



St Nicholas CE Primary School Bulletin

13th March 2026

World Book Day

Last year's Book Day feedback told us two things you really wanted: Character Dress Up and a visit from an author... so this year, we made it happen!

We were absolutely amazed by the incredible costumes across the school. From classic storybook favourites to some wonderfully creative characters, it was fantastic to see so many children bringing their love of books to life.

We were also delighted to welcome author Meredith Vigh to school.

Meredith spoke to the children about her journey to becoming a published author, sharing how her love of storytelling began and the steps she took to turn her ideas into real books. Perseverance certainly pays off! She read some of her stories, talked about where authors get their ideas, and answered some brilliant questions from the children about writing, imagination and creativity.

It was a truly inspiring day celebrating reading and the joy of books. Thank you to everyone who helped make it such a special World Book Day!

We would love to hear from you all regarding WBD as your feedback helped to make this years WBD such a great success -

World Book Day 2026 – Fill in form¹

Here are our Class Costumes -



¹<https://forms.office.com/e/QyLPNvTEe>



School Library Project

St Nicholas CE Primary School are committed to nurturing a love of reading in every child and this year we have an exciting opportunity.

We are launching a huge Library Refurbishment Project to create an inviting, inspiring and accessible reading space for all our children. A place where imagination can flourish, curiosity can grow and a lifelong love of books can begin.

To make this happen, we are aiming to raise £25,000.

This will support new furniture, updated shelving, cosy reading zones, a quiet sensory zone along with a refreshed collection of books that reflects the diversity and interests of our children.

How you can help!

Every contribution makes a difference, no matter how small. If you're able to support the project, please scan the QR code below or follow the link to donate.

When children read, they grow. When we support them, they flourish. Reading opens minds, fires imaginations and lays the foundations for life so thank you for helping us create a space where every child can discover the magic of books

**#NationalYearOfReading² #LibraryProject³ #ReadingForAll⁴ #SchoolCommunity⁵
#SupportOurSchool⁶**

If you work for, or know any large companies who might be interested in making a donation towards our library, please do let us know. We are reaching out to local business to support our project and we need your help!

²[https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/nationalyearofreading?_eep=6&cft\[0\]=AZYMlc2Q09PBCKBimSU2yaGN6VRQ9cO9yd5s_MAhwocrCHTn81JRbvIXpGhs4ajnlfc_zjZ3zl-DPMuIsGvC4IRQR9TOMnHtGzQM4g3Xr8KmJzNGMHNN88xyvVaRU8aD47EhtxhOovUb6aomCFIKXHJitZDTc1oTXvjKP3986zxeevHWM6V-gCr17Mfbrbxbd9Zor2sO-Rsj1BC-Y3HW0Xj1&tn=*NK-R](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/nationalyearofreading?_eep=6&cft[0]=AZYMlc2Q09PBCKBimSU2yaGN6VRQ9cO9yd5s_MAhwocrCHTn81JRbvIXpGhs4ajnlfc_zjZ3zl-DPMuIsGvC4IRQR9TOMnHtGzQM4g3Xr8KmJzNGMHNN88xyvVaRU8aD47EhtxhOovUb6aomCFIKXHJitZDTc1oTXvjKP3986zxeevHWM6V-gCr17Mfbrbxbd9Zor2sO-Rsj1BC-Y3HW0Xj1&tn=*NK-R)

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Our library needs your help!

Calling all Parents/Carers,

We all want our children to be able to read, and having a dedicated quiet space to discover, develop and enjoy a love of reading is a fundamental part of nurturing that. That's why our next St Nicholas School PTA project is to fundraise £25k to transform one of our existing spaces into a beautiful library and sensory space for all our children across the school to use.

This new space will house over 2000 books, have brand new accessible shelving, comfortable reading spaces for individual or group work, as well as dedicated sensory resources. See the graphic illustration below. We have the plans, the commitment and the space. We just need the funds to get us there.

Please help by donating to our GoFundMe page. Spread the word to family & friends and any company/professional contacts you have who can help. Scan the QR code (above right) to donate. Any donation welcome. Every penny counts in making this happen. All Our PTA efforts & activities will be about reaching this £25k target as soon as possible!

Thank you for your support.



From this....



...to this!



TKAT Forest School Event

The children had a fantastic time at the TKAT Forest School event hosted by Polehampton CE Junior School. They enjoyed working together with children from the other schools within the Trust and were a real credit to us, they did us proud!

During the afternoon, they enjoyed a range of outdoor activities including making beautiful wire Mother's Day hearts and exploring the woodland environment, discovering more about the wildlife around them. It was a wonderful opportunity for the children to learn outdoors, work together and build new friendships. 🌿











Easter Egg Donations



Thank you so much for all your generous Easter Egg donations for The Cowshed. They will most certainly make a lot of children very happy!! We have delivered 2 HUGE boxes of eggs to The CowShed to deliver this Easter.

Judo Champions!

On Saturday both Eva Brownie and Jax Robinson entered The Ares Competition at the High Wycombe Judo Centre. They both fought really well in their first competition!

Eva achieved Bronze in her group and Jax took the Gold medal, winning every match in his group!

We are all super proud of their achievements... Well done both of you!!





Spring Fun with the PTA!



Get your tickets for the Easter Disco which is being held on 20th March! Another exciting event for all the children. Quiet room available, Easter merch, Tuck Shop DJ and lots of fun!

Don't Miss out! Book your tickets now - St Nicholas Hurst PTA⁷

⁷<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/stnichurstpta/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=112139>

School Council Corner



Thank You to Eton Travel Management

Fossil Class would like to say a huge thank you to Eton Travel, Wokingham, for their generous donations of travel brochures, displays, and other exciting resources. These materials have helped bring our learning to life and have played a big part in developing the children's understanding of travel and the wider world.

The children have absolutely loved using the brochures in our role-play Travel Agents, planning imaginary holidays, exploring new destinations, and learning the language of booking trips. Your support has made our classroom adventures even richer and more inspiring.

Thank you for helping Fossil Class explore the world.

Story Spuds Competition

After Story Spoons and Tales in Tubs, we thought the bar had already been set high... but this year we were completely blown away by our Story Spuds competition!

The creativity and effort that went into the entries was incredible. From famous book characters to brilliantly imaginative designs, the Story Spud creations were truly amazing!

A huge well done to everyone who took part. It was so difficult to choose winners because every single entry was fantastic. Here are a couple of photos of some of the amazing creations!

All photos have been uploaded to our Facebook Page if you would like to see more!



St Nicks Striders



Great effort on Sunday from our Super St Nicks Striders!

8 of you joined the Dinton Pastures junior parkrun team this week to get your Mothering Sunday off to a brilliant start!

A special shout out to Taylor and Emily for achieving PBs this week, fantastic running!

Well done to every one of you! 🏃🏃🏃🏃🏃🏃

Uniform Vouchers

A graphic for a "Back-to-School Online Voucher" with an orange and black color scheme. The text "BACK-TO-SCHOOL ONLINE VOUCHER" is centered, with "ONLINE" in orange and "VOUCHER" in black. To the right is a shopping cart icon. Below this, three black boxes with white text contain: "10% off when you spend over £60 online", "Use Code: BTS-26", and "Valid between 1st June - 23rd August 2026". A shield-shaped logo with "SD" is in the top right. At the bottom, small text reads: "Terms & Conditions: Offer can only be used online at www.schoolsdirect.co.uk One-time use per customer. Cannot be redeemed for cash. Cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer/discount."

**BACK-TO-SCHOOL
IN-STORE
OFFER**

WHEN PRE-BOOKING AN APPOINTMENT

10% off when you spend over £60 (when you pre-book an appointment)

Secure your appointment at:
[www.schooldaysdirect.co.uk/appointments](http://www schooldaysdirect.co.uk/appointments)
to receive your discount in store.

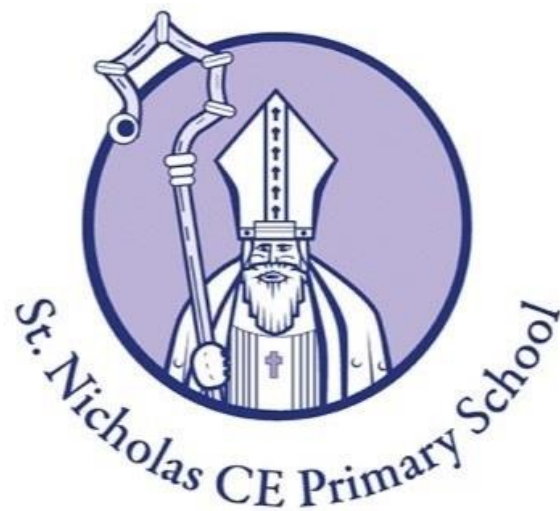
Valid between 1st June - 15th August 2026

Appointments are limited & based on a first-come first-serve basis

Terms & Conditions:
Please see website for details.

Follow us on Social Media!

Can't wait for the bulletin and want to see more about what is happening in school and around our village? Then follow our social media page here: Facebook⁸



⁸<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61551221615071>



Term dates

March

Coin Quest (on going)

Tue 17th - Perform Drama Workshop

Fri 20th - Red Nose Day - Wacky Hair!!

Fri 20th - Easter Disco for all school (5.00pm to 6.30pm)

Tue 24th - Easter Exhibition for children in school

Tue 24th - Parent Consultations

Wed 25th - Easter Egg Hunt (AM)

Wed 25th - Easter Bake Sale (PM)

Wed 25th - Stepping Stones Showcase - Sandstone Class

Thu 26th - TKAT Cross Country Event KS2

Thu 26th - Parent Consultations

Fri 27th - Easter Service at Church

Fri 27th - End of Term (1.30pm) - **NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB**

Monday 30th March - Friday 10th April - EASTER BREAK

April

Mon 13th - Back to School

Fri 17th - Year 3 Swimming

Thu 23rd - Year 4 Bikeability

Fri 24th - Year 3 Swimming

Thu 30th - Year 5 Bikeability

May

Fri 1st - Year 3 Swimming

Thu 7th - Year 5 Bikeability

Fri 8th - Year 3 Swimming

Fri 15th - Year 3 Swimming

Fri 22nd - Year 3 Swimming

Fri 22nd - Year 6 Bikeability

June

Thu 4th - Rhos Y Gwalia Information Meeting (6pm)

Fri 5th - Year 6 Bikeability

Fri 12th - Year 6 Bikeability

Sun 14th to Fri 19th June - Year 6 Residential to Rhos Y Gwalia

Thu 18th - Sayers Croft Information Meeting (5pm)

Sat 27th and Sun 28th - Hurst Show

July

Wed 1st to Fri 3rd July - Year 4 Residential at Sayers Croft

Fri 17th - School Reports Home

Fri 17th - Family BBQ

Mon 20th - Whole School Trip to Dinton Pastures Activity Centre

Wed 22nd - End of Term (1.30pm) - - **NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB**

Interested in Teaching?

Forest Learning Alliance (FLA) is the local partner with the University of Reading, recruiting and training primary trainee teachers. We provide guidance and support on how to apply and train to be a teacher. To help you understand the teaching pathway, we are hosting a 'Get into Teaching' drop-in coffee event on Monday, 23rd March, from 12pm to 2pm at Earley St Peter's CE Primary School, RG6 1EY.

Come along and find out more www.forestlearningalliance.org⁹ or contact N Sykes nsykes@uplandsberkshire.org¹⁰



THE JOURNEY STARTS HERE
ITT programmes with FLA for 2026/2027 and beyond

Are you interested in a career in teaching?

Join us at one of our Initial Teacher Training drop in Coffee events to find out how you could shape children's futures with the help of Forest Learning Alliance.

Earley St Peter's CE Primary School, RG6 1EY
Monday 23rd March 2026, 12:00 - 14:00 [Book here](#)

Scan to book your free place



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Academy Trust

⁹<http://www.forestlearningalliance.org>

¹⁰<mailto:nsykes@uplandsberkshire.org>

Easter activities at Wokingham Borough libraries

Meet and Learn About
Guide Dogs for the Blind

GUIDE DOGS



Friday 10 April 2026
10 am - 12 noon

Lower Earley Library



Explore
LEARNING

FREE

FUN WITH PHONICS WORKSHOP

Ages 4-6

**LIMITED SPACES
BOOK TODAY!**

Wokingham Library
Wednesday 1 April
10:30 - 11:30am
Free. Booking required





FREE

TELLING THE TIME WORKSHOP

Ages 5-7

LIMITED SPACES BOOK TODAY!

Woodley Library
Wednesday 8 April
10:30 - 11:30am
Free. Booking required



Lower Earley Library
Monday 30 March
2:30 - 3:30pm

This workshop is open to children 6 - 11 years
£3 per child
Limited places
Booking essential

To book visit: wokingham.spydus.co.uk
and click Events in the blue menu bar
or scan QR code below



DROP IN ARTS & CRAFTS

**TWYFORD LIBRARY
TUESDAY 31 MARCH
10:30AM TO 12 NOON**

Come and join us for a fun morning of
Easter-themed arts & crafts.



This event is open to children aged 4 to 10
£2 per child

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Easter Get Active Holiday Camp

BOOK YOUR CHILD'S EASTER CAMP



SCAN TO BOOK

ST NICHOLAS PRIMARY SCHOOL

School Road, Hurst, Berkshire, RG10 0DR

30th MAR - 10th APR | 8:30am - 5:30pm

www.getactivesports.com 01344 860 868

info@getactivesports.com

Parents...

Ready To Press Start On Easter?



From 30 March to 10 April, your little bunnies can jump into days packed with movement, laughs, friendly battles, and full-on energy.

Gotta Play Them All!

What's Happening At Camp

Robot Car Battles

FRI 10th APRIL

Our Pokémon Special Themed Day

Gladiator Inflatable Battle Zones

Crazy Go Karts Racing Arena

Pickleball Smash Courts

Soft Axe Throwing Challenge & MORE

There will be sport, strategy, teamwork, and plenty of chances to make new friends in a safe, structured space where confidence grows naturally.

Gotta Catch Them All?

Book before **15 March and 20% is automatically applied at checkout**. No codes. No chasing. Just instant savings.

Spaces will fill quickly.

Lock in their place before this one disappears.

Easter Half Term 30 March to 10 April

To Book Your Space visit:

<https://getactivesports.com/active-camps/>

Exciting Caterlink Competition

We're excited to announce a fantastic competition for your pupils! We need their help to design some vibrant foodie wall art for Caterlink.

We invite pupils to let their imaginations run wild and create an **A4 page of colourful, foodie-inspired landscapes**. Think **broccoli trees, baguette fences**, or even **carrot chimneys** – the more creative, the better!

What's in it for you?

- Winning artwork will feature in Caterlink's primary marketing.
- The winning school will receive a **completed art wall**, or **£200 for the school**, and a **£20 book voucher for the pupil whose design wins**.

How to enter:

- Artwork can be posted to **Caterlink Competition, Hop House, Lower Green Road, Pembury, Kent, TN2 4HS** or scanned and emailed to **info@caterlinkltd.co.uk**¹¹. (please keep the original artwork as this may be needed if you are selected a winner)
- Ensure you include the **pupils name, age and school on the back of the artwork**, or as the title of the picture file. We will also require the full **school's name**, address, and contact so that we can contact winning entries.
- Entries must be received by 5pm on **31st March 2026**.
- Winning entries will be notified by the end of May 2026.

We can't wait to see the amazing ideas your pupils come up with!



Enrichment Activities

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	Before School	During the School Day	After School
Monday	Morning Judo with Mark Fricker https://judo-school-uk.pembee.app/ Get Active Breakfast Club	Lunch Recorder Club – Mrs Clacy Get Active Lunchtime Games	Get Active After School Club
Tuesday	First Impressions Musical Theatre Club https://first-impressions-theatre.classforkids.co/ Get Active Breakfast Club	Rock Steady Music www.rocksteadymusicsschool.com Get Active Lunchtime Games	Get Active After School Club
Wednesday	Get Active Breakfast Club	Lunchtime Choir Club – Mrs Clacy The Story Chair – 1 st Wednesday of the month – St Nicholas Church Lunchtime Football Club – Mr Luis Get Active Lunchtime Games	Multi Sports Club – Mr Luis Get Active After School Club
Thursday	Get Active Breakfast Club	Get Active Lunchtime Games	Get Active After School Club
Friday	Get Active Breakfast Club	Keyboard Club with Tom Jones admin@wekey.co.uk Get Active Lunchtime Games	Get Active After School Club

¹¹<mailto:info@caterlinkltd.co.uk>



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First Impressions Theatre - For Kids

MUSICAL THEATRE CLUB
AT ST NICHOLAS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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TUESDAYS
8AM-8:40AM
YEARS R-6
£110 PER TERM

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Who are we?
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St Nicholas Church



THE STORY CHAIR
LUNCHTIME STORY CLUB

- ★ Come and listen magical stories
- ★ Relax, imagine and dream
- ★ Enjoy a quiet moment with friends

Brought to you by
ST NICHOLAS CHURCH
FIRST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH
12 – 1PM

1 - Children are invited to join us for story time with Rosemary and Jenny. The story chair will be the first Wednesday of every month.

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Messy Church

11am in St Nicholas Church on:

- Sunday, 28th September 2025
- Sunday, 26th October 2025
- Sunday, 23rd November 2025
- No Messy in December
- Sunday, 25th January 2026 (Christingle)
- Sunday, 22nd February 2026
- Sunday, 22nd March 2026
- Sunday, 26th April 2026
- Sunday, 24th May 2026
- No Messy in June - Hurst Show
- Sunday, 26th July 2026

*at a Messy Service we celebrate God in our community
by listening to stories, making things,
singing, praying, sharing refreshments, talking.....*
Suitable for everyone - adults and children alike!

For more details please see our website:
www.achurchnearyou.com/stnicholashurst

ST NICHOLAS CHURCH

Easter Crafts

30th March | 10^{am} - 12^{noon}
ST NICHOLAS CHURCH

Activities:

- Easter Egg Hunt
- Refreshments
- Craft Stations
- Easter Garden

£2 per child. For further information contact beckystnicholas@gmail.com



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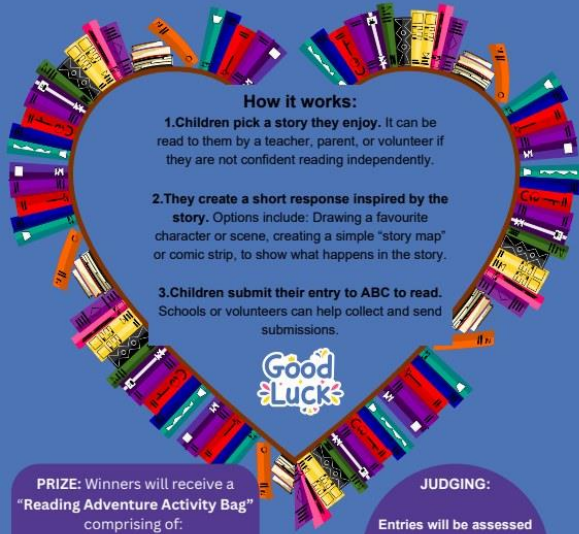
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National Year of Reading 2026 ABC to read - Reading Adventure Challenge

Objective: Celebrate stories and creativity, making it accessible for all children, including those who find reading difficult.



How it works:

1. Children pick a story they enjoy. It can be read to them by a teacher, parent, or volunteer if they are not confident reading independently.
2. They create a short response inspired by the story. Options include: Drawing a favourite character or scene, creating a simple "story map" or comic strip, to show what happens in the story.
3. Children submit their entry to ABC to read. Schools or volunteers can help collect and send submissions.

Good Luck

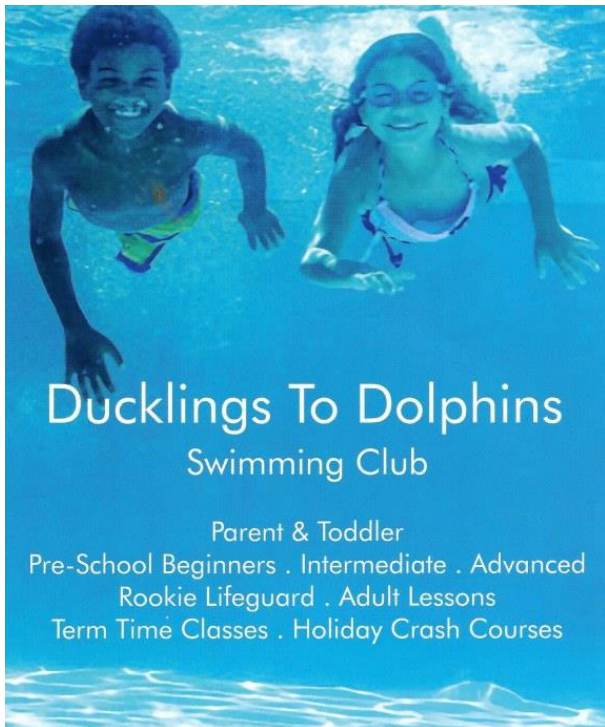
PRIZE: Winners will receive a "Reading Adventure Activity Bag" comprising of:

- A children's book (suitable for different reading levels)
- Or creative activities linked to stories
- Stationery for drawing or simple writing

JUDGING:

Entries will be assessed on creativity, effort, and enthusiasm rather than writing skill, with categories by age group.

Entries please by Friday, 6 March 2026



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Date: Wednesday 4th, 11th & 18th March 2026

Time: 10 – 11.30am

To book or for more information, please contact us via:

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This workshop will be delivered by:

Simone Hall and Helen Tracey

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SUNDAY 11AM - 11:45AM

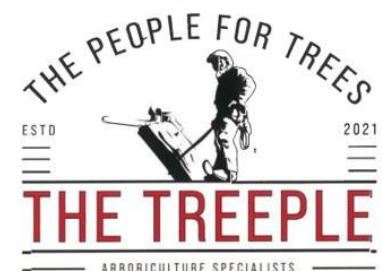
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