

TERM 6 – 21st July 2026



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Dear Families,

The end of another superb year at our wonderful school. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support of all that we do throughout the year. I am delighted to report we have just had probably the best set of our outcomes across the board for our children that we have had in years - I couldn't be more proud of our children, our staff and of course our families for making this happen and ensuring that children remain at the heart of everything we do.

Wishing all our leavers this year the very best of luck in their next chapter.

I hope you all have a very restful and enjoyable summer break and we look forward to welcoming you back on the 7th September.

Thank you for your continued support.

*Emma Barker
Head Teacher*

YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL

Our Year 6's have been enjoying a wonderful adventure on their Residential Camp this week.

They have thrown themselves into all of the activities and even managed to cheer on England on Wednesday evening.



CELEBRATION OF LEARNING

We were excited to see our parents celebrating their child's learning in class.



It is such a lovely way to share our learning with you all at the end of the academic year.

UPCOMING EVENTS

July

21st – Year 6 Leavers Assembly
Term 6 ENDS

September

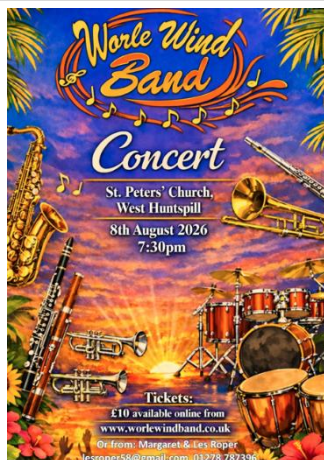
3rd – INSET DAY

4th – INSET Day

7th – Pupils return to school



DON'T FORGET TO BRING TEDDY



NEW!

Somerset Council

IMPORTANT UPDATES - A GUIDE FOR PARENTS & CARERS

TWO CATEGORIES

TARGETED ELIGIBILITY

Your child qualifies if your household receives **UNIVERSAL CREDIT** AND your annual household net earnings are **£7,400 OR LESS**.
(Also eligible for **PUPIL PREMIUM** funding for the school).

EXPANDED ELIGIBILITY

Your child qualifies if your household receives **UNIVERSAL CREDIT** AND your annual household net earnings are **MORE THAN £7,400**.
(Entitled to **FREE SCHOOL MEALS ONLY**).

WHO ELSE IS ELIGIBLE?

Common qualifying benefits are now written that include:

- Income Support
- Income-based JSA
- Income-related ESA
- Guaranteed Element of Pension Credit
- Support under Part VI of Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit (if taxable income is less than £16,190 and you don't get working Tax Credit)

NEW! EXPANDED ELIGIBILITY FROM 1 SEPTEMBER 2026

EXPANDED ELIGIBILITY

Your child qualifies if your household receives **UNIVERSAL CREDIT** AND your annual household net annual net earnings are **MORE £7,400**.

WHAT ABOUT RECEPTION, Y1 & Y2?

ALL children in Reception, Year 1, and Year 2 in state schools get Universal Infant Free School Meals, regardless of household income.

BUT, IF YOU GET QUALIFYING BENEFITS, PLEASE APPLY FOR 'BENEFIT-RELATED' FSM TO ENSURE YOUR SCHOOL GETS EXTRA 'PUPIL PREMIUM' FUNDING.

HOW TO APPLY

1. APPLY ONLINE AT: www.somerset.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals
2. OR CONTACT THE ENTITLEMENTS TEAM: fsm@somerset.gov.uk or CALL 0300 123 2224

INFORMATION CORRECT AS OF 1 SEPTEMBER 2026. FOR THE LATEST UPDATES, VISIT OUR WEBSITE.

ORDERING UNIFORM

With the summer holidays nearly here, we wanted to remind you to place uniform orders in plenty of time for the new academic year.

Please note the updated delivery information:

- Home delivery is **£4.50** via Royal Mail.
- Free delivery is available on orders over **£65**.
- Klarna is available on orders over **£75**.

Orders should be placed before the cut-off date of **1st August**.

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SCHOOLWEAR SINCE 1959



All About Family magazine have great pleasure in sending you the new free summer South West All About Family digital magazine aimed at giving parents valuable information for their children.

There is exclusive content from NSPCC, St John Ambulance and free meals with Prezzo, plus more.

Below is a link to the Summer edition
allabout-family.co.uk/south-west/



Spot the Knitted Angels in Burnham High Street!

Join the summer holidays treasure hunt!
Find adorable knitted angels hiding in:

- Sea Breeze
- Hurley's
- Tourist Information Centre
- ...and more High Street shops!

Collect letters from each angel, solve the riddle, and win a prize at Saint Andrew's Church. Celebrating 200 years of the Grinling Gibbons angels!

Get your treasure hunt sheet from Saint Andrew's Church, Sea Breeze, Hurley's, or the Tourist Information Centre.

Free to join, prizes for all who solve the riddle!



SAFEGUARDING

If you have any Safeguarding concerns or just need to speak to a member of Staff confidentially you can book an appointment with our School Designated Safeguarding Lead, Hannah Bakary or our Deputy Safeguarding Leads, Emma Barker or Lorraine Moffatt.



You could also make an appointment to speak to Little Learner's Designated Safeguarding Lead Catherine Riley



If you are worried about a child or young person who could be in danger, please contact:

Children's Social Care on 0300 123 2224
Email: childrens@somerset.gov.uk
Police: 101 or in an emergency 999

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

The Challenge is open to all children aged 4–11, and it's designed to be accessible for all reading levels.

Visit Burnham Library during the Summer Holidays and sign up for this year's Summer Reading Challenge.

Your child will collect bespoke stickers and incentives from the library for their reading, including a certificate for reaching their reading goal.

Are you up for the challenge?



LITTLE LEARNERS

Here at Little Learners it is a bitter sweet time. The children are super excited for the 6 weeks holidays, but sad to see their butterfly friends and Eleanor leave for school. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Eleanor for all her hard work and dedication to learning throughout her time with us completing her level 3 apprenticeship. We wish you all the best in your new journey.

Also a note to our leavers this year - "reach for the stars, you are all amazing and we hope you have the best time starting reception with Mrs Bott".







IMPORTANT

PLEASE
ENSURE YOU
HAVE BOOKED
YOUR CHILD'S
LUNCHES




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Little Learners @ East Huntspill PLACES AVAILABLE IN SEPTEMBER

Full and part time preschool places for
2, 3 and 4 year olds

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SCHOOL'S OUT FOR SUMMER ...

A big THANK YOU to Conifer Class for their fundraising efforts earlier this year to allow our pupils to have a fun afternoon on Monday. We partied with Krazy Kimmy, we had water fun on the field and adventures in East Huntspill Park.

Thank you Conifer Class.

