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END OF TERM

Term ends at the end of the day on Friday 27th March.

We wish all our families an enjoyable and restful holiday.

Both schools re-open for the children on Monday 13th April.



EID MUBARAK!

We wish all our Muslim families Eid Mubarak as they celebrate Eid-al-Fitr!



WALSALL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES & FOOD PROGRAMME EASTER 2026

Sports Plus, who deliver the Federation afterschool activities, are running a club at

Blue Coat Junior Canteen - Tuesday 7th April – Friday 10th April 10am-2pm

Activities can be booked via the HAF portal.

To find out more information visit;

www.walsall.gov.uk/children_and_young_people/haf_signup

Or Email; familysupport@bluecoatfederation.co.uk



DESIGN AN EGG COMPETITION – NEXT THURSDAY!

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ALL ENTRIES SHOULD BE BROUGHT INTO SCHOOL ON THURSDAY 26TH MARCH!

DELICIOUS PRIZE FOR EVERY WINNER!

CLASS ATTENDANCE WINNERS

Infants— Panthers 100%

Juniors— 6ML 99.05%



BIKEABILITY is COMING

We're buzzing for Bikeability

Walsall Council's Road Safety Team are offering FREE Bikeability Learn to Ride sessions at Walsall Arboretum during the Easter holidays.

Limited number of spaces available.

To find out more information and to book onto one of our sessions please email bikeability@walsall.gov.uk

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT: WWW.BIKEABILITY.ORG.UK

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A PRAYER FOR PEACE

O God, we pray for families in every part of the world.

We pray for people of all faiths that we will draw on the best of our traditions to guide us away from words and acts of conflict, division and discrimination so that everyone may be free to live in peace and safety.

Protect the vulnerable, strengthen the fearful and comfort the grieving.

Amen.



PEOPLE WHO HELP US VISITS

The Reception children are continuing to have opportunities to meet different professionals who help our community in some way.

On Monday 23rd March, they will be meeting a Dentist and on Tuesday 24th March they will be meeting officers from the Police.

WEAR BLUE FOR AUTISM DAY – THURSDAY 26TH MARCH

On Thursday 26th March, all the children are invited to wear blue items of clothing to mark World Autism Awareness Day.

THIS WEEK'S ONLINE SAFETY TIP

What to do if something feels wrong



Children should know it's always okay to stop, close a screen and tell a trusted adult if something online makes them uncomfortable.

NEW FREE BREAKFAST CLUB

Booking for the first half of the Summer Term is now closed. If you have booked a place, this will start on Monday 13th April.

To access the Breakfast Club:

- You must have booked a place;
- Children must be signed in each day by a parent/carer;
- Children must arrive between 8.15 and 8.20am.

The Before School Club operated by Junior Adventures continues to offer places before school from 7.30am every day. Places can be booked at <https://www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/>



EASTER SERVICE

All the Infant and Junior children will be participating in our Easter Service at St. Matthew's Church on Friday 27th March at 10.30am.

Parents and Carers are welcome to attend.



SUMMER PACT WORKSHOPS

Year Group	Date	Focus
Nursery	Tues 14th April	Maths walk
Year 1	Fri 17th April 9am	Maths

REMINDER: JEWELLERY EXPECTATIONS

Simple stud earrings are the only jewellery permitted to be worn in school.

Items related to religious observance should be tucked safely under clothing.

Thank you for supporting this policy.

EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB FOR 5 TO 11 YEAR OLDS

For the first week of the Easter Holidays, Junior Adventures who operate our Before and After School Club are offering a holiday club which will be based at the Junior School. Book on: www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/



Your Child's Journey: Understanding School Support From Early Concerns to Next Steps.

Is your child on a waiting list to be seen by a paediatric health service?

Come and join us at Manor Farm Community Association for the meeting of the Supported Waiting Network.

We have guest speakers to advise on a variety of monthly topics and many services who support with access to additional support for you and your child. Come and chat to other parents, find out what additional support is available across the partnership with our monthly themed support group.

For further advice or information, telephone **01922 656463** or email pals.officer@nhs.net



🕒 9.30am-11.30am 📅 28 January 2026

📍 Manor Farm Community Association
King George Cres, Rushall, Walsall, WS4 1EU

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Partners & Communities Together Meeting



Communities, Police and Partners working together to tackle crime and community safety concerns.

- 🗣️ Meet representatives from the police and council.
- 📢 Receive and provide feedback on priority issues.
- 💬 Raise issues, ask questions and seek help on individual or community wide problems.

The next Partner and Communities Together meeting for those living or working in the St Matthew's ward is:

Wednesday 15th April 2026, 5pm-7pm
Lighthouse Bethel, 37 Caldmore Road,
Walsall, WS1 3NL

Local businesses and retailers in Walsall Town Centre are encouraged to come along, get involved and help influence local priorities.

We look forward to welcoming you



WE ARE WALSALL 2040

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HOLIDAY HQ THE GREAT OUTDOORS

CAPTURE THE FLAG

WOODLAND CRAFTS

MULTISPORTS

Jump into the Great Outdoors these holidays!
SCAN TO SECURE YOUR SPOT

***FREE EVENT**

Family Learning Activities Event!

At Walsall College

Hop down to our Pleck Library Campus on Monday 30th March for our *FREE family learning event for all the family from 10am - 1.30pm!

Take part and get involved in simple craft sessions, quizzes and puzzles, as well as an Easter Egg hunt!

Use the contact details below to register your *free place at this event!

Each child will receive a small gift!

Pleck Library is located at:
Darlaston Road, Walsall, WS2 9RE

*Free for anyone aged 19+, living in the West Midlands area and with household income below £34,194 per year, otherwise it will be £6.60 per hour. Children must be accompanied by an adult aged 19+

Scan the QR code to register your *free place at this event, or contact **01922 657000** or email CommunityDevelopment@walsallcollege.ac.uk

Your place to **grow**
Your place to **shine**



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Parents' Guide to Growing Healthy Smiles-Dental care for children

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EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS

All clubs will continue to run up to the last day of term so clubs will be as normal next week.

Please complete and return booking forms for the Summer Term clubs as soon as possible.

