, we cannot offer alternatives

Blue Runner

It is essential that all parents/carers have registered for a Blue Runner, even if your child does not order a school meal. You can register using the following link is <https://olaas.myschoolmealorders.com/login>. If you need any support in signing up, please let the school office know.

Thanks to the majority of parents who have signed up and who are pre ordering meals. We have had some brilliant Blue Runner feedback!

Lunchtime MUGA activities

Years 2-6 will have a designated MUGA day, allowing students to participate in competitive sports alongside their classmates.

If your child would like to take part in MUGA activities on their allocated day, please ensure they bring trainers to change into at lunchtime.

Monday - Year 6

Tuesday - Year 4

Wednesday - Year 3

Thursday - Year 2

Friday - Year 5



P.E Days

Week beginning Monday 30th June

Reception – **Tuesday and Thursday**

Year 1 – Monday and Thursday

Year 2 – Wednesday and **Thursday**

Year 3 – Wednesday and **Thursday**

Year 4 – Monday, Tuesday (swimming) **and Thursday**

Year 5 – Tuesday **and Thursday**

Year 6 – **Thursday**



Please remember that pupils need to come into school in their PE kits on these days:

- plain white t shirts (or those with the school badge on)
- **PLAIN BLACK** shorts/tracksuit bottoms/leggings.
- Hair must be tied back
- No jewellery should be worn.
- Please remove your child's earrings before school. If your child's ears have been recently pierced, please cover the earrings with plasters to enable your child to participate in PE.



Diary Dates



Summer Term 2025

<u>When</u>	<u>Who?</u>	<u>What?</u>
Mon 30 th Jun	NEW Nursery for 2025-26	Nursery Transition Meeting 5:30pm
Tue 1 st Jul	NEW Reception for 2025-26	Reception Transition Meeting 5:30pm
Thurs 3 rd Jul	Rec – Year 6	Sports Day 9am – 11am
Fri 4 th Jul	Year 6	Trip to Drayton Manor
Fri 4 th Jul	Tiny Ants, Nursery and Reception	EYFS Summer picnic 1:30pm – 3:00pm
Tues 8 th Jul	Year 4	Trip to ThinkTank
Tues 8 th Jul	Whole school	Art gallery in the hall after school 3:15pm – 3:45pm
Tues 9 th July	Whole school	Art gallery in the hall before school 8:30am – 8:50am
Thurs 10 th Jul	Year 1	Trip to Twycross Zoo
Fri 11th Jul	Whole school	PTA Summer Fayre
Weds 16 th Jul	Year 6	Year 6 leavers' Mass
Weds 16 th Jul	Year 6	Year 6 leavers' production 6pm
Thurs 17 th Jul	Year 6	PTA leavers event after school
Fri 18 th Jul	Whole school	Last day of the school year for pupils
Mon 21 st Jul	Whole school	INSET DAY FOR STAFF – no pupils in school

Term dates 2025 - 2026

	Term starts	Half term	Term ends
Autumn	1 st September 2025	27 th Oct – 31 st Oct	19 th December 2025
Spring	5 th January 2026	16 th Feb – 20 th Feb	27 th March 2026
Summer	13 th April 2026	25 th May - 29 th May	20 th July 2026

*Inset days: 1st September, 24th October, 23rd February, 20th July
plus two more dates TBC*

Head Teacher's Awards



Congratulations!

Reception – Hunter C – for being resilient with his learning, and continuing to make Miss Carson and Mrs Houston so proud! Well done Hunter 😊

Year 1 – Oscar – for being a ray of sunshine and putting a smile on everyone's faces.

Year 2 – Louie P – for demonstrating outstanding work, and being a joy to teach!

Year 3 – Jaxson – for being a joy to teach – your kindness, effort, and positive attitude shines everyday!

Year 4 – Louie – for his resilience and determination in every lesson and activity.

Year 5 – Edie-Pearl – for always trying her best and having a positive attitude towards her learning.

Year 6 – Leo – for being a polite and kind man; showing respect and gratitude.

