



Dunchurch Boughton C of E Infant Academy and Nursery

Roots to grow. Wings to fly.
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We have had a successful transition day this week, with the children enjoying spending time in their new classes. It is hard to believe that they only have two more weeks in their current year groups! The year two and nursery children are busy preparing for their leaver's shows, which will be held in the marquee this year. Please see Class Dojo for a link to book your tickets. When you are arriving to see the shows and leaving at the end, please use the Sandford Way and Dew Close entrances to the playground.

Your child's end of year report will be sent home via email next week, please see the spotlight for more information. If you would like the opportunity to discuss the report with your child's class teacher, you can do so at the Open Evening on Monday 14th July. There is no need to book a slot, just pop along any time from 3:20pm - 5pm. During the open evening, you will be able to view your child's work from this academic year. Unfortunately, this has been impacted by the fire. As you know, reception classrooms were particularly hard hit by the fire and unfortunately the children's work books were too smoke damaged to keep so were removed by the cleaning crew. However, you will have the children's work that they have completed since the fire to look at. Work books in years one and two are on the whole unaffected, so you will have plenty to look at.

Finally, a huge thank you to everyone that attended the Summer Fair last week. It was the first of its kind and a huge success. We truly appreciate everyone who was involved in arranging and running the fair. Everyone seemed to have a great time. I had such a great time taking the children around that I forgot to take any pictures!

Have a lovely weekend,

Suzanne Marson

Headteacher



PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS THIS WEEK

LEARNER OF THE WEEK

(these children will also sit on the Golden Table)

Little Owls: (Mrs Rawes & Miss Shrimpton)	Elijah	Barn Owls: (Miss Lodge)	Dylan	Spectacled Owls: (Miss Cowlen)	Eddie
Elf Owls: (Mrs Carrington)	Rosie	Tawny Owls: (Mrs Preston)	Finley	Snowy Owls: (Mrs Menzies)	Jacob

LEARNING BEHAVIOUR OF THE WEEK (children will share a piece of work they are proud of)

Little Owls: (Mrs Rawes & Miss Shrimpton)	Noah	Barn Owls: (Miss Lodge)	Effie	Spectacled Owls: (Miss Cowlen)	Grace
Elf Owls: (Mrs Carrington)	Thora	Tawny Owls: (Mrs Preston & Mrs McAulay)	Qiaoan	Snowy Owls: (Mrs Menzies)	Stanley

Lunchtime Stars

Little Owls: (Mrs Rawes & Miss Shrimpton)	Elijah	Barn Owls: (Miss Lodge)	Kezzie	Spectacled Owls: (Miss Cowlen)	Matilda
Elf Owls: (Mrs Carrington)	Bhuvi	Tawny Owls: (Mrs Preston)	Sienna G	Snowy Owls: (Mrs Menzies)	Dhyaan

Nursery Learner and Lunchtime Star of the Week

Owlets	Learner: Daisy L Lunchtime: Markus	Spotty	Learner: Ned Lunchtime: Amber	Stripy	Learner: Catharyn Lunchtime: Isla
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Achievements from home:

Reception: Bhuvi, Albie, Amelia-Faith, Nilan, Cleo, Sienna, Wren, Addison, Vinnie

Year 1: Satvika, India, Brooklyn, Kezzie, Sienna, Ridhan, Theo, Misty-Jo, Niyah

Year 2: Grace, Harley, Darcy A, Esme E, Nathan, Emilia

Spotlight on

End of academic year reports



Termly report: Dominic Abramowitz
Year 5: Summer
Class teacher: Mr Cole



Subject Attainment

Reading	Writing	Maths	Science
On-track	On-track	Gtr. Depth	Gtr. Depth

Attainment is relative to the age-related expectations for the year group and split into the following descriptors.

Gtr. Depth	Working at greater depth within the age-related expectation
On-track	Working at the age-related expectation
Just Below	Nearly working at the expectation
Below	Not yet working at the expectation

Attendance

Attendance: 94.2%	99% Excellent attendance
Authorised Absences: 12	96% Good attendance
Unauthorised Absences: 5	91% Room for improvement
	90% or lower Cause for concern

Next Friday, you will receive your child's end of academic year report. All teachers and key workers in all year groups have carefully written the reports, providing you with information about your child's effort and achievements over the course of the academic year.

Within the reports, you will find:

- Attainment and effort for reading, writing and maths, along with a written statement in each area.
- Wider curriculum attainment, effort and a written statement.
- A teachers comment and a headteachers comment.
- Year one parents will find their child's end of year one phonics score
- Reception parents will find their child's assessments against the Early Learning Goals.
- Your child's attendance.

Our assessment and reporting system is called Insight. You will receive an email from the email address **system@insighttracking.com** with your child's report. When you click on the link in the email, you will be taken to a menu like the picture on the right. You will be asked to enter your child's date of birth. This then allows you to view and download your child's report as a PDF.

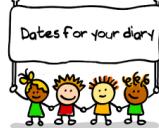
Oak Drive Primary School

Tuan Abbott

A report for Tuan Abbott is ready.

To download the report, please enter your child's date of birth:

Download Report



Upcoming dates:

Any new dates will be added in red

Tuesday 8th July	No Spanish club - last session of the term was last Tuesday 1st July 2025.
Wednesday 9th July	Year two leaver's performance Parents are invited to come into school to see the children take part in a leaver's performance in the marquee at 9:30am or 2:30pm. Two tickets will be available per child. Booking information can be found via email and Dojo.
Thursday 10th July	National Teddy Bear's Picnic Day Children are invited to bring a named teddy bear into school for a picnic lunch, along with donation towards Birmingham Children's Hospital. We have families in school who have been supported by Birmingham Children's Hospital and would like to raise as much money as we can for this worthy cause.
Thursday 10th July	Year Two Disco and Maypole evening Information can be found on the year two Dojo pages.
Monday 14th July	Open evening Parents are invited to come into school with their children to view their children's work and to visit new and existing classrooms from 3:30pm—5pm. Class teachers will be available to speak to about reports if you would like to. Mrs Owen will be available for SEND drop ins.
Monday 14th July	Open evening for children who will be in year 3 at Dunchurch Juniors in September 2025 If your child will be joining Dunchurch Juniors in year 3 in September 2025, you are invited to go into the school to see the year 3 classrooms and speak to school staff. School will be open from 3:30pm—5pm.
Tuesday 15th July	Nursery leaver's performance: Pre-School Parents are invited to come into school to see their children take part in a leaver's performance at 9:30am or 2:30pm. Details regarding tickets can be found via email and Dojo.
Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd September	Teacher Training Day School closed to all children
Wednesday 3rd September	School opens Year 1 and year 2 children will be back in school as normal. Reception settling sessions taking place, 9:30—10:30, 11-12, 12:30—1:30 or 2-3, please see your letter for your time slots.
Wednesday 3rd September— Friday 5th September	Nursery settling sessions Settling sessions taking place on these three days, 10—11:30 or 1-2:30. All parents have received a letter with dates and times.
Thursday 4th September	Reception settling sessions Reception settling sessions taking place, 9:30-11:30 or 1-3, please see your letter for your time slots.
Friday 5th September	Reception in school All reception children in school from 8:50am—1:30pm on Friday, and then full time from
Tuesday 4th November	Individual and Sibling Photos Photographs will be taken during the morning. If your child attends nursery and is not in on this day, please come via the school office at 8:45 am if you would like your child's photograph taken.

Lunches Summer Half Term

Our caterers are pleased to be able to offer children a variety of hot and cold lunches for the Summer Half Term. Please see the attached menu below:

Week 1				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese (D,G), Ham (G) or Tuna (F,G) Sandwich	Cheese & Tomato Pasta Pot (G,D) WITH	Pizza Finger (G,D) or Ham Salad Roll (G)	Cheese & Tomato Pasta Pot (G,D) WITH	Chicken (G), Cheese (G,D) Tuna Mayo (F,G,E) Wrap
Tortilla Chips (G)	(vg) Quorn Dippers (G)	Tortilla Chips (G)	Mini Pork (G) or (vg) Veggie Sausage	Tortilla Chips (G)
Veggie Sticks	Veggie Sticks	Veggie Sticks	Veggie Sticks	Veggie Sticks
DESSERT OF THE DAY	DESSERT OF THE DAY	DESSERT OF THE DAY	DESSERT OF THE DAY	DESSERT OF THE DAY
Shortbread (G)	Fruit Wedges	Ginger Cookie (G)	Fruit Wedges	Iced Sponge (G,E)
Special diets for Allergen, Religious or Life Style Preferences will be catered for in the normal way.			KEY C = Celery D = Dairy E = Egg F = Fish G = Gluten	M = Mustard S = Sesame SB = Soya Bean SU = Sulphites V = Vegetarian vg = vegan







Summer Holidays!

1 day of holiday workshop every week of the Summer Holidays including the 1st of September training day!

- Week 1 - Wed 23rd July - Stitch Theme
- Week 2 - Tues 29th July - Disney Princess Theme
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- Week 7 - Mon 1st Sept - Cheer Pom and Dance Theme

Performing Arts and so much more!
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930-330pm
Balsall Common, £28 per day

Summer Reading Challenge 2025



Dear Parents,

Every year the Warwickshire Library Service supports the Summer Reading Challenge set annually by the Reading Agency. The aim is to help children sustain their reading skills and habit through the six week summer holiday.

At Dunchurch Community Library we have successfully hosted this challenge many times and we are enthusiastic about this year's theme: Story Garden.

The scheme will launch on the 6th July and continue until the start of school in September and will be accompanied by stickers to collect, a medal to achieve and a certificate to record their success.

When the children have completed reading their six books they will be awarded a medal for their efforts and, when the new term starts, a certificate of congratulation will be prepared, with their name in calligraphic script, and delivered to their schools for presentation in September.

Of course the children can read as many books as they like during the Challenge but six (one per week of the summer holiday) is a minimum. They can do their reading in as many ways as necessary to accommodate going on holiday (all done before they go; make a start, go on holiday, finish off when they return etc).

Rugby library will be taking part too and it may be more convenient for you to enrol there; but we at Dunchurch are looking forward to meeting parents and children when the scheme starts in on 6th July.

Best Wishes,

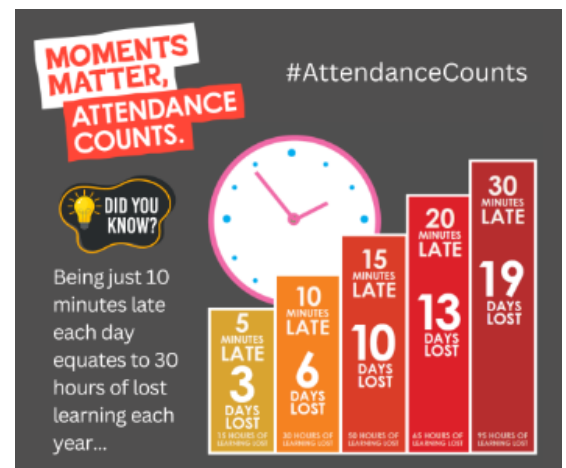
Clive Cotton, Volunteer at Dunchurch Library

Dunchurch Community Library, School Street, Dunchurch, CV22 6PA [01788 811355](tel:01788811355)
Open: Tues, Thurs, Fri 10am to 5pm and Sat 10am to 12 noon

Attendance Weekly Summary

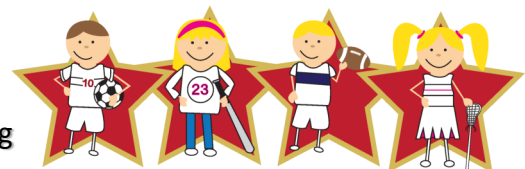
Whole school: 89.11% (Target 97%)

		
Little Owls	Elf Owls	Snowy Owls
92.13%	93.38%	79.26%
		
Barn Owls	Tawny Owls	Spectacled Owls
87.96%	96.67%	76.67%



PE Days

Children should wear their P.E. kits to school on the following days. On other days, normal uniform should be worn.



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Tawny Owls Barn Owls Little Owls Elf Owls	Tawny Owls Barn Owls	Snowy Owls Spectacled Owls		Snowy Owls Spectacled Owls

After School Clubs: Summer Term 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Martial Arts Y1—Y2 3:20-4pm	Spanish Y1-Y2 3:20—4:20pm	Football Y1-Y2 3:20– 4:45pm	Football Y1-Y2 3:20-4:45pm	Musical Theatre Rec—Y2 3:20—4:20pm
	Bounce and Beat Rec—Y2 3:20-4:20pm	Ukelele Club Yr 1 and 2 3.20-4pm		

TERM DATES

Summer Term 2025

Bank Holiday: 26th May
Half Term: Monday 26th May to
Friday 30th May
End of Term Friday 18th July
Disaggregated Teacher Training Day:
Monday 21st July

Autumn term 2025

Teacher training days: Monday 1st September & Tuesday 2nd September
Children return to school Wednesday 3rd September
Teacher training day: Friday 24th October
Half term: Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October
End of term: Friday 19th December

Spring term 2026

Start of term: Monday 5th January
Half term: Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February
Teacher training day: Monday 23rd February
End of term: Friday 27th March

Summer term 2026

Start of term: Monday 13th April
Half term: Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May
Teacher Training Day: Monday 1st June
End of term: Friday 17th July
Disaggregated Teacher Training Day: Monday 20th July

For Warwickshire school term dates please
[click here.](#)

Summer Holiday Childcare

Onside
Coaching

Tuesday **22nd July** to Friday **29th August**

Active Kids and Football

Locations near you...

Lawrence Sheriff School
Long Lawford Primary



Course times...

8.30 - 9am drop off
3.30 - 4pm collection

£20
per day

4 days for **£72**
5 days for **£85**

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Registered

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**Rugby, Houlton School,
CV23 0AS**



21st July - 25th July
18th Aug - 22nd Aug



**Warwick, Warwick
School, CV34 6PP**



28th July - 1st Aug
11th Aug - 15th Aug



9am - 3pm - £30 (4pm pick up +£5)

THE ACTIVITIES

We cover many
subjects including:

Coding
Robotics
Game Making
App Design
Animation
Web Design
3D Cad design
Minecraft (Fridays)

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BOOK OF THE WEEK

Title: Thunder Boots

Author: Cat Cowley

Recommended by: Miss Holmes

It's an empowering story about a young girl who finds courage and confidence through her special boots, it encourages discussions around bravery, emotions, and self-expression.



CHRISTIAN VALUE THIS HALF TERM



LEARNING BEHAVIOUR THIS HALF TERM

Effort elephant



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MHST Mental Health in Schools Team Tips For Wellness Change

Changes are a normal part of our lives and they affect us all in different ways. Some changes may feel small to you, but begin another person, and the opposite for a different change. For example, moving to a new class or school, moving houses, or starting a new club. They can feel exciting, but they can also feel overwhelming and stressful, especially when they are unexpected. Below are some tips to help you cope with changes that may feel hard for you.

Outtips for coping with change:

1 – Keep doing things you enjoy!

When we feel stressed or worried, it can be easy for us to focus on the worries all the time and forget to do the things that make us happy. Make sure to plan in time at the weekends and evenings to do things you enjoy to help you relax and boost your mood!

2 – Think about what you can control

When a change is unexpected or overwhelming, we can feel a bit like we have no control over the situation or how it is making us feel. It can be helpful to think about what you do have control over in this situation. For example, we can't control how the change makes us feel but we can control how we react to the situation and what we do following the change. Such as, staying connected with our friends and family, keeping to our daily routines, and planning ahead where we can.

3 – Look for the positives

While change can feel hard, there's often something good that comes from it, even if it is not immediately obvious. Such as, new opportunities, new people or learning experiences. You might even surprise yourself and enjoy the change!

In Coventry and Warwickshire, for any urgent mental health concerns, contact the RISE Crisis Helpline available 24/7, by calling 045 111. Alternatively, call 999 or visit A&E in an emergency, for example if medical attention is required.

MHST are available to support you and your school throughout the school year including term time and school holidays.
Please contact your school's Mental Health Lead for information and advice.

E-SAFETY TIP OF THE WEEK :

The Nintendo Switch 2 was released last month and has a new communication feature that you should be aware of.

GameChat – NEW

GameChat is included within a Nintendo Switch Online membership and allows up to 12 people to chat while playing games. Players can share their screen, even if they are playing different games, chat with the built-in microphone and as the Nintendo Switch 2 allows cameras to be connected (sold separately), even video chat. If your child is using this feature, then ensure they know how to report other users.

You can find out more here: <https://www.nintendo.com/en-gb/Hardware/Nintendo-Switch-2/GameChat/Nintendo-Switch-2-GameChat-2785625.html>



Car Seat Safety Tips



BIRTH TO AT LEAST 2

REAR-FACING CAR SEAT

Keep your child rear-facing as long as possible, or until they reach the recommended height & weight limit of that seat. Never place a rear-facing car seat in the front seat.

AGE 3 TO AT LEAST 6

FORWARD-FACING CAR SEAT

Keep your child in a forward-facing car seat with a harness and tether for as long as possible, or until they reach the recommended height & weight of that seat.

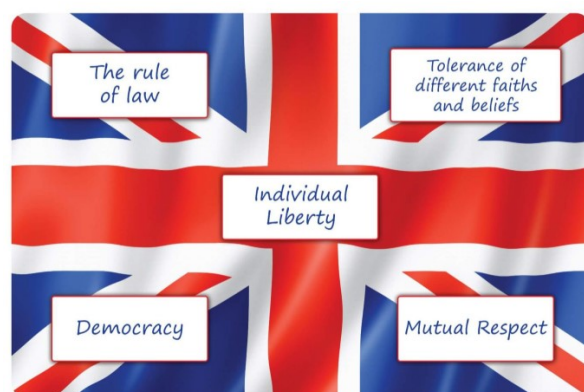
AGE 4 UNTIL SEAT BELT FITS

BOOSTER SEAT

Use a booster seat until the seat belt fits properly. The recommended height for a proper seat belt fit is 4 feet 9 inches (145 cm) which is usually occurs between the ages of 9-12.

COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

In collective worship this week, we have considered the British Values. We have also enjoyed singing all the different songs that we have learnt over the course of this academic year.



Click on [Family Information Service](http://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/families) for a wide range of information to support families, or to request support.
www.warwickshire.gov.uk/children-families



Connect for Health

Find lots of useful links click [here](#).



Warwickshire Local Authority SEND newsletter can be found here. [Click link](#)



RUGBY
Art Gallery
& Museum

Summer Science Club!

with STEM goes Wild!

29TH JULY - 1ST AUGUST
10AM - 3PM

For young scientists aged 9-12!



Put on your lab coat and get stuck in to the **Chemical Reactions & Slime Lab**, become a detective with **C&T Rugby**, create your own **DIY Electronic Games**, and explore **Natural Disasters** with pocket monsters!

Find out more, and book at
www.ragm.co.uk/holidayfun



RUGBY
Art Gallery
& Museum

Creative Creatures

Summer Holiday Activities

19 July - 30 August



Get ready to tinker and build as you...
Create Learn Enjoy Discover
in our summer holiday workshops!
Find out more at www.ragm.co.uk/holidayfun

TJ SPORTS ACADEMY

SUMMER HOLIDAY FUN

MULTI-SPORTS CLUB

TJ SPORTS ACADEMY is back in the holidays for **8 DAYS** of action-packed sporting **FUN** ! We are running Multi-sport days on Tuesday 22nd Wednesday 23rd and Thursday 24th (**FOOTBALL DAY** Friday 25th) Monday 28th July Tuesday 29th July and Wednesday 30th July. Letters have been handed out at the Junior and Infant schools. Thank you to everyone who has signed up already ! There are still spaces remaining on all of the days, letters are available from either school office or myself (Mr James). We are **SUPER EXCITED** for this one with all our usual sports (plus more) and brand-new **PRIZES** !

ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS PLEASE DONT HESITATE TO CONTACT US.

PHONE- 07979800418

EMAIL-tjsportsacademy1@gmail.com



Family Support Worker Consultations



Would you like the opportunity to chat with a Family Support Worker?

We can support with:

- Developing routines and boundaries
- Understanding your child's behaviour
- Supporting your child's emotional and mental health
- Family and Relationship support
- Signposting and referrals

Phone **01926 414144** option 1 then option 2 Monday to Friday 9am-4pm (except bank holidays) or scan the QR code to find out where you can attend a face-to-face drop in.



Information on **Early Support** can be found by scanning the QR code below



FITT4KIDS SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMPS

£20

PER DAY
Catering & full week
places still available

Tuesday 22nd July – Friday 29th August 2025

please see our website for specific venue dates



WHATS ON?



FOOTBALL HOLIDAY CAMPS



MULTISPORTS HOLIDAY CAMPS

VENUES IN:

HAF



**WELLESBOURNE, WHITNASH
LEAMINGTON SPA, WARWICK &
TILE HILL**

visit our website for more information-

www.fitt4kids.org.uk/holiday-clubs/

AGE

4-11

YEARS

Summer Holiday Activities



Enjoy an adventurous summer of family events from Heritage and Culture Warwickshire.

Discover Stone Age Skills, spend the day at the St John's Playhouse, get crafty at Jurassic Sea Monster, go fossil hunting and much more....

Events are free or low-cost, some require prebooking. For full details visit heritage.warwickshire.gov.uk





8.45AM - 3.30PM
AGE 5-11

£25 PER DAY

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**AROUND THE WORLD
SUMMER CAMP**

PLAY THROUGH PERFORMING ARTS
Singing, dancing, acting, crafts, drums, props, indoor & outdoor games, bouncy castle, animal visits & more!

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28TH JUL - 1ST AUG
4TH AUG - 6TH AUG
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