

ST. MARY'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL



Weekly Bulletin



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The Weekly Bulletin will be emailed to you every Friday to help keep you up to date with everything in school.

Any additional flyers/posters are at the end of this Bulletin.

Don't Forget!

Homework

Please return your child's homework passport to their teacher by Friday 24th October.

Christmas Cards

These will be coming home for you to design with your children soon. Please return to school by Monday 20th October. If you would like an extra template for friends or family just let school or the PTFA know.

EYFS Book and Toy Sale—Wednesday 15th Oct

In the Dance Studio after school at 3:15pm.
CASH ONLY please. Plenty of dolls, books, duplo and lots more for a really reasonable price!

Bikeability - Year 3/4 - Friday 17th October

For those children registered for Bikeability they will need their bikes and helmets in on Friday 17th October. Sportswear can be worn by the children into school on that day.

P.E Days

Children should be coming to school in their P.E kits and stay in their P.E kit on their P.E day.

Acceptance	Tuesday and Friday
Forgiveness	Wednesday and Friday
Kindness	Tuesday and Friday
Hope	Monday and Wednesday
Perseverance	Wednesday and Friday
Trust	Monday and Wednesday
Justice	Tuesday and Thursday
Respect	Tuesday and Friday
Wisdom	Tuesday and Thursday

From September 2025 please remember that our new PE kit will need to be worn in school. This consists of a navy PE t-shirt, jumper, shorts and jogging bottoms. Trainers of any colour can be worn on PE days. These logo items can be purchased from Karlsports in Kettering.

Please remember!

Latimer Close

Latimer Close has double yellow lines in many places. It is acceptable for anyone with a disabled badge to park on them. There are some children at our school who are brought by taxi, which is arranged by the county council. They will be coming into Latimer Close to drop them off/pick them up.

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School Clubs

We offer a range of Clubs throughout the year and we try to encourage and give every child in KS2 the opportunity to participate in a Sports competition within the school year.

The below clubs are running until October half term, then we will have some changes.

Day / Time	Club	Year Groups
Monday AM - 8:00-8:45am	Archery, Boccia & New Age Kurling	All Years – FOC this term
Monday LUNCH -12:30-1:00pm	Prayer Club – Free	Years 3-6
Monday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	KS1 Football	Year 1/2
Tuesday AM – 08:00-08:45am	Tag Rugby	Years 1-6
Tuesday AM – 09:50-11:00am	Woodwind/Recorder	Years 1-6
Tuesday PM - 12:45-2:00pm	Guitar lessons	Years 2-6
Tuesday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Dodgeball	Years 4-6
Wednesday AM - 8:00-8:45am	Basketball	All Years
Wednesday AM - 9:00-10:00am	Strings	Years 3-6
Wednesday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Choir (alternate weeks)	KS1 or KS2
Thursday AM - 8:00-8:45am	EYFS & KS1 Gymnastics	EYFS to Year 2
Thursday PM - 3:15-4:15pm	Dodgeball	EYFS to Year 3
Friday AM - 8:00-8:45am	KS2 Gymnastics - FULL on most dates	Years 3-6 – FOC this term
Friday PM - 3:15-4:15am	Taskmaster	Years 1-6

Please book sports clubs through our Arbor portal.

Taskmaster Club is booked directly via the letter sent out each term by Mrs Grady.

If your child is interested in our music lessons or choir please enquire with the School Office.

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Dates for your Diary ~ w/c Monday 13th October 2025

Any new/updated items will be added in **blue**

Monday 13th October 2025

- Archery, Boccia and New Age Kurling – All Years – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor – FOC this term
- Prayer Club – Free – Years 3-6 – 12:30pm to 13:00pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- Football – Year 1/2 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor

Tuesday 14th October 2025

- Tag Rugby – Years 1-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- Year 3/4 Tag Rugby Festival at KRFC—9:30am to 11:30am—invite only
- Woodwind/Recorders – 09:50am to 11:00am - invite only
- Guitar lessons – 12:40pm to 13:55pm – invite only
- Year 4/5 swimming session, **swimming kit needed in school today** - 13:20 to 15:40pm (selected children, those parents have been advised, and session times provided)
- Dodgeball Club – Years 4-6 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor

Wednesday 15th October 2025

- Basketball Club – All Years – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- String lessons – 09:00am to 10:00am – invite only
- KS2 Cross Country Competition at West Glebe, Corby, 10am to 2pm—invite only
- KS1 Choir only – 15:15pm to 16:15pm
- **A toy sale will take place after school today in the dance studio, the funds will benefit our EYFS classes. Details sent out in a separate email. Cash only.**

Thursday 16th October 2025

- Gymnastics Club – EYFS to Year 2 – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- New Intake Tours— September 2026 starters, 9:30am and 10:45am
- Dodgeball Club – EYFS to Year 3 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor

Friday 17th October 2025

- Bikeability - Year 3/4 children - 1 day - invite only
- Gymnastics Club – Years 3-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – **fully booked until later dates**
- Solihull Parenting Course in School, 9-11am latest, for parents who have already booked on
- New Intake Tour - September 2026 starters, 11am
- Taskmaster Club – Years 1-6 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – held in the EYFS classroom – pupils must have booked online directly – see separate email sent out - final session this term

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Dates for your Diary ~ w/c Monday 20th October 2025

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Monday 20th October 2025

- Archery, Boccia and New Age Kurling – All Years – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor – FOC this term
- Prayer Club – Free – Years 3-6 – 12:30pm to 13:00pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- Football – Year 1/2 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor

Tuesday 21st October 2025

- Tag Rugby – Years 1-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- Woodwind/Recorders – 09:50am to 11:00am - invite only
- Guitar lessons – 12:40pm to 13:55pm – invite only
- Year 4/5 **final** swimming session, **pyjamas and swimming kit needed in school today** - 13:20 to 15:40pm (selected children, those parents have been advised, and session times provided)
- Dodgeball Club – Years 4-6 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor

Wednesday 22nd October 2025

- Basketball Club – All Years – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- String lessons – 09:00am to 10:00am – invite only
- **Walk in Wednesday just for Year 3/4 - 2:45pm at school, focus on TTRS and MTC, separate email sent**
- KS2 Choir only – 15:15pm to 16:15pm

Thursday 23rd October 2025

- Gymnastics Club – EYFS to Year 2 – 08:00am to 08:45am – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor
- Harvest Service for Years 1-6 at St Mary's Church — no parents
- New Intake Tour — September 2026 starters, 1:15pm
- Dodgeball Club – EYFS to Year 3 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – available to book in the Clubs section on Arbor

Friday 24th October 2025

- Last day of term today
- Homework passports due in today to class teachers
- Gymnastics Club – Years 3-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – fully booked until later dates
- No Taskmaster Club today
- Solihull Parenting Course in School, 9-11am latest, for parents who have already booked on
- No Taskmaster Club today, the final session was last week

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Future Dates for your Diary!

DATE	YEAR GROUP	EVENT
27/10/2025	All Years	Half term break.
03/11/2025	All Years	Teacher Training Day.
04/11/2025	All Years	Children back to school.
06/11/2025 to 11/11/2025	All Years	Book Fair after school.
11/11/2025	All Years	Parents Evening, slots between 3:30-6pm. This will be in Arbor, details to follow.
12/11/2025	All Years	Photo day - individual and sibling photos will be taken within school hours. Details for pre-school photos to follow.
13/11/2025	Parents	New Intake Tours — September 2026 starters, 09:30am and 10:45am.
13/11/2025	All Years	Parents Evening, slots between 4:30-7:30pm. This will be in Arbor, details to follow.
14/11/2025	All Years	Homework passports will be given out today.
14/11/2025	All Years	Children in Need cake sale - we welcome donations from parents
21/11/2025	Parents	New Intake Tour — September 2026 starters, 11am.
25/11/2025	Year 6	NHS Screening for Year 6. Heights and weights measured.
01/12/2025	EYFS	NHS Screening for EYFS. Heights and weights measured.
19/12/2025	All Years	Homework passports due in.

Please see next few pages about what is happening around Burton Latimer

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Come along to our Book Fair!

Thursday 6th November to Tuesday 11th November 2025, in the Dance Studio after school.

Our school receives free books when parents buy items at the Book Fairs.

Payments should be made by card please!

Stationery available as well as books!



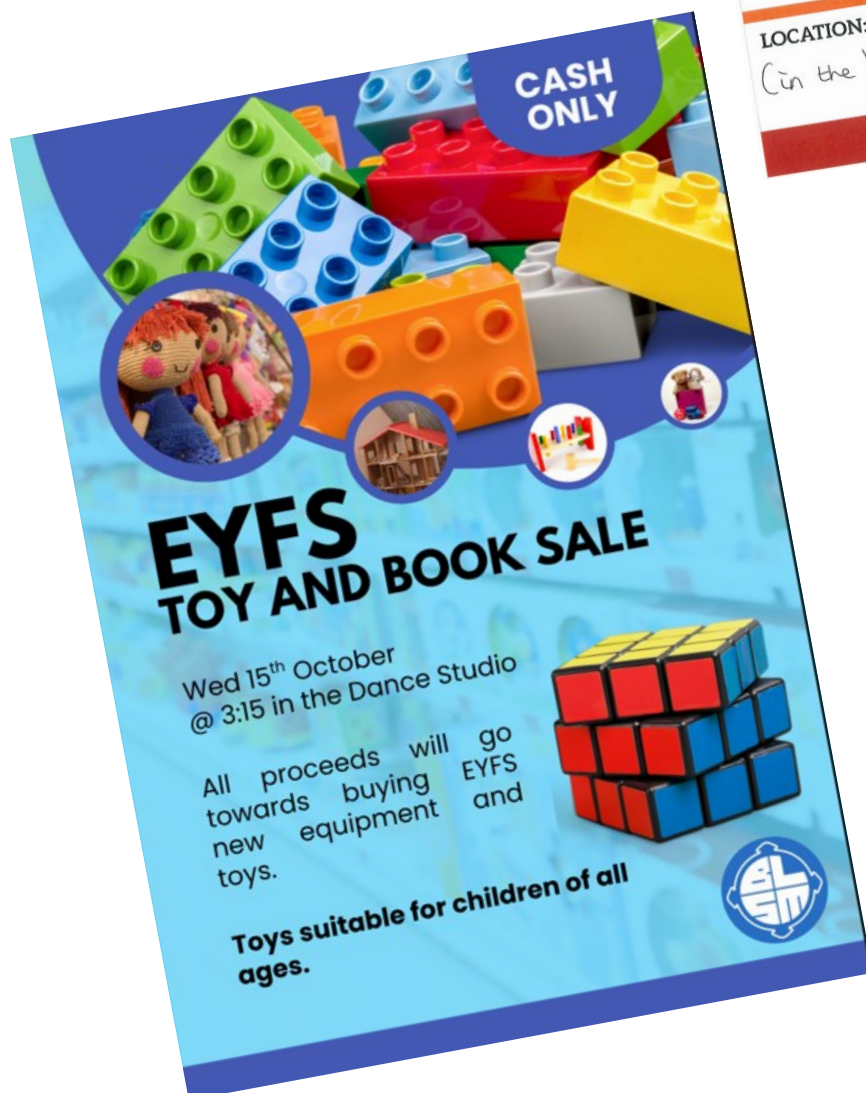
Come to our EYFS toy and book sale!

Wednesday 15th November in the Dance Studio after school.

CASH ONLY please.

Plenty of dolls, books, duplo and lots more for a really reasonable price!

All proceeds will go towards equipment for our EYFS classrooms.



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SAFETY ALERT

Children's books linked to adult content

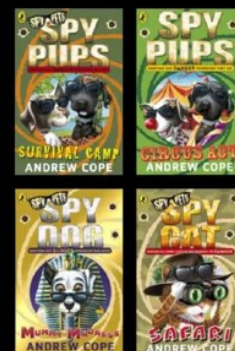
The publisher Puffin has paused sales of the popular **Spy Dog, Spy Pups** and **Spy Cat** book series after discovering a website printed in the books now redirects to adult content.

The link was originally used to promote the characters but has since been hijacked by an unrelated third party.

The site now shows inappropriate content with no age verification.

Puffin is contacting UK schools and local authorities and has urged school libraries to remove the books from shelves.

If you have copies at home, check for weblinks and ensure children do not visit them.



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By J.M. Barrie

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MONDAY 6 th OCTOBER	SATURDAY 11 th OCTOBER
LIGHTHOUSE THEATRE	KETTERING LEISURE VILLAGE
THURSTON DR, KETTERING, NN15 6PB	THURSTON DR, KETTERING, NN15 6PB
5.00-6.00pm 7-12 yrs old	2.00-3.30pm 7-12 yrs old
6.00-7.00pm 13-21 yrs old	3.30-5.00pm 13-21 yrs old



All auditionees must be 8 years old by the time of the show

To be performed at The Lighthouse Theatre 12th-14th February 2026

You only need to attend one audition

Nothing to prepare! Just arrive, book in and audition!

A show fee is payable by all successful applicants

Interested in learning to play hockey?

We offer coaching for U8s (Yr R, 1,2&3), U10s (Yr 4&5) and U12s (Yr 6&7).

When: Tuesdays

Time: 6.00pm-7.00pm

Where: Bishop Stopford School, Headlands, Kettering.

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BURTON LATIMER YOUTH CLUB

FRIDAY'S 6-8PM

(LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH 6.30-8.30)

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ST. MARY'S PTA & FRIENDS

Sunday 7th
December

7-9pm

St Mary's School,
Burton Latimer,
NN15 5RL

2025

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