



Warmingham CE Primary School

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School Diary for the
Week Beginning:
29th June

Monday

Hedgehogs PE
Times Tables Club (KS2)

Tuesday

Squirrels & Badgers PE
Ethos Club (KS1)

Wednesday

Badgers' Reaseheath
Wellie Wednesday (KS2)
Outdoor Games Club

Thursday

Y3 & Y4 Wider Op Music
Whole School – PE

Multi-Skills Club

Friday

Music with Mrs Henry
Choir

Saturday

Warmingham Sings



Mrs B and Isobelle

'Let Your Light Shine'

Matthew 5:16

Thank you to all our parents and carers for your understanding and support as we adapted to the extreme weather this week. Your flexibility around early collection has been greatly appreciated.

As shared in our message, staff worked tirelessly to keep the school as cool as possible. While the mornings were manageable with various adaptations, the afternoons proved far more challenging for both children and adults. We are incredibly fortunate to have our woodland area, which has offered valuable shade during the hottest parts of the day.

Reception and Hedgehogs enjoyed a wonderful trip to the Liverpool Philharmonic to see *Once Upon a Time Through Music*, written and conducted by Mrs Henry. The children were absolutely thrilled to see her on stage - dressed as a Gingerbread Man. Her dedication to performing in such extreme heat did not go unnoticed, and the children were full of admiration.

We were delighted that one of our governors, Mrs Blease-Bourne, was able to accompany the group. She commented on how engaged, enthusiastic and exceptionally well-behaved our children were - particularly in comparison to other schools attending. Mrs Henry also shared how proud she was of their behaviour and attentiveness.

On their return, the children were eager to tell us all about the performance and how excited they were to see Mrs Henry in action.

A special thank you goes to Mrs Richardson and Mrs Bentley, who kindly brought in supplies of ice lollies and ice pops to help keep both children and staff cool throughout the day. Their thoughtful gesture was very much appreciated.

We hope you all have a wonderful weekend. With any luck, the temperature will drop just enough for everyone to enjoy this amazing weather safely.

At the moment, we are planning to remain open all day on Monday. However, if we need to close early again due to the heat, I will let families know on Sunday. Stay safe, enjoy the sunshine, and we look forward to seeing you on Monday morning.

Important Uniform Update – Please Read Before Purchasing for September

Before buying school uniform for September, we kindly ask all families to read the following information carefully, as there are some important updates to our school uniform policy. Each year, we review our uniform policy to ensure it reflects the needs and views of our whole school community. This year's review has also taken place alongside new Department for Education guidance, which aims to ensure that school uniforms are accessible and affordable for all families.

Under this guidance:

- Uniform items must not be gender-specific — this means that girls are welcome to wear trousers or shorts, and boys are welcome to wear pinafores or skirts
- Schools may require no more than three school-specific or branded items

Following our parent survey and this guidance, our required branded items are now:

- Tartan skirt/pinafore
- Logo jumper or cardigan
- Logo PE T-shirt

There are other branded items available from Badged (such as polo shirts, PE hoodies and book bags); however, these are **optional and not compulsory**.

Changes to our School Uniform

- School ties and blazers are no longer part of our school uniform.
- Children in Years 4 to 6 who already own a blazer may continue to wear them as an optional item until they grow out of them. Children from the Nursery to Year 3 are not permitted to wear blazers.
- Children may continue to wear white shirts instead of white polo shirts until they grow out of them.
- Children should wear school shoes as part of uniform — boots are not part of the school uniform.

PE Uniform

Over the past year, we have seen an increase in non-uniform PE items, particularly hoodies and tops without school branding. From September 2026, we kindly ask that families only purchase and send children in the items listed on the official uniform list.

Support with Uniform Costs

We recognise that the cost of school uniform can sometimes be challenging for families. If you are finding it difficult to purchase uniform items, please do not hesitate to contact the school in confidence — we are always happy to help.

We also have a range of pre-loved uniform available for a small donation to the PTA. This supports school fundraising while helping keep uniform affordable and sustainable. Please contact the school office if you would like more information or to view available items.

Updated Policy

Please see the attached updated School Uniform Policy, which will come into effect from September 2026.

Warmingham Sings – 4th July

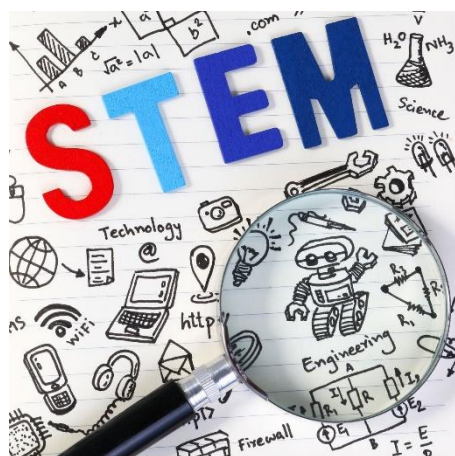
The children in Hedgehogs, Squirrels and Badgers have been working incredibly hard with Mrs Henry in preparation for *Warmingham Sings* next Saturday, 4th July. This will be the third year we have hosted this wonderful event, and it continues to be one of the most uplifting evenings in our school calendar.

The children will not only showcase the fantastic work they have been doing with Mrs Henry, but they will also have the exciting opportunity to sing alongside an adult choir. Once again, our pupils will be performing with Phoenix Voices at St Leonard's, helping to raise funds for the church tower. Singing with an adult choir is a truly enriching experience for our children, building their confidence and deepening their love of music.

If you would like your child to take part, please complete the School Spider survey. If you would like to come along and enjoy the performance, tickets are available from Mrs Marsden.



Reaseheath Badgers' Experience Day ~ Bringing STEM Learning to Life



At Warmingham, we are deeply committed to providing our children with rich, meaningful learning experiences that extend far beyond the classroom. Opportunities that connect learning to the wider world are central to our vision, helping pupils understand how STEM subjects shape everyday life and open doors to exciting future pathways.

We are therefore delighted that our Badgers' have been invited to take part in the upcoming Reaseheath College Experience Day. This event offers an exceptional chance for our children to explore STEM careers through hands-on, practical activities led by specialists in their fields. Experiences like this help pupils see how science, technology, engineering and Maths connect to real-world challenges, inspiring confidence, curiosity and ambition.

We are incredibly grateful to Reaseheath College for welcoming us once again and for supporting our commitment to providing high-quality, authentic learning opportunities for every child.

Polite Reminder: School Money Balances

As we approach the end of the school year, it is important that all outstanding balances on School Money are paid by the end of term.

If you are unable to do so, please speak to Mrs Appleby, who may be able to agree a payment plan with you to help manage the remaining balance.





Over the course of the year, we will journey through the Bible to help us understand God's Story -both Old and New Testament -and how it connects to Christian faith and everyday life.

Next week's Bible verse:

Big Bags of Money ~ Matthew 25:14-30

On the Road to Damascus ~ Act 9:1-19



1st July Badgers –STEM Experience Day @Reaseheath College
4th July Warmingham Sings
7th July Year 6 Leavers' Service at Chester Cathedral
10th July Children's end of Year Reports
15th July Break the Rules Day
15th July Y6 Prom (Y5 welcome)
17th July Celebration Service @ 10am

September 2026

1st September – INSET Day
2nd September – INSET Day
3rd September – Children return to school
7th September – Meet the Teacher Meetings 3:30pm and 4pm
9th September – New Parents BBQ 5pm
11th September – Y6 Bikeability