



**Thurlaston CE (Aided) Primary School**  
Teaching and Living the Christian Way of Life  
Building Our Lives on Jesus

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Dear Parent/Carer,

The first 5-day week in school has been a busy one.

I trust that you have found the information evenings put on by classes 2, 3 and 4 useful. As you know we like to keep you informed of what your child is learning. You can always find information on our website and Classdojo is used to regularly inform you of things.

The residential trip for Year 5 and year 6 will soon be upon us. I hope you will find the information evening on the 19<sup>th</sup> September useful. There is a range of paperwork needed from yourselves if your child is going. You will be pleased to know that Mrs Martin and Miss Adams, two very experienced teachers have kindly volunteered to take the children. We are grateful to them for doing this. Obviously, we will have in place arrangements to cover their teaching commitments during the week.

We are delighted to have so many volunteers who help in school- particularly with listening to children read. Some are parents; others are friends from the village. The relevant checks are carried out on all our volunteers. If you could spare an afternoon or morning on a regular basis and would like to volunteer to help, please contact the office. Over the years we have also given the opportunity to parents and others to gain work experience- many then go on to take training and start a career in education.

Musical Instrument Lessons- As you know school partners with All for Music Leicester to provide musical instrument lessons. It is a good time of year to start to learn a musical instrument. Most instruments can be learnt from year 3 onwards. If you wish you child to learn a musical instrument please contact Leonie directly on 07490807574 or email [lfsmusic305@outlook.com](mailto:lfsmusic305@outlook.com) and discuss your options. (Your contract will be directly with them.)

You will have seen on Classdojo that the annual NHS Flu vaccination in schools will be taking place at our school on 16<sup>th</sup> September. Please follow instructions to confirm your child's participation in the programme. (Please ensure you put your child's correct class and/or year group). School facilitates this but has nothing to do with the administration of it.

Yours sincerely

Gavin Beetham

Therefore, everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. (Matthew chapter 7 verse 24, NIV)

## Provisional Dates for your Diary

07-09-25 Government alert  
15-09-25 – EYFS Parents  
Evening  
16-09-25 – Flu Vaccination  
19-09-25 – Photographs  
19-09-25 – Min-Y-Don parents  
meeting  
30-09-25 – Parents Eve  
(1,3,4,5,6)  
02-10-25 – Parents Eve  
(2,3,4,5,6)  
17-10-25 – Harvest Service  
Half Term – 18-26<sup>th</sup> October  
27 to 31 October – Min-Y-Don

November – Class 4 Enterprise  
Month  
08-12-25 – KS2 Pantomime  
10-12-25 – Nativity  
11-12-25 – Nativity  
16-12-25 – KS1 Party  
18-12-25 – Christmas Dinner?  
19-12-25 – Carol Service  
Christmas Holiday – 20<sup>th</sup>  
December to 4<sup>th</sup> January  
Half Term – 14<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>  
February 2026  
23-02-26 – Parents Eve  
26-02-26 – Parents Eve  
2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> March – Book Week

27-03-26 – Easter Service  
Easter Holiday – 28<sup>th</sup> March to  
12<sup>th</sup> April 2026  
04-05-26 – Bank Holiday  
11<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> May – KS2 SATs  
Half Term – 23<sup>rd</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> May  
18-12-26 – KS2 Trips  
23-06-26 – KS2 Production  
24-06-26 – KS2 Production  
26-06-26 – Sports Day  
29-06-26 – KS1 Trips  
30-06-26 – Leavers Assembly  
and Tea  
Summer Holiday – 8<sup>th</sup> July to  
23<sup>rd</sup> August 2026