

KEY DATES

OCTOBER 2025

Wed 1st Oct 2025 - Year 1 Osborne House Visit.

NEW Thurs 2nd Oct 2025 - EYFS Phonics Session & Workshop.

Fri 10th Oct 2025 - Mountbatten 'Go Yellow' Day.

Fri 10th Oct 2025 - Flu Immunisations.

Tues 14th Oct 2025 - Year 6 Milestones Museum Visit.

Tues 14th & Wed 15th Oct 2025 - Individual School Photos.

Fri 17th Oct 2025 - Pumpkin Competition.

Mon 20th Oct - Fri 31st Oct 2025 - October Half Term.

Fri 31st Oct 2025 - Secondary Application Deadline.

NOVEMBER 2025

Mon 3rd Nov 2025 - First day of Autumn Term 2025.

Mon 17th Nov 2025 - Parents' Evening.

Wed 19th Nov 2025 - Parents' Evening.

NEW Thurs 20th Nov 2025 - Year 4 Mayflower Theatre Visit.

DECEMBER 2025

NEW Thurs 4th Dec 2025 - Year 1 Mayflower Studios Visit

Mon 22nd Dec - Fri 2nd Jan 2026 - Christmas Holidays.

JANUARY 2026

Mon 5th Jan 2026 - First day of Spring Term 1.

FEBRUARY 2026

Mon 16th Feb - Fri 20th Feb 2026 - February Half Term

Mon 23rd Feb 2026 - First day of Spring Term 2.

MARCH 2026

NEW Thurs 10th March 2026 - Year 3 Butser Ancient Farm Visit

Mon 30th March - Fri 10th April 2026 - Easter Holidays.

APRIL 2026

Mon 13th April 2026 - First day of Summer Term 1.

<u>MAY 2026</u>

Mon 4th May 2026 - BANK HOLIDAY School closed to pupils.

Mon 25th May - Fri 29th May 2026 - May Half Term.

JUNE 2026

Mon 1st June 2026 - First day of Summer Term 2.

NEW Wed 24th-Thurs 25th June 2026 - Year 6 Leavers Trip.

JULY 2026

Tues 28th July - Monday 31st August 2026 - Summer Holiday's.

Dear Families,

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As always, our learners have been thriving this week. In particular, I have seen some incredible Maths work across the school and have been impressed with our pupils striving to learn their times tables - keep it up!

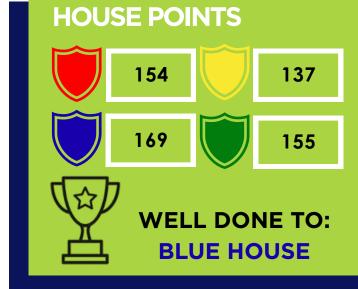


We want to acknowledge the recent safeguarding incident that took place within our wider community this week and we understand it may have caused concern. Please be reassured that children's safety and wellbeing remain our highest priority.

Safeguarding is most effective when we work together. In the coming weeks, we will be sharing strategies with families about the different ways we can all support our safeguarding procedures – from staying alert, to raising concerns quickly, to working in partnership as a community. By maintaining this shared vigilance, we help ensure every child remains safe and supported.

Thank you for your trust and for the vital role you play in keeping our community strong and caring.

Have a restful weekend, Miss McDonald





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THIS WEEK'S AWARDS

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WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE TARGET:



WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE
THIS WEEK IS: 95.95%

THIS WEEKS WINNING CLASS: WELL DONE EDINBURGH!

CLASS ATTENDANCE

DATES - 19/09/2025 - 25/09/2025

<u>CLASS</u>	ATTENDANCE	LATES
CARISBROOKE:	92.33%	0
YARMOUTH:	98.00%	2
BIGGLESWADE:	97.33%	0
CORFE:	98.62%	1
BALMORAL:	96.67%	2
WINDSOR:	97.00%	1
ARUNDEL:	96.67%	3
BAMBURGH:	94.33%	0
KENDAL:	93.33%	0
WARWICK:	98.62%	0
EDINBURGH:	99.31%	0
STIRLING:	95.00%	0
DURHAM:	96.33%	0
YORK:	90.00%	3

GOOD ATTENDANCE ENSURES
THAT CHILDREN CAN DEVELOP AT
THE RIGHT PACE, GAIN
CONFIDENCE AS THEY MAKE
PROGRESS, AND ULTIMATELY
ENJOY SCHOOL AS THEY SEE
THEMSELVES SUCCEED



READING



WORD OF THE WEEK



SCHOOL ID: 59721

WELL DONE TO:

BALMORAL, YORK & BAMBURGH CLASSES



THIS WEEK'S AWARDS





SCHOOL VALUE AWARD WINNERS



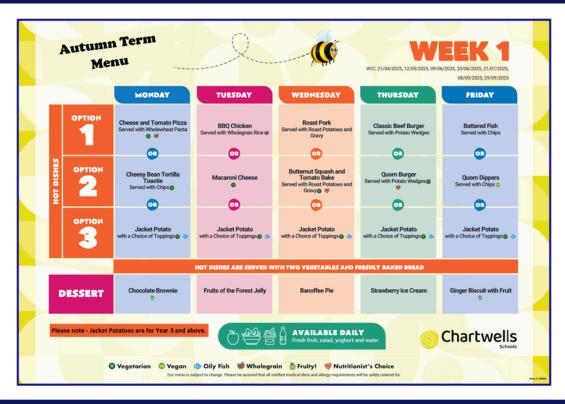


IN OTHER NEWS...



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THIS WEEK WE ARE ON: WEEK THREE



EDUCATIONAL VISITS

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Tuesday 10th March 2026 - Year 3 Butser Ancient Farm Visit.

Wednesday 24th June-Thursday 25th June 2026 - Year 6 Leavers Visit.

Tuesday 30th June 2026 - EYFS Bembridge Beach Visit.

More Educational Visits will be added to the list, so please keep checking.

Several trip letters have been sent home this week with more to come, please return the permission forms to the office as soon as possible. Please ensure deposits and full payments are made on time using ParentPay. Barcode letters to make payments via PayPoint in a local shop are available by request at the school office.



IN OTHER NEWS...



OFFICE NEWS

ParentPay - Our Online Payment System

ParentPay is our online payment system

Are you signed up to ParentPay? We no
longer accept cash at the office. All
items that require payment will be
available on ParentPay.

- · School Meals (Y3 and above) · Enrichment Clubs - Y1-6
- · School Trips Whole School



ParentPay does not have a dedicated app it is web based therefore please use your web browser to login.
Activation letters have been sent home to all of our new families.
Please ensure you activate your accounts as soon as possible.

EYFS PHONICS SESSIONS & WORKSHOP

We have sent home a invitation for all families in EYFS to join the team for a Phonics session and Workshop on Thursday 2nd October. Please return the reply slip indicating your preferred time.

Thank you, EYFS Team

Menu Change for Thursday 2nd Oct and Friday 3rd Oct 2025

The menus for Thursday and Friday next week will be swapped around: Thursday will be Burgers and Friday will be Fish or Quorn Dippers



HELPING HANDS PTA NEWS



Dates for your calendar from Helping Hands (Nine Acres Parent Teacher Association)

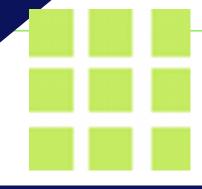
Firstly, thank you again to the amazing Nine Acres Relay Team, who ran so majestically last weekend. Hopefully, this fantastic effort will inspire the children for their sponsored run at the end of the month. Thank you to everyone who has already brought in the sponsor money.

We are also looking forward to this year's Pumpkin Parade, themed 'Out of this World!'. Every year we are overwhelmed by the ingenious and spectacular designs! As in previous years, it will be £1.00 to enter. Pumpkins clearly marked with the child's class and name can be placed on the grass area on the front playground before school on Friday 17th October. Prizes to be won! We ask that all Pumpkins be collected after school on Friday 17th October.

Finally, a quick reminder that you are all invited and very welcome to attend our monthly meetings. Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 7th October at 8.45am, meeting in the foyer. If you would like to know more, please contact us via email on helpinghands@nineacrespri.co.uk or leave a message for us at the school office.

We look forward to seeing you soon! Helping Hands

IN OTHER NEWS...



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS SCHEDULE

Our school photographer will be in all day on Tuesday 14th October & Wednesday 15th October to take individual photographs of all children. You will also be notified by text, of the day your child will be photographed in due course.



Tuesday 14th October 2025

Stirling
Edinburgh
Biggleswade
Corfe
Arundel
Yarmouth
Carisbrooke

Wednesday 15th October 2025

Warwick
Kendal
Durham
York
Windsor
Balmoral
Bamburgh

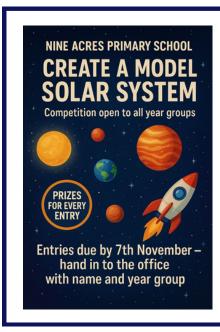
SIBLING PHOTOGRAPHS

Sibling photographs will be held after school on both Tuesday 14th Oct & Wednesday 15th Oct - 3.20-5.30pm on a first come first served basis.

There are very limited spaces.

Sign up sheets will be in the office foyer from Mon 29th Sept 2025.

SCHOOL NEWS



Miss Boxell our
Science Leader at
Nine Acres is excited
to annouce a
Science competition!
This competition is
open to all year
groups and entries
should be handed in
by 7th November
2025. We can't wait
to see you solar
systems!!





