St Giles Primary and Nursery School Office Friday Flyer!

Achieving through kindness, compassion and perseverance

REMINDERS FOR THE WEEKS AHEAD	
Monday 20th July	• Forest Schools for Nursery and Reception • Forest Schools for Class 4 • **NO GARDENING CLUB**
Tuesday 21st July	• **Leavers Service in St Giles Church 2.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend** • **NO FOOTBALL** • **NO MULTI SPORTS AFTER SCHOOL**
Wednesday 22nd July	
Thursday 23rd July	**LAST DAY OF TERM** • Little Smiles Toddler group 9am-10.30am • No KS2 Art Club • **Clap out Year 6 at 3.15pm. Please allow Y6 parents to be at the front of the line in the infant outdoor area.** • **NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB – ALL children should be collected at 3.15pm**
Friday 24th July	**HAPPY HOLIDAYS EVERYONE**
Friday 4th September	**INSET DAY – School Closed to pupils**
Monday 7th September	First Day of the Autumn Term

OTHER NEWS

- **End of Year Reports – These will be sent electronically for all children at the end of the school day on Friday 17th July.**
- **Arbor – Outstanding Debts. Please check your Arbor accounts and settle any outstanding amounts as soon as possible. All accounts must be cleared before the end of August at the very latest. We strongly encourage regular payments to avoid large balances.**
- **LOST PROPERTY – There are three tables of lost property at the front of school. The majority of items are not named. Please take anything you think may belong to you. FROM SEPTEMBER PLEASE ENSURE ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING ARE NAMED. This way we can return items found straight away. Even initials written on the label is helpful. Any items left on the last day of term will be disposed of. Thank you**
- **Changes to Free School Meals Entitlement** – Please ensure you follow the guidance and contact the office if you have any questions at all: See poster below.
- *The office team would like to wish you all a lovely summer break whatever your plans may be. We look forward to seeing everyone in September. Wishing all our amazing Year 6 pupils the very best of luck as they move on to secondary school. Best wishes from Mrs Bednall and Ms Hare.*

Please do not hesitate to contact us on 01629 56813 or by email with any questions or queries.

Friday updates can be found in the Newsletters section of our school website

Year 6 LEAVERS EVENTS

TUESDAY 14 JULY 6.00PM

Class 4 Production

★ IN SCHOOL ★

You are invited to come along to watch the Class 4 Production of **Murder and Magpie Manor.**

Children need to be back at school for **5.30pm.** Tickets are not required and the performance will last approximately one hour.



FRIDAY 17 JULY 4.00PM – 6.00PM

Year 6 Leaver Party

There will be games, music and a BBQ. (at the request of Year 6)

This event is for **Year 6 children only;** please collect your child at **6.00pm**



TUESDAY 21 JULY 2.30PM

Leavers Service

♥ IN ST GILES CHURCH ♥

All Welcome!



THURSDAY 23 JULY 3.15PM

Clap out Year 6

♥ AT 3.15PM ♥

Please join us on the bottom playground as we say "farewell" to our wonderful Year 6 children



We are so proud of you all!

All Families in Receipt of Universal Credit can get Free School Meals

All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 already receive free meals.

Children in Year 3 and above may also be eligible.

Three ways to check if you qualify:

- Use the free school meals checker online – simply scan the QR code
- Contact the team by email or telephone, details overleaf
- Ask at your school for further information

Good to know:

Once registered, you don't need to reapply each year. Your eligibility is checked automatically every month.



All Families in Receipt of Universal Credit can get Free School Meals



If school meals are free for reception, year 1 and year 2 – why do I still need to apply?

Eligible pupils attract Pupil Premium, additional funding for the school. This enables the school to support families in appropriate ways, for example this could include help with:

- residential school trips
- travel costs to school
- school uniform costs
- Holiday Activity Funded (HAF) Places
- music lessons

www.derbyshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals
email: checking@derbyshire.gov.uk
telephone: 01629 536481

SCAN ME

PLEASE HELP US GROW & THRIVE!

We are creating a wonderful
WILDLIFE WOOD AREA

We need your kind donations of the following items:

- **BAGS OF COMPOST** — To help us grow healthy plants and flowers.
- **MEDIUM & LARGE PLANT POTS** — Any size or colour very welcome!
- **ESTABLISHED PLANTS** — To attract wildlife to our pond and garden.
- **BIRD HOUSES, FEEDERS & SEEDS** — To help our feathered friends all year round.
- **HEDGEHOG HOUSES** — A cosy, safe place for hedgehogs to rest.
- **LOGS – SMALL** — To build bug houses and habitats.
- **LOGS – LARGE** — Perfect for seating and nature spaces.
- **WOODEN SLICES / DISC** — Great for crafts, signs and decorations.
- **STONES & PEBBLES** — Of various sizes for our wildlife area.
- **LARGE SHALLOW POT TRAYS / DISHES (NO HOLE IN MIDDLE)** — For bee and butterfly drinking stations.
- **FAIRY GARDEN ITEMS** — Mini fairies, doors, furniture and tiny decorations.
- **WOODEN BOXES / CRATES** — For storage, planters and creative projects.

Every donation, big or small, makes a HUGE difference!

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR WILDLIFE AND OUR CLUB!

TOGETHER, WE CAN CREATE A HAPPY HOME FOR WILDLIFE!

With thanks from Miss Simpson, Mrs Rodgers and the Gardening Club

PLEASE HELP US KEEP OUR BIRDS HAPPY!

Thank you so much for all the lovely bird feeders you have created!

WE NEED DONATIONS OF BIRD FOOD

All different types of bird food so our feathered friends can *thrive*!

Now we just need to keep filling them!

SEEDS	SUNFLOWER HEARTS	PEANUTS	SUET PELLETS & NUGGETS	NYJER SEED
Sunflower hearts, small seeds and mixed seed blends.	A favourite for many birds all year round.	Whole peanuts or chopped – high in energy!	Perfect for all kinds of weather – full of energy.	Tiny seeds that finches absolutely love!

MEALWORMS (DRIED)	FAT BALLS	FRUIT & BERRIES (DRIED)	OATS & GRAINS	COCONUT & CALCIWORM
A brilliant protein treat, especially for robins, wrens and young birds.	Great for energy and very popular with lots of wild birds.	Raisins, sultanas, or dried berries for extra vitamins and goodness.	Great for ground feeding birds like doves and blackbirds.	A nutritious treat loved by many wild birds.

EVERY LITTLE BIT OF FOOD MAKES A HUGE DIFFERENCE!

THANK YOU!

THANK YOU FOR HELPING US CARE FOR OUR WILD BIRDS

GIRLS FOOTBALL

OPEN TRAINING

— FOR NEW TEAMS —

2026/27 SEASON

MATLOCK CAVENDISH COMMUNITY FC
EST. 1989

WE'RE LOOKING FOR GIRLS TO JOIN OUR BRAND-NEW TEAMS FOR THE 2026/27 SEASON!



- OPEN TO GIRLS CURRENTLY IN **YEAR 3, 4, 5 & 6**
- COME ALONG TO ONE OR BOTH OF OUR OPEN TRAINING
- **10:00AM START**
- **CAVENDISH FIELDS** DE4 3HL

SUNDAY 19TH JULY & **SUNDAY 26TH JULY**

ALL ABILITIES WELCOME – NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

Whether you're new to football or already love the game, *we'd love to have you join us!*

INTERESTED? GET IN TOUCH!

EMAIL US AT: mccfcgirlsandladies@gmail.com

DERBYSHIRE County Council

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School Calendar 2026/27

August 2026							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
31						1	2
32	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
33	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
34	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
35	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
36	31						

September 2026 (19)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
36		1	2	3	4	5	6
37	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
38	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
39	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
40	28	29	30				

October 2026 (17)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
40				1	2	3	4
41	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
42	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
43	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
44	26	27	28	29	30	31	

November 2026 (21)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
44							1
45	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
46	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
47	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
48	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
49	30						

December 2026 (14)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
49		1	2	3	4	5	6
50	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
51	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
52	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
53	28	29	30	31			

January 2027 (20)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
53					1	2	3
1	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
3	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
4	25	26	27	28	29	30	31

February 2027 (15)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
5	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
6	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
7	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
8	22	23	24	25	26	27	28

March 2027 (19)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
9	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
10	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
11	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
12	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
13	29	30	31				

April 2027 (15)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
13				1	2	3	4
14	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
15	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
16	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
17	26	27	28	29	30		

May 2027 (19)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
17						1	2
18	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
19	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
20	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
21	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
22	31						

June 2027 (18)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
22		1	2	3	4	5	6
23	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
24	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
25	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
26	28	29	30				

July 2027 (18)							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
26				1	2	3	4
27	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
28	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
29	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
30	26	27	28	29	30	31	

Denotes Bank holidays Denotes School holiday dates

195 days – including 5 days to be taken as INSET days