

Dear Parents and Carers,

The school has been a hive of activity over the past couple of weeks from rehearsals for the KS2 production and prop making to welcoming visitors, new staff and families as well as making sure we still have time to cover all the usual things that happen every day!

Sports Day Reminder

Earlier this week you will have received a ParentMail in which the timings and details for our sports day on Monday 7th July were shared. In addition, I would like to remind you that your child should wear their PE uniform and trainers on Monday. Also, if your child has their ears pierced, please either take their earrings out out or cover them with tape before coming to school. The weather forecast looks like it will be nice and warm so a drinks bottle filled with water will be needed – your child will be able to refill their bottle at school. I am sure there will be the opportunity for a parent's race (or two) so don't forget to bring your trainers too!

Changes to PE days over the next couple of weeks

There are a number of changes to PE days over the coming weeks that you should be aware of. Your child will need to wear their PE uniform on the NEW date and their regular uniform on all days that have been cancelled. Unless mentioned below, all other PE days are the same as usual.

Cancelled PE Lessons	
Tuesday 8 th July	Year 1, 2, 5, 6
Thursday 10 th July	Year 1, 2, 3, 4

New PE Lesson	
Monday 14 th July	Year 1, 2, 5, 6

Online Safety Newsletter

This month's edition explores what challenges your child may face when being online, information about Nintendo Switch 2, supporting your child to make the transition to secondary school and information about some new apps and games (Sprunki, Ome.tv and Zepeto). I would really encourage you to take five minutes to read these newsletters (they are only two sides of A4) and help support your child to be safe when online. Previous editions of the newsletter can be found on our school website.

Pupil Premium/Free School Meals

You may have seen recent announcements from the Government about changes to the eligibility for Pupil Premium and Free School Meal funding. We are still waiting on information from the Department for Education of how this will affect schools. However, if you feel that these changes may mean that you are eligible for the funding please let us know and we will send home the application form for you to apply. Our understanding is that any applications that are made this term that **do not** meet the criteria will also be reassessed in the autumn once the details of the process are finalised.

End of Year Celebration Service

On Monday 21st July, I would like to invite you to join us for our end of year celebration service in St Mary's Church, Twyford at 11:00am. It is a wonderful way to reflect on the successes of the past year as well as say farewell and good luck to our Year 6 leavers. Please do join us if you can.

Order New Uniform

If you are wanting to order new uniform for September from our supplier, PL Schoolwear, it is advisable to do so as early as possible to ensure you receive it in time for the new term. They do get very busy during the summer break. We do have several samples of uniform in school for your child to try if you are unsure about what size you need. A list of uniform requirements can be found on our school website here: School Uniform

Diary Dates

All dates are available to view on the website school calendar here.

Wednesday 23 rd July 2025	INSET Day – no children in school
Wednesday 3 rd September 2025	INSET Day – no children in school
Monday 29 th September 2025	INSET Day – no children in school
Monday 5 th January 2026	INSET Day – no children in school
Friday 13 th March 2026	INSET Day – no children in school
Wednesday 22 nd July 2026	INSET Day– no children in school

New Diary Dates

The dates for staff training (INSET) over the coming year have now been agreed and added to the school calendar. Please make sure you familiarise yourself with them because school will be closed to pupils on these days.

Diary Dates for the next two weeks

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY	
Monday 7 th July 2025	Sports Day – please see ParentMail message for timings
Wednesday 9th July 2025	Year 3/4/5 Swimming
Friday 11 th July 2025	Baby and Toddlers Group
Tuesday 15 th July 2025	KS2 Production – Pirates of the Curry Bean! 7pm in the School Hall
Wednesday 16 th July 2025	KS2 Production – Pirates of the Curry Bean! 7pm in the School Hall
Monday 21 st July 2025	End of Year Celebration Assembly at St. Mary's Church 11am
Friday 18 th July 2025	Last Baby and Toddler Group – Break for summer
Tuesday 22 nd July 2025	School breaks up for summer

I hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Judith Bloomfield Headteacher

We Learn Together; Grow Together; Achieve Together knowing that Jesus said:

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit."

John 15:5











TERM DATES 2024/2025		
Summer 2 Term 2025	Tuesday 3 rd June 2025	Tuesday 22 nd July 2025

TERM DATES 2025/2026		
Autumn 1 Term 2025	4 th September 2025	24 th October 2025
Autumn 2 Term 2025	3rd November 2025	19 th December 2025
Spring 1 Term 2026	6 th January 2026	13 th February 2026
Spring 2 Term 2026	23 rd February 2026	27 th March 2026
Summer 1 Term 2026	13 th April 2026	22 nd May 2026
Summer 2 Term 2026	1st June 2026	21 st July 2026

Twyford C of E School



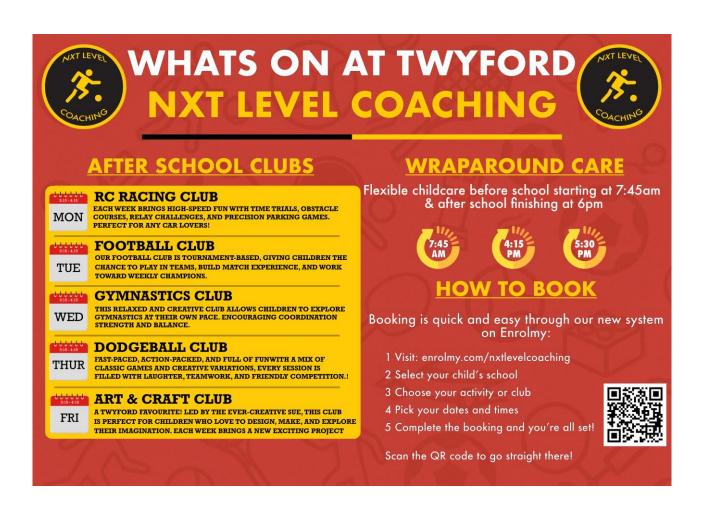
School Diary



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Thursday 4 th September 2025		School re-opens after summer break
Monday 15 th September	NEW	Bikeability for Year 5
Tuesday 16 th September	NEW	Bikeability for Year 5
Monday 29th September 2025		INSET Day – no children in school
Tuesday 21 st October 2025		Individual photographs
Friday 24 th October 2025		School breaks up for half term

Monday 3 rd November 2025	School re-opens after half term
Thursday 6 th November 2025	Flu Immunisations Reception – Year 6
Friday 19 th December 2025	School breaks up for Christmas holiday
Monday 5 th January 2026	INSET Day – no children in school
Tuesday 6 th January 2026	School re-opens after Christmas break
Friday 13 th February 2026	School breaks up for half term
Monday 23 rd February 2026	School re-opens after half term
Friday 13 th March 2026	INSET Day – no children in school
Friday 27 th March 2026	School breaks up for Easter holiday
Monday 13 th April 2026	School re-opens after Easter break
Monday 11 th to Friday 15 th May 2026	SATs week for Year 6
Friday 22 nd May 2026	School breaks up for half term
Monday 1st June 2026	School re-opens after half term
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Buckinghamshire Family Learning



SUMMER HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS with FAMILY LEARNING

A FREE workshop for <u>parents and carers of children</u> from 3-11 years old, living in Buckinghamshire.

Take part in fun activities and make things to take home with your child/ren.

at Quarrendon Adult Learning Centre, Holman Street,
Aylesbury, HP19 9LJ

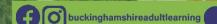
On <u>Wednesday 27 August</u>
Choose from 10.00am-12.30pm
OR
1.00pm-3.30pm

To book your FREE place, contact our enrolment team on 01296
383582, click the <u>link</u> or scan the QR code.















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SUMMER SPECIAL WORKSHOPS with FAMILY LEARNING

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Take part in fun activities with your child/ren and make a variety of summer crafts to take home.

at Quarrendon Adult Learning Centre, Holman Street,
Aylesbury, HP19 9LJ
On Thursday 7 August
Choose from 10.00am-12.30pm
OR
1.00pm-3.30pm

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Children's Competitions

For Under 5's to 16 with free entry to all competitions

Unlock your creativity at the Bucks County Show!

Kids of all ages can participate in exciting categories like crafting a harvest picture, creating a fairy garden on a plate, baking apple scones, drawing woodland animals, making pen holders, decorating plant pots, and more.

Show off your unique talents and make this year's event unforgettable.

Full details overleaf!

Prize money is awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

buckscountyshow.co.uk







Summer Holiday Workshop



MATILDA SHOW WEEK

- **MATILDA SHOW WEEK**
- **28th July 1st August**
- 10:00 AM 3:30 PM (daily)
- Performance for family & fr iends: Friday at 4:00 PM
 - † Ages 4-15

Join us for a week full of magical mayhem, singing, dancing, acting – and revolting children (in the best way)! [[]]

BOOK NOW Buckingham@stagecoach.co.uk 07740072925