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School Office Friday Update – 13th November 2026

Autumn 2 - Week 3 – FRIENDSHIP WEEK	
Monday 16th November	ODD SOCKS DAY!! • 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
Autumn 2 – Week 4	
Monday 23rd November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • SHINING STARS – Parent & toddlers – 9:30 – 10:45am • OPEN DAY for Prospective parents – from 2:30pm • Singing & Music Club with Mrs Hope – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Tuesday 24th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • Craftastic Club – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Wednesday 25th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE – KINGFISHERS • Tai Chi Club – 3:15 to 4:15pm
Thursday 26th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE – ALL • Keep Fit Club with Kevin Club – 3:15 to 4:30pm
Friday 27th November	• Breakfast Club from 8am • PE DUCKLINGS

Also, in this update:

- **Adverse Weather procedures**
- **ODD SOCKS DAY!!**
  Celebrating our Individuality & Uniqueness as part of friendship week
- **New Autumn-Winter menu**
- **Parent Governor – Vacancy Advert**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY	
07/12/2026	Christingle service – All Saint's Church 6pm - TBC
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 – Medway Centre
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

Adverse Weather Procedures

With the weather turning colder, we would like to remind you of our arrangements for icy or snowy weather:

• We aim to keep Bakewell CofE Infants open whenever possible, provided we have enough staff to operate safely.

• Our site team will grit certain routes daily, but please take extra care when accessing school sites. Use the safest entry and exit routes.

• Contact the school office if you need assistance, or if school is open but you are unable to get here.

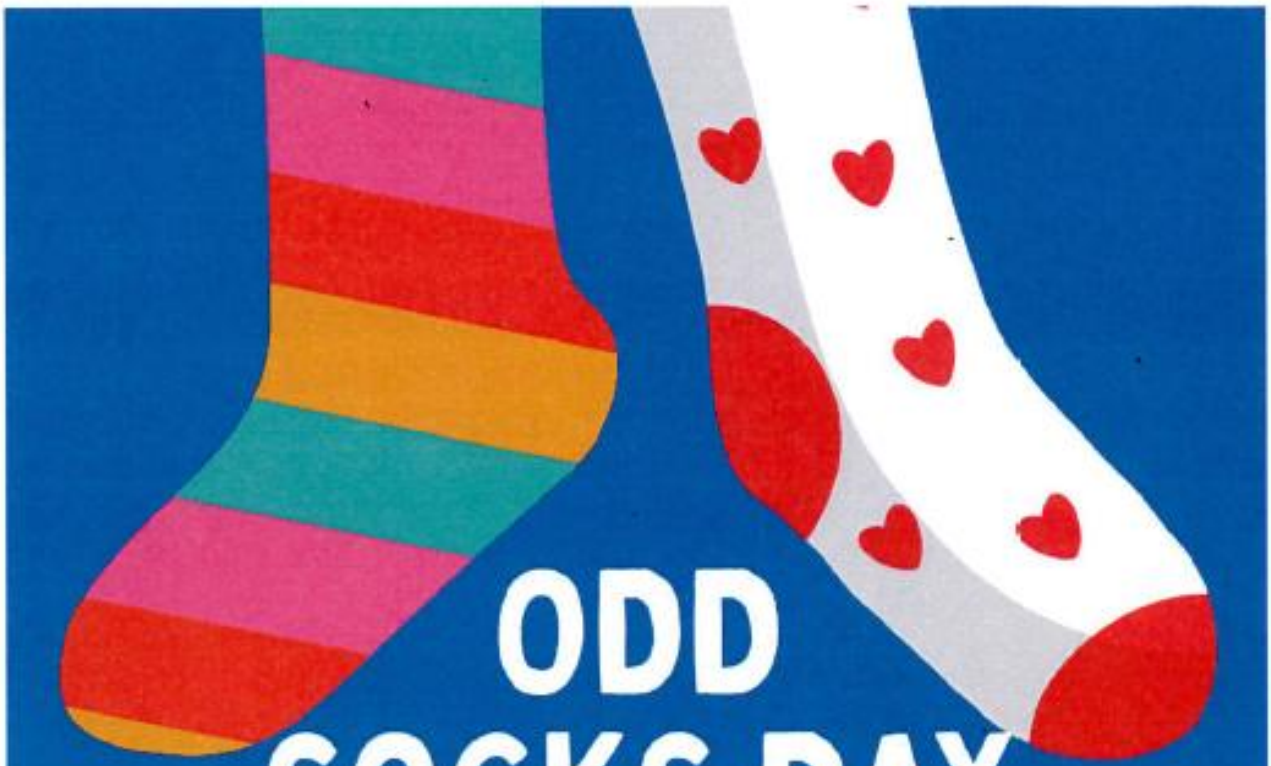
• Due to Bakewell's hilly terrain and limited parking, we recommend travelling on foot where possible.

If a closure is necessary, we will notify you via:

• Arbor message / email

• Our Facebook page

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



ODD SOCKS DAY

PULL ON YOUR BRIGHTEST, BOLDEST AND MOST MISMATCHED SOCKS!

Celebrate individuality, have fun and learn about what makes us UNIQUE

Monday 16 November

Every November schools throughout the United Kingdom take part in Friendship and Anti-Bullying Week. This is an opportunity to talk about positive relationships and how to tak about our worries. Friendship and Anti-Bullying Week 2026 will take place from Monday 16th - Friday 20th November, with the theme: Break the Silence

Bakewell CE Infant School Based Nursery



Opening Soon!

From Monday 4th January 2027
9am-12pm
For little ones aged 3 and above.

For more details or to reserve your spot:
01629 812322

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.

Where every child can shine

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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