

Gardening

Miss Patterson does an incredible job keeping all of our gardens going. A big thank you goes to her and her team of helpers from across the school.

If anyone is able to kindly donate any top soil then we would be very grateful!

Open afternoon

The open afternoon is coming up later in the year on Friday 1st May.

The doors will open at 1.00pm for a short talk from the police on internet and social media safety. This will be extremely helpful and illuminating for all parents and we look forward to welcoming you to this event.

Then at 1.30 you will be able to visit your child's class as usual and spend some time doing activities with them and seeing their learning.

Swimming star

Natalya is proudly bringing in her medals today from her swimming gala over the weekend.

There were 20 swimming clubs in attendance including big clubs like Stockport Metros so this is a big achievement for her. Natalya achieved PBs in all her races along with a bronze in 50m butterfly and gold in 200m freestyle. She also achieved 4th in 50m and 100m freestyle and 5th in 50m backstroke.



Survey

There is a link below and also in the email which takes you to an annual family survey. We would appreciate everyone taking a few minutes to complete.

Your feedback is very valuable to us to help us improve as a school. We will collate all of the results, analyse them as a team and share feedback at the end of spring.

<https://forms.gle/yVqn4c5C7TbTr6UMA>

Model Railway Exhibition – NEW VENUE – THE KING'S SCHOOL

April 11-12, 2026 (10am – 5pm on Sat, 10am – 4:30pm on Sun)

THE King's School, Alderley Road, Macclesfield, SK10 2RH

Admission prices held again at: Adults £10, Children under 16 are free.

Full details on: www.macclesfieldmrg.org.uk

Forest Explorers



For children in school years
4, 5 and 6

**Starts
Tues 10th
March**

4pm - 5pm
St John the Evangelist
Wilwick Lane, SK11 8RS
Tuesdays in term-time
£1 per session

**Come and join us as we explore God
and the great outdoors**

For more information contact Andrea on 07366 561955 or ecofamiliesworker@gmail.com

We take our duty to safeguard all people extremely seriously and have adopted the Church of England's safeguarding policy

Attendance

We must make sure the children are *on time* to school which means being here for 8.45am. Remember that if you are late (past 9am) this counts as a U code. Ten of these will lead to a fine from the local authority.

Every day counts! The learning is all sequenced so if you miss a day it can impact on how well the child does at the end of the unit.

The good news is that having excellent attendance has massive benefits for your child. Children who have attendance which is 95% or more do much better than their peers with lower attendance.

We are always here to help so please do let us know if we can do anything to support you with attendance.

Every Day At School Counts

More days in school = more friends, more learning

90% attendance = 19 days missed

80% attendance = 38 days missed

27% of primary pupils miss 10+ days of school

6 days absence = drop in reading and maths

PE timetable

These are the regular slots. Keep an eye on any emails from your teachers in the event of a change for a particular week.

| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|--|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| PE/Forest School: | Miss Williams | Mrs Walsh | Mrs Cole | Miss Williams | Mrs Walsh |
| Children to dress in PE kit on these days. | Mrs Johnson/Mrs Reed | Mrs Cole | Mrs Wilby | Mrs Johnson/Mrs Reed | Mrs Wilby |
| | Mrs Arnold/Mrs Clark | Mrs Westerby | Mrs Arnold/Mrs Clark | Mrs Westerby | Miss Foster |
| | | | Miss Bartley/Mrs Peacock | | Miss Bartley/Mrs Peacock |
| | | | Y4s swimming | | |

Extra-curricular clubs Spring TERM

| | Club | Leader | Year groups | Timing | How to sign up |
|-----------|---|----------------------------|-------------|-----------|---|
| Monday | Football (girls) | Mr Sivewright | Y4/5/6 | 3.15-4.15 | Complete a new letter and hand back to Mr Sivewright if you are not already doing it. |
| Tuesday | Netball | Miss Foster | Y5/6 | 3.15-4.15 | Complete a letter and hand back to Miss Foster |
| | Gardening | Mrs Patterson | KS2 | lunchtime | Expression of interest to staff |
| Wednesday | Football (boys) | Mr Harrison | Y5/6 | 3.15-4.15 | Restarts on 21 st January. |
| | Gymnastics Y3 | Mr Sivewright | Y3 | 3.15-4.15 | Complete a new letter and hand back to Mr Sivewright |
| Thursday | Football | PFC | Y3-6 | 3.15-4.15 | https://premier-football-coaching.classforkids.io/ |
| Friday | Explore | Mrs Clark and Mrs Hawkyard | Y3-6 | lunchtime | Expression of interest to staff |
| | Street dance | Sylk Dance Academy | Y2-4 | 3.15-4.15 | Sign up online: https://dancestudio-pro.com/online/classes.php?account_id=11199 |
| | Multi-sports | PFC | YR-6 | 3.15-4.15 | https://premier-football-coaching.classforkids.io/ |
| Various | Mr Sivewright will also run Forest School clubs at lunch time depending on the weather and other events in school. This will be an offer open to those interested on the day. | | | | |



More Than Sports
Coaching



EASTER CAMP

26th March - 10th April 2026

8:30am-5:30pm
9am-3pm

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