



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,

Year 1 and Year 4 have been busy taking their Phonics check and Multiplications Tables Check this week. I am sure they have worked hard in the run up to this to ensure they have done their best. These are external assessments that are reported to the government.

Next week we have the KS2 trip to Swadlincote Snowsports Centre on Wednesday. Please read the following instructions carefully about the things the children will need to bring to make the most of their time there. Currently the weather forecast is showing good weather for the trip. Please can you ensure your child arrives on time, as we will be departing promptly at 9am. We will back for the end of the school day but will update you on Class Dojo if we get stuck in traffic. They will need to bring a packed lunch and drinks. To be able to go on any of the things they will need:

- Long sleeves, trousers and gloves are needed for all lessons even if it is a hot day.
- Sensible shoes with grip are recommended. No open toed-shoes or heels permitted.
- water bottle is needed
- sun cream recommended on a sunny day

The Sports Ambassadors will be running the sports day for Little Gems on Thursday 18th June. I am sure the Ambassadors will do a sterling job and Little Gems are looking forward to it.

On Monday, the children who are starting next autumn are coming with their parents for an induction session at 3.45pm after school. The children will get to meet the other children starting and the parents will be delighted to have a range of paperwork shared with them.

It is not long to the KS2 production now. The children (and staff) are working really hard to put on a polished performance. Younger children in school will see the performance at the dress rehearsal and are not allowed to attend the evening performances. Tickets can be ordered using the letter that was sent out last week. Please can all the permission slips for the evening performance and the ticket requests be sent in by Thursday 18th June.

Please note the School Sports Day will start just after 1pm on Friday 26th June and school will be open for a short while afterwards for you to meet your child's current and/or new class teacher. We trust Mr Davies; new headteacher will be able to join us.

Yours sincerely

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)



Gavin Beetham

Provisional Dates for your Diary

17-06-26 – KS2 Trips

18-06-26 – Little Gems Sports
Day (Sports Ambassadors)

15-06-26 – New Parents Meet

19 and 22-06-26 – New

Reception children induction

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

07-07-26 – End of year service
2pm in the church.

Summer Holiday – 8th July to
23rd August 2026 inclusive