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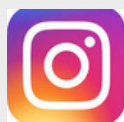
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COMING SOON

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

BASC Early Closure Notice

We would like to let all families know that BASC (Before and After School Club) will be closing early on the last day of term, Friday 19th December. On this day, the club will finish at 5:00pm.

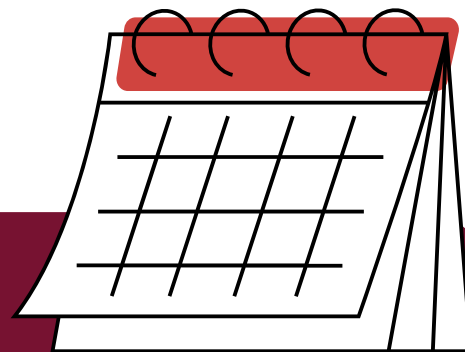
As the session will be shorter than usual, children will only be charged for a half session.

BASC will take a short break over the holidays and will re-open on Tuesday 6th January 2025.

Thank you for your understanding and support. We hope everyone has a wonderful festive season!



Dates For Your Diary



DECEMBER

Friday 5th - Christmas Jumper Day

Monday 8th - PTFA Hamper Wrapping (1pm-3pm)

Tuesday 9th - Movie Munch - KS2 (3.30-5.30pm)

Tuesday 9th - EYFS/KS1 Christmas Production (10am and 2.30pm)

Wednesday 10th - Reception Trip to Amerton Farm

Thursday 11th - Rock Steady Concert (2.45pm)

Friday 12th - Year 2 Extravaganza (2.30pm)

Monday 15th - Christmas Raffle Draw

Wednesday 17th - Christmas Dinner Day

Friday 19th - Carol Concert at St Augustine's (10am)

JANUARY

Monday 5th - INSET DAY (school closed)

Thursday 8th - PTFA Meeting (2.30pm)

FEBRUARY

Tuesday 10th - Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 10th - Valentine's Discos (KS1 3.30-4.45pm / KS2 5.00-6.15pm)

MARCH

Thursday 5th - World Book Day

Friday 6th - Progress Reports Home



**WHAT'S
NEW?**



Christmas Jumper Donations

Our Christmas jumper donation rail has been a wonderful success, and we're pleased that so many families were able to find a festive jumper for Christmas Jumper Day.

The rail will continue to be available by the main office in the lead-up to the Christmas holidays, so please feel free to help yourselves if your child still needs a jumper or would like to swap theirs for a different one.

Thank you once again to everyone who donated—your generosity helps ensure every child can enjoy the festive fun!



Dance Club

Please note that there will be no Dance Club on Tuesday 25th November and Tuesday 9th December. These sessions are cancelled due to Parents' Evening and Movie Munch taking place on those dates.

Dance Club will return as normal the following weeks. Thank you for your understanding — we can't wait to see all our dancers back on the floor soon!



PTFA KS2 Movie Munch

We are delighted to share that the PTFA have organised a Movie Munch Evening for all KS2 children on Tuesday 9th December 2025. This festive after-school event will run from 3:30pm to 5:30pm, and all children will need to be collected at 5:30pm due to the dark nights.

Two Christmas films will be shown:

Year 3 & Year 4: That Christmas

Year 5 & Year 6: The Christmas Chronicles

The cost of the event is £5.00 per child, payable via ParentPay. This price includes a hotdog, drink and cake, making it a fun and tasty way to enjoy the festive season with friends!

Please note that bookings will not be accepted after Friday 5th December, so make sure to secure your child's place before the deadline.

We look forward to a cosy, Christmassy evening for all our KS2 children!



Ducklings Stay and Play

We are excited to invite families from our Ducklings class to a festive Christmas Stay and Play on Tuesday 16th December. This is a wonderful chance to spend time in the classroom, join in with seasonal activities, and share some Christmas cheer with your child.

There will be two sessions available:

9:30am – 10:15am

2:30pm – 3:15pm

If parents or carers would like to attend one of these sessions, please speak to a member of the Ducklings staff team to book your place. We look forward to celebrating with you!



BASC Christmas Window Display

The children in BASC have created a Christmas display for ExtraCare Charity Shop in Rugeley Town.



Milk

If you would like your child to receive milk during the Spring term, please be aware of the following information. Milk will be provided daily from Tuesday 6th January to Friday 27th March.

Costs for the term are as follows:

Years 1–4: £18.36

Year 5: £17.35 (due to their residential visit to Laches Wood)

Year 6: £16.66 (due to their residential visit to Standon Bowers)



Reception children and children eligible for free school meals will receive a text message with further details.

Please note that orders cannot be accepted after Monday 15th December 2025, so make sure to arrange payment before this deadline if you would like your child to take part.

Year 2 Extravaganza

We are delighted to invite all Year 2 parents and carers to our Year 2 Extravaganza, taking place on Friday 12th December at 2:30pm in the school hall. This special event is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the festive season together and enjoy the hard work the children have been putting in over the past few weeks.

Our talented Year 2 pupils will be performing a selection of Christmas songs, guaranteed to fill the hall with festive cheer. Parents will then be invited to join their children for some Christmas craft activities, creating decorations and keepsakes to take home.

To make the afternoon even more enjoyable, refreshments will be available for families to enjoy while getting into the Christmas spirit. We look forward to seeing you there for a joyful and creative celebration!

Christmas Raffle

Our annual Christmas Raffle is officially underway, and tickets are now on sale until Friday 12th December. Tickets cost £1 each and can be purchased easily via ParentPay.

Once payment has been made, the school office will email your ticket numbers. We have a fantastic selection of prizes this year, including a £100 cash first prize, along with a variety of festive hampers and other goodies generously donated by our school community.

The raffle will be drawn on Monday 15th December by our school prefects. Every ticket sold helps to support school projects and activities, so thank you in advance for your wonderful support.

Good luck to everyone who takes part!



Nursery, Reception and KS1

Christmas Performances

We are excited to share details of this year's Christmas play, Hey Ewe!, which will take place on Tuesday 9th December. There will be two performances, one at 10am and another at 2:30pm, giving families a chance to enjoy this lively and heart-warming production.

Following each performance, our Nursery children will present their delightful Nativity, adding an extra touch of festive magic to the occasion.

All tickets have now been issued, and both performance times are fully booked. We kindly ask families to bring their tickets with them on the day.

We look forward to a joyful celebration and can't wait for you to see the children shine on stage!

Christmas Carol Concert

We are delighted to invite all families to our Christmas Carol Concert on Friday 19th December at 10am, held at St Augustine's Church. This special event brings our whole school community together to celebrate the festive season in a joyful and uplifting way.

Each class from Reception to Year 6 will perform a Christmas song. Our Year 6 pupils will lead the service, helping to guide us through the morning's readings and reflections.

This is always a highlight of the school year, and we warmly welcome all families to join us for this festive celebration. We look forward to seeing you there!



Reception September 2026

If your child is currently in our Nursery and due to start Reception in September 2026, it's important to make sure you complete your school application on time.

Applications must be made online through the Staffordshire County Council website at www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions.

When prompted for a UID number, please select 'No UID' to continue with your application.



Key dates:

Apply by: 15 January 2026

National Offer Day: 16 April 2026

Please remember:

- You must apply, even if your child currently attends our Nursery or has an older sibling already at Chancel. A place in Nursery does not guarantee a Reception place.
- You are encouraged to list more than one school preference – listing only one school will not improve your chances of getting a place.
- Be sure to check the admissions arrangements for each school you list, and provide any required additional information or forms.
- You can also use the “School Search and Compare” tool on the Staffordshire website to help with your choices.
- For details about home to school transport, visit www.staffordshire.gov.uk/schooltransport.

If you need any help with your application or have questions about the process, please contact the School Admissions and Transport Service at Staffordshire County Council.



Trips



Year 4

Wroxeter Roman City

As part of their exciting History topic, Year 4 will be visiting Wroxeter Roman City on Wednesday 25th March 2026. This trip will provide pupils with a fantastic opportunity to bring their learning to life as they explore one of the most significant Roman sites in Britain. The cost of the visit is £21, payable via ParentPay.



During the spring term, the children will be studying “The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain.” The trip will support their understanding of: Julius Caesar’s attempted invasions in 55–54 BC; The Roman Empire by AD 42 and the strength of its army; The successful invasion by Claudius and subsequent Roman conquest; The building and purpose of Hadrian’s Wall; British resistance to Roman rule.

This visit promises to be an engaging and memorable part of the children’s learning. We are looking forward to a fantastic day of discovery at Wroxeter!

Year 1

Trentham Gardens

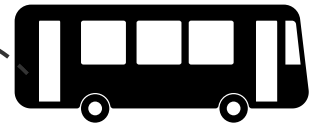
Year One will be visiting Trentham Gardens on Thursday 23rd April 2026, taking part in a variety of Natural Art activities. The children will be experimenting with different shapes, patterns, colours, and textures in nature which will support their topic of understanding seasonal changes. The children will also be able to take part in a barefoot walk, explore a hide and speak maze, discover beautiful wildlife and may even be able to catch a sight of Trentham’s own family of beavers.

The cost of this visit is £24.00 per child. Children will be required to wear full school uniform and waterproof coat.

All children will be provided with a packed lunch from school.



Trips



Reception

Santa's Grotto at Amerton Farm



Reception class will be visiting Santa in his Grotto at Amerton Farm on **Wednesday 10th December 2025**.

Santa's elves will escort the children to visit Santa in his grotto and receive a special gift. The children will be given the opportunity to post a letter to Santa using the magical post box there. There will be a chance to see Santa's reindeer and many of the other farm animals during the visit and also experience a tractor and trailer ride. School have also arranged for the children to take a ride on the train. The cost of the trip is £30.00. Children will need to wear school uniform and have suitable footwear and waterproof coat. A packed lunch will be provided from school.

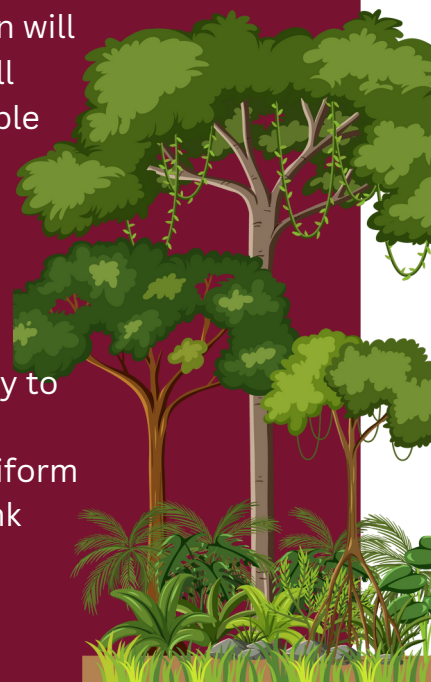
Year 3

Birmingham Botanical Gardens

Year 3 will be visiting the Birmingham Botanical Gardens on **Thursday 12th March 2026** as part of their topic work on The Rainforest. During the visit, the children will have the opportunity to take part in a guided workshop where they will learn more about the different layers of the rainforest and the incredible plants and animals that live there. They will be able to explore the tropical glasshouses, discovering a wide variety of exotic plants first-hand, and see how the rainforest environment is recreated.

As part of the day, children will also enjoy walking through the beautiful gardens and having the chance to spot a range of unusual and interesting species. This will be a valuable and exciting opportunity to support their classroom learning with real-life experiences.

The cost of the trip is £29.00. Children will need to wear full school uniform with suitable footwear and a waterproof coat. A packed lunch and drink will be required, which children should bring with them from home.



Residentials



Year 5 - Laches Wood

We are excited to announce that Year 5 children will have the chance to take part in a residential visit to Laches Wood from **Wednesday 18th March to Friday 20th March 2026**. The trip will include a variety of fun and challenging activities, as well as all meals. Parents will need to arrange transport for their child to and from Laches Wood.

A deposit of £50.00 is required by **Thursday 23rd October 2025** to secure your child's place. The full payment of £167.00 must be made by **Monday 9th March 2026**. (Children who are entitled to Free School Meals will receive a subsidy; the school office will contact those families directly.)

If your child does not intend to go, please inform the school office by **23rd October 2025**. After this date, parents will be charged the full amount. We are looking forward to a memorable trip and hope as many Year 5 children as possible can join us.

Year 6 - Standon Bowers

We are delighted to announce that our Year 6 children will have the opportunity to take part in a residential visit to Standon Bowers from **Monday 9th March to Friday 13th March 2026**.

This exciting trip will include a wide range of activities and all meals. Transport will be provided by the school.

A deposit of £50.00 is required by **Thursday 23rd October 2025** to secure your child's place. Payments can be made via ParentPay, starting from as little as £5.00 upwards.

The full payment must be received by **Friday 27th February 2026**.

The total cost of the trip is £280.00 (subsidised for children eligible for Free School Meals).

If your child does not intend to go, please inform the school office by **23rd October 2025**.

This promises to be a fantastic experience for our Year 6 pupils, and we hope all children will be able to take part.



INFAMOUS ARTS PRESENT
THE TOYMAKER



**A Family Festive Show of Traditional Stories
from Around the World!**
Free! Suitable for ages 5+, duration 45 mins.

Show times: 11am & 1.30pm
Saturday 6th December, Rugeley Library

Book your free place

rugeley.library@staffordshire.gov.uk | Tel 01889 869063



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Cannock Chase and its Hidden History
A presentation by Steve Booth at
Cannock Library

Join local historian, author and former teacher at Rugeley Fair Oak School and the Aelfgar 6th form centre, Steve Booth for a fascinating presentation about the hidden history of Cannock Chase.

Wednesday 3rd December
2pm - 3pm with time for a Q&A afterwards.
£2.00 per person
Refreshments will be available.

For further information please contact Cannock Library on 01543 334525 or e-mail cannock.library@staffordshire.gov.uk



ST AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH PRESENTS

The Annual
Christmas Tree
Festival 2025

TUESDAY 9TH - TUESDAY 16TH
DECEMBER
12NOON - 5PM DAILY

FAMILY MORNING
SATURDAY 13TH
10AM-12PM
GINGERBREAD DECORATING
REFRESHMENTS
CHRISTMAS CRAFTS
CHOIR @ 11AM



RUGELEY AND DISTRICT LIONS CLUB



CHRISTMAS
TOY APPEAL



Help Local Children In Need

**Please give new and unwrapped toys to
the authorised Rugeley drop off points at:**

- Tesco - Power Station Rd
- Morrisons - Market Street
- Tesco Express - Springfields
- Gill Colliers - Brook Square
- Wolseley Bridge Garden Centre - A513
- St Augustine's Church - Station Rd
- Keeran's Kardz - Brewery St Arcade
- Rachel Lamey - Horsefair
- Sparrow's Tearoom - Bishton Hall
- Staffordshire Coffee Lounge - Market Square
- Gymphobics - Market Street

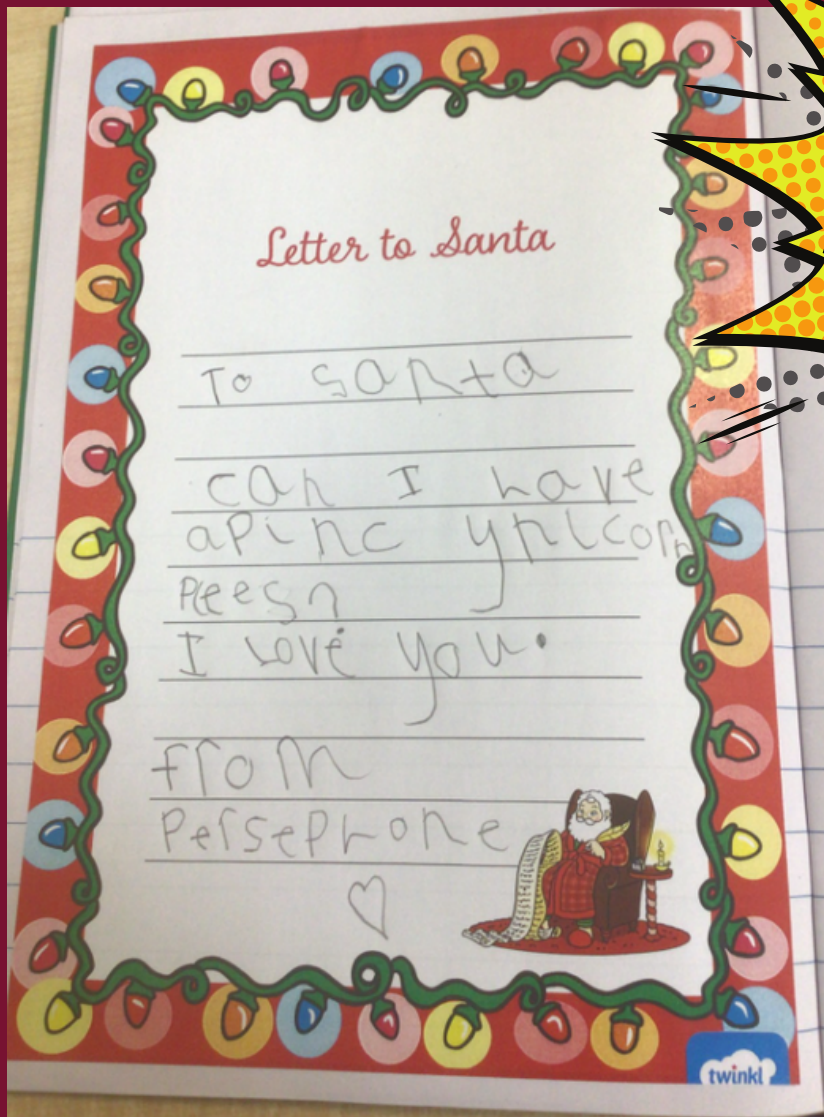
Toy Donations To Be
Received By 16th December

Enquiries - call Debora
Turn on 07970 380746

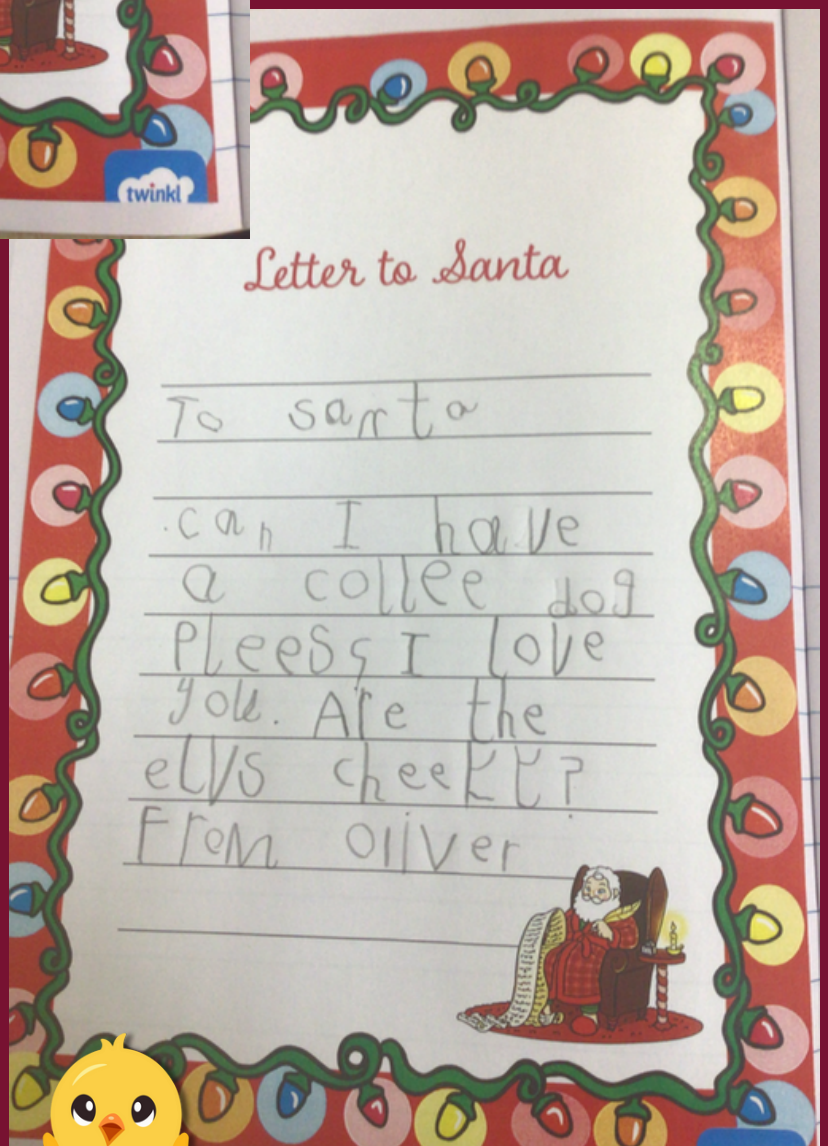


**WOW
WORK!**

**Persephone
Reception**



**Oliver
Reception**





AWARDS



Stars



Warriors



Reception

Ava & Amelia

Jesse

Year 1

Gracie & Marnie

Daisy

Year 2

Max & Aari

Henry

Year 3

Afshan & Everly

Ruben

Year 4

Rosie & Scarlett W

Madison

Year 5

Declan & Harvey

Emma

Year 6

Zamar & Reuben

Freddie

Arrive On Time At Ten To Nine
Make Every Minute Count



1st

Chaffinches

2nd

Eagles

3rd

Toucans

4th

Owls

5th

Kingfishers

6th

Kestrels

7th

Robins

190

School days in each academic year

0 days absence

100%
attendance

184

Days of education

6 days absence

97%
attendance

181

Days of education

9 days absence

95%
attendance

171

Days of education

19 days absence

90%
attendance

152

Days of education

38 days absence

80%
attendance

Shugborough

WINNER

288

Trent

233

Augustine

253

Wolseley

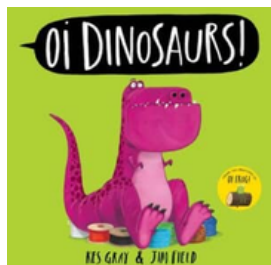
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Recommended Reads - EYFS & KS1

Nursery



Oi Dinosaurs! by Kes Gray

Join Frog, Cat and Dog for oodles of prehistoric rhyming fun packed with dinosaurs, mammoths and – of course – prehistoric frogs! With over 3 million copies sold across this beloved series, this hilarious new rhyming story from Kes Gray and Jim Field is the perfect picture book to share together. Guaranteed to get little dinosaur-fans giggling!

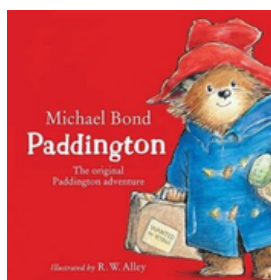
Reception



Mr Norton's New Hat by Huw Lewis Jones

One Monday morning, Horace Norton finds that a mouse has made a house in his hat. On Tuesday, there are a selection of stoats in his satchel . . . and on Wednesday, a collection of cats curled up in his coat! What will Mr Norton do when, as the week progresses, the animals take over his bathroom, his bed – and even HIS BEARD?! With a message of kindness and an accumulative text that begs to be read aloud, this is a future classic in the making.

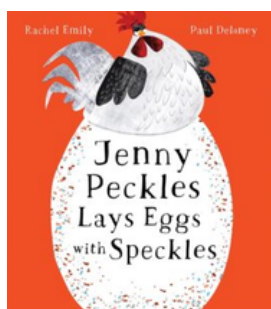
Year 1



Paddington by Michael Bond

Paddington Bear first met the Brown family at a railway station – Paddington Station, in fact. He had travelled all the way from Darkest Peru with only a jar of marmalade, a suitcase and a label reading 'Please look after this bear'. Without further ado, Mr and Mrs Brown welcomed the adventurous bear into their family, and in honour of their meeting place they named him Paddington. The Browns soon discover that Paddington is a most unusual bear, for ordinary things – like having a bath – become quite extraordinary when a bear called Paddington is around!

Year 2



Jenny Peckles Lays Eggs With Speckles by Rachel Emily

Jenny Peckles lays eggs with speckles. Featherly Botts lays eggs with spots. Sally McSquawk lays eggs that can TALK?! Hang on a minute ... Down on Old Worrall's Farm, the hens are laying their eggs ... and FAKING spots, stripes, sparkles and speckles. Why? Because they all want to BE IN THIS BOOK! But it turns out spots, speckles and talking eggs aren't what makes these chickens special. For this bunch of intrepid chickens, real life is FAR more exciting ...





Recommended Reads - KS2

Year 3



The Time Machine Next Door Scientists and Stripy Socks by Iszi Lawrence

Time flies when you're having fun. But what does it do when you're not?

Sunil and his extraordinary Auntie Alex are back for another hilarious adventure as they whizz through time. But Auntie Alex's time machine has started behaving strangely and using it has become even more unpredictable and dangerous than ever. From the dark and gloomy heights of the Tower of London to the tropical Galápagos islands, will Sunil and Alex be able to get home? And can they avoid the sinister Mr Shaykes and his pet kiwi?!

Year 4



The Summer Dolphin by Holly Webb

When Lillie spends the summer in Wales with her family, she can't help but feel like the baby of the group. Her big sister Frankie would rather spend time with their older cousin Lana than play with her, and no one else seems to notice how lonely she is.

Then during a boat trip Lillie spots a young dolphin swimming alongside them, and for a short while all her worries melt away. Later, when Frankie and Lana are particularly mean to her, Lillie decides to set off on her own in hopes of seeing the dolphin calf again...

Year 5



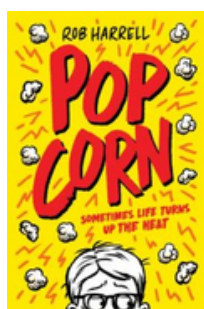
Crook Haven - The School For Thieves by J.J. Arcanjo

13-year-old Gabriel is a brilliant pickpocket, a skill which he uses to keep his often empty belly not quite so empty. And then one day, he's caught.

But instead of being arrested, he is invited by the mysterious Caspian Crook to attend Crookhaven – a school for thieves. At Crookhaven, students are trained in lock-picking, forgery and 'crim-nastics', all with the intention of doing good out in the world, by conning the bad and giving back to the innocent.

But ... can you ever really trust a thief?

Year 6



Pop Corn by Rob Harrell

Andrew's just trying to get through school photo day with one aim: a photo of him that his mum will like. But today of all days, the world seems out to get him.

There's a bully, a science experiment gone wrong, scary news about his grandmother, and someone else's juice snot. Andrew struggles with anxiety, and the little kernel of worry in his stomach is getting hotter and hotter. Can he make it through the day without popping?





Safeguarding



Our most important role at Chancel is keeping the children safe and protecting them from potential harm. Safeguarding the children is everyone's responsibility and is best achieved through working in partnership as a school community.

The safeguarding staff at Chancel are:

- *Mrs Palmer - Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL)*
- *Mrs Watson and Mr Newton- Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads (DDSLs)*
- *Mr Sparkes- Safeguarding Governor*
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If you are worried about a child's well-being or believe they may be at risk of harm, you should report this concern to school, either by personal visit, email or telephone. You can also contact:

- *Staffordshire Families Integrated Front Door (SFIFD) - 0300 111 8007*
- *Staffordshire Police - 101 or 999*

If you are contacted by staff about a safeguarding concern, please do not be offended. We are sure you would rather we take every precaution to ensure the children's safety. We are also here to support you, should you have any concerns or difficulties.

Types of scams in online games

Not every scam in an online game is financial, especially if your child doesn't have access to money. Explore a range of scams below to familiarise yourself with potential risks.

Trust trades



In a trust trade scam, **the scammer first builds a sense of friendship or reliability** before persuading someone to hand over valuable items. Children who are eager to connect with others, who may be more isolated or have a smaller friendship network, or who naturally take people at their word, can be particularly at risk of this type of scam.

Fake giveaways



These scams target children's accounts. **By promising free in-game currency, rare items or other prizes**, they can get children to share their login details or other personal information.

Phishing

A common scam across all online spaces, **in games this might look like sharing fake links or websites** claiming to offer rewards or benefits. This can lead to personal details being stolen or malware and viruses infecting devices.



Account takeovers

Similar to trust trade scams, **victims first develop a friendship or some other form of trust with the scammer**. The scammer then claims they can help them get a certain item, beat a level, get free in-game currency or something else. The victim shares their login details and ends up losing their account.



What Parents & Educators Need to Know about

TIKTOK

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

Online videos are often associated with apps such as YouTube, but among teens, TikTok is king. The app provides a potentially addictive, never-ending stream of short clips tailored to users' interests based on their viewing habits. Around half of British children use TikTok, and while most content is benign, Ofcom considers it the app where young people are "most likely to encounter a potential harm".

AGE RESTRICTION
13+

(Certain features are restricted to over-18s only)

AGE-INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

TikTok's Following feed shows videos from known creators, while the default For You feed serves endless clips based on viewing history. Most are harmless, but unsuitable content can still appear, and watching for long enough signals interest to the algorithm. Although TikTok bans illegal or inappropriate uploads, the volume of posts means some slip through, increasing the chance that children encounter age-inappropriate material before it is detected or removed.

BODY IMAGE AND DANGEROUS CHALLENGES

Ofcom reports that most online harms for girls involve body image, while boys more often see dangerous stunts. Both types appear frequently on TikTok and spread quickly through its engagement-driven algorithm. Harmful challenges have included the "blackout" trend, where users held their breath until passing out. Families filed lawsuits after children died linked to the trend, showing how extreme or risky content can rapidly reach young people and negatively influence them.

IN-APP SPENDING

TikTok is free, but children can still spend money. TikTok coins, costing £9.99 to £224.99, let users buy gifts for creators. TikTok Shop adds risk by allowing purchases from influencers or companies, sometimes leading to poor-quality items driven by persuasive marketing. A Canadian investigation found TikTok collected personal data from many children for targeting and advertising despite age limits, meaning young users may lose control over their personal information.

CONTACT WITH STRANGERS

Between 1.6 and 1.9 billion people use TikTok, meaning there's a high risk of unwanted attention from strangers. Accounts created by over-18s (or young people using a fake date of birth) are set to public view by default. This means that not only is someone's profile visible to everyone else on the app, it also suggests their videos to others and allows anyone to download or comment on them.

MISINFORMATION AND RADICALISATION

TikTok's short videos may appear lighthearted, but they can expose young people to harmful ideas. Misinformation is common, and Ofcom reports that nearly one third of 12-15-year-olds use TikTok as a news source, increasing the chance of seeing racist, misogynistic, extremist or conspiracy material. Even brief clips can influence impressionable users and shape their worldview, making discussions about critical thinking, propaganda and online influence especially important for parents and educators.

ADDICTIVE DESIGN

TikTok's fast-paced stream of eye-catching videos can be potentially addictive for young users. In 2024, UK children spent an average of 127 minutes per day on the platform, double the time recorded in 2020. Excessive use can disrupt sleep, increase irritability, and distract from healthier activities. Constantly skipping between short clips may also affect attention span, making it harder to focus on longer tasks such as homework or reading.

Advice for Parents & Educators

ENABLE FAMILY PAIRING

Family Pairing allows parents to link their TikTok account to their child's in order to manage settings remotely. Parents can then turn on Restricted Mode (reducing the chances of a child seeing inappropriate content), set screen time limits, make accounts private and manage whether their child can send messages – and if they can, to whom. Children cannot alter these settings without parental approval.

DISCUSS THE DANGERS

If a child wants to use TikTok and you're happy for them to do so, it's good practice to discuss the potential risks. Ensure they don't share any identifying personal information or respond to dangerous trends, and that they know to talk to a trusted adult if they're worried by interactions on the app. With more teens using TikTok for news, it's important to talk about misinformation and propaganda.

BLOCK IN-APP SPENDING

Parents can restrict in-app purchases on iPhone and Android devices to prevent accidental or impulsive TikTok spending. Young people can easily spend large amounts on TikTok coins or low-quality products promoted through TikTok Shop. If a disappointing purchase occurs, turn it into a discussion about influencer marketing and how online promotions can be misleading.

READ THE SIGNS

If you're concerned that a child is spending too much time on TikTok, or that they've been emotionally affected by something they've seen, it's important to know how to spot the signs. Increased irritability and a lack of concentration are potential red flags, as is failing to complete homework or skipping meals. Remember, the parental controls are there for a reason, and it's never too late to introduce limits.

Meet Our Expert

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SEND & inclusion

Any questions or concerns regarding Special Educational Needs or Disabilities?
Please speak to our SENDCo, Miss Miller, or drop-in to see Mrs Palmer on Friday mornings
between 9.15-9.45am.

CAUDWELL CHILDREN

WHO CAN VISIT US?

- * Parents and carers of disabled and/or autistic children.
- * Health, education, and care professionals.
- * Anyone looking to learn more about Caudwell Children's services.

HOW WE CAN HELP

Our team can offer information and support around:

- * Autism Assessments
- * Mobility and Sensory Equipment
- * Employability
- * Support plans and services
- * How to apply for help
- * Signposting to other local or national services
- * Events and activities for families



**CAUDWELL
CHILDREN**
Empowering Disabled &
Neurodivergent Children

STAFFORD FAMILY HUB

Faraday Road, Stafford, ST16 3NQ

Date: Caudwell Children will be with us on the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month from November.

Time: 1pm-3pm

Our team moves around Staffordshire – please check back regularly for updates.



CANNOCK CHASE FAMILY HUB

Cannock Road, Cannock, Staffordshire
WS11 5BU

Date: Caudwell Children will be with us on the 1st Monday of the month from November.

Time: 9:30am-12:30pm

Our team moves around Staffordshire – please check back regularly for updates.



Menu

Week 2

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Option	Cheesy chicken pasta with garlic bread, peas and sweetcorn	Pepperoni pizza served with wedges and salad or vegetables	Roast chicken served with roast potatoes, fresh seasonal vegetables and gravy	Spaghetti Bolognese served with garlic bread and sweetcorn	Fishfingers and chips served with baked beans or peas
Vegetarian Option	Cheese and tomato pasta served with garlic bread, peas and sweetcorn	Margherita pizza served with sliced potatoes and salad or vegetables	Quorn roast served with roast potatoes, fresh vegetables and gravy	Quorn Bolognese served with garlic bread and sweetcorn	Cheese and bean wrap served with chips and beans or peas
Pudding	Donuts and Fruit	Iced sponge with custard	Chocolate cheesecake	Fruit Jelly	Crispy cookie and magic milkshake

Available Daily

Jacket Potato with fillings: tuna, cheese or baked beans. Sandwich or bap with fillings: ham, tuna or cheese
Fresh bread, salad, fruit, milk & yoghurt



Positive Global Citizen

What is a positive global citizen?

A positive global citizen is someone who actively contributes to making the world a better, more equitable, and sustainable place, recognising their role within the global community. This means being aware of global issues, respecting cultural differences, and taking responsible actions that benefit people and the planet.

Key qualities of a positive global citizen:

- **Awareness:** Understands global issues like poverty, climate change, human rights, and inequality.
- **Empathy and Respect:** Appreciates diverse cultures, beliefs, and perspectives.
- **Responsibility:** Recognises how personal choices (e.g., consumption, travel, communication) impact others globally.
- **Action-Oriented:** Engages in activities that support positive change—volunteering, ethical consumerism, advocacy, or education.
- **Collaboration:** Works with others, across borders and cultures, to solve shared problems.
- **Sustainability-Minded:** Supports practices and policies that protect the environment and promote long-term well-being for all.

Examples of positive global citizenship:

- Donating to or volunteering with organisations addressing global issues.
- Reducing carbon footprint and supporting sustainable brands.
- Speaking out against injustice or discrimination.
- Learning about and celebrating cultures different from your own.



Barack Obama

Barack Obama is known around the world for his inspiring leadership and his message of hope and equality. He grew up in the United States and worked hard as a student, eventually becoming a community organiser, a teacher, and then a senator. In 2008, he made history by becoming the first African American President of the United States.

As President, Obama encouraged people to believe in themselves and to work together to solve problems. He supported healthcare for families, promoted education, and worked to build friendships between countries. Many people admired the way he spoke about kindness, fairness, and giving everyone a chance to succeed.

Even after leaving office, Obama continues to help young people through the Obama Foundation, which supports leadership, community projects, and learning around the world. He reminds us that no matter where you start, you can make a difference by staying hopeful, working hard, and helping others.



Meet The Teaching Team



Mrs Allerton



Miss Jones



Mrs Wakelam



Miss Miller



Mr Newton



Mr Wincup



Mr Leese



Mrs Watson



Mrs Gamble



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