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School Office Friday Update – 6th November 2026

Autumn 2 - Week 2	
Monday 9th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • SHINING STARS – Parent & Toddlers – 9:30 – 10:45am • Singing & Music Club with Mrs Hope – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Tuesday 10th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • OPEN DAY for prospective Nursery/Reception parents from 9:15am • Craftastic Club – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Wednesday 11th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PUDSEY BEAR visit 8:40pm - SCHOOL UNIFORM please • PE – KINGFISHERS • Tai Chi Club – 3:15 to 4:15pm
Thursday 12th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE – ALL • Children need Mile Challenge with the Juniors - DRESS TODAY FOR CHILDREN IN NEED • Keep Fit Club with Kevin Club – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Friday 13th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE DUCKLINGS • OPEN DAY for prospective Nursery/Reception parents from 9:15am • Family Reading & Phonics Activity – 2:30pm – Parents/carers welcome
Autumn 2 – Week 3	
Monday 16th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • SHINING STARS – Parent & toddlers – 9:30 – 10:45am • Singing & Music Club with Mrs Hope – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Tuesday 17th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • Craftastic Club – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Wednesday 18th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE – KINGFISHERS • Tai Chi Club – 3:15 to 4:15pm
Thursday 19th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE – ALL • Keep Fit Club with Kevin Club – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Friday 20th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE DUCKLINGS

Also, in this update:

- **Shining Stars Parent & Toddler Group**
- **New Autumn-Winter menu**
- **Parent Governor – Vacancy Advert**
- **School Open Day dates for prospective parents for reception and nursery. Bakewell CE Infant School Based Nursery – opening Monday 4th January**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY	
w/c 16/11/26	Friendship Week.
23/11/2026	Open day for prospective parents – 2:30pm
09/12/2026	Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children
10/12/2026	Sleeping Beauty – Panto at Buxton Opera House
11/12/2026	PTFA Film Night – 3:15 to 5pm
15/12/2026	School Nativity, 2pm & 5pm - TBC
18/12/2026	End of term Christmas Assembly – 2:30pm All Saint's Church - TBC
18/12/2026	Autumn term ends.
04/01/2027	SCHOOL REOPENS FOR Spring 1

Term dates 2026 – 2027 academic year - School Open

Autumn 1: 7th September 2026 to 23rd October 2026 (36 days)
Autumn 2: 2nd November 2026 to 18th December 2026 (35 days)
Spring 1: 4th January 2027 to 12th February 2027 (30 days)
Spring 2: 23rd February 2027 to 25th March 2027 (24 days)
Summer 1: 12th April 2027 to 26th May 2027 (34 days)
Summer 2: 7th June 2027 to 23rd July 2027 (36 days)

INSET & other School Closure days

Inset 2: Monday 22nd February 2027
BANK HOLIDAY: Monday 3rd May 2027
Inset 3: Thursday 27th May 2027
Inset 4: Friday 28th May 2027
Inset 5: Monday 26th July 2027

BAKEWELL CE INFANT SCHOOL

SHINING STARS TODDLER GROUP

RE-OPENS:
MONDAY 9TH NOVEMBER-MONDAY 14TH DECEMBER

£2.00

JOIN US FOR RHYMES, CRAFT, COFFEE, CHAT

9.30-10.45 AM

AUTUMN WINTER MENU 2026 / 2027

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		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK ONE	Option One	Beetroot and Lentil Burger in a Bun with Potato Wedges **(VE)**	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Fishfingers or Salmon Fishfingers with Chips and Tomato Sauce
	Option Two	Soya Mince Lasagne **(V)**	Plant Balls in Tomato Sauce with Rice **(VE)**	Vegetarian Wellington with Roast Potatoes and Gravy **(VE)**	Quorn and Lentil Tikka Masala with Rice **(VE)**	Cheese and Bean Pasty with Chips and Tomato Sauce **(V)**
	Sides	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**
	Dessert	Cheese and Crackers **(V)**	Apple Cake with Custard **(V)**	Fruit Medley **(VE)**	Jelly with Mandarins **(VE)**	Syrup Sponge with Custard **(V)**
WEEK TWO	Option One	Classic Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Wedges **(V)**	Spaghetti Bolognaise	BBQ Chicken, Seasoned Potatoes and Sweetcorn Salsa	Chicken and Sweetcorn Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Rice	Breaded Fish or Fishfingers with Chips and Tomato Sauce
	Option Two	Five Bean Chilli with Rice **(VE)**	Vegan Bolognaise with Spaghetti **(VE)**	Lemon and Herb Quorn, Seasoned Potatoes and Sweetcorn Salsa **(VE)**	Creamy Chickpea and Coconut Curry with Rice **(VE)**	Cheese Whirl with Chips and Tomato Sauce **(V)**
	Sides	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**
	Dessert	Gingerbread Cookie **(VE)**	Chocolate and Beetroot Brownie with Chocolate Sauce **(V)**	Fruit Salad **(VE)**	Sticky Toffee Apple Crumble with Custard **(V)**	Vanilla Shortbread **(VE)**
WEEK THREE	Option One	Macaroni Cheese **(V)**	Chicken Enchilada Bake with Paprika Wedges	Sausage with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Mild Caribbean Chicken with Golden Rice	Fishfingers with Chips and Tomato Sauce
	Option Two	Mexican Bean Roll with New Potatoes **(VE)**	Tomato Pasta **(VE)**	Vegan Sausage and Roast Potatoes with Gravy **(VE)**	Caribbean Stew with Golden Rice **(VE)**	Red Pepper Frittata with Chips and Tomato Sauce **(V)**
	Sides	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**	Vegetables of the Day **(V/VE)**
	Dessert	Oaty Cookie **(VE)**	Pear Crumble with Custard **(V)**	Fruit Salad **(VE)**	Jamaican Ginger Cake with Custard **(V)**	Iced Sponge **(V)**

MENU KEY:

- Whole grain
- Plant based
- Added plant protein
- **(VE)** Vegan
- **(V)** Veggie

AVAILABLE DAILY: Jacket Potatoes with a choice of fillings, Salad Bar, Freshly Baked Bread, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt

If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods, please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.

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BAKEWELL CE INFANT SCHOOL OPEN DAYS

WEDNESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER	2.30PM
TUESDAY 10TH NOVEMBER	9.15AM
FRIDAY 13TH NOVEMBER	9.15AM
MONDAY 23RD NOVEMBER	2.30PM

Interested in starting your little one at our school based Nursery from January 2027? Or looking for a school place for September 2027?

WE CAN'T WAIT TO WELCOME YOU

Bakewell Church of England Infant School: though small in size, demonstrates a powerful culture of compassionate love and acceptance. Its inclusive ethos ensures that pupils, staff and families feel known, valued and supported.
(SIAMS March 2026)

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Bakewell Infant School are looking for a Parent Governor

Could that be you?

We are looking for **a** new parent governor to join our committed Local Trust Committee (formerly known as the Governing Body).

The main responsibilities of a Governor

- Setting the strategic direction of the school;
- Holding the leadership to account for the performance of the school;
- Making sure that resources are used well, and that money is well spent;
- Supporting and promoting the Christian ethos of the school.

Requirements? No specific qualifications required - just the right attitude, enthusiasm, and time to devote to the role.

Specific requirements for this school? We ideally need more governors with skills in Health and Safety and Sustainability, or a strong commitment to promoting the Christian faith and values in schools.

When do we meet? Usually Wednesdays, 9.30am, either face-to-face or on-line.

What is the time commitment? Approx. 6 days per year spent at meetings, in school or undertaking relevant training.

Why volunteer? It's a great opportunity to gain leadership experience and transferable skills, whilst having the satisfaction of making a real difference to your children's school and education.

How to apply

Please contact the school in the first instance for an application form and more details. We will be delighted to support you through the process.

Please email: enquiries@bakewell-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk

or

Telephone the school on **01629 812322** during school hours