

Dear Parents and Guardians.



Summer Term Newsletter 1 – Friday 1st May 2026

May 2026	
Monday 4 th May 2026	Bank Holiday Monday. School closed for all children and staff
Monday 11 th May 2026	Year 6 KS2 SATs week. See information below.
Friday 15 th May 2026	FMCA Colour Run
Tuesday 19 th May 2026	KS1 Sports Day - Please see Sports Day letter
Wednesday 20 th May 2026	KS2 Sports Day - Please see Sports Day letter
Thursday 21 st May 2026	Year 3 Trip to the Donkey Sanctuary
Friday 22 nd May 2026	Year 5 water fight as part of the Manor Court 48 Year 3 Egyptian Day with Clive Pig Last day of this half term
June 2026	
Monday 1 st June 2026	Children return to school after the half term holidays



Welcome to our school community

We would like to send a very warm welcome to the children and families who recently received notification that they will be starting their education in our Foundation Stage classrooms in September. As always, Mr Talmage enjoyed spending time in the Easter holiday telephoning parents to answer any questions that they may have and if parents could not answer the telephone, he left them a voicemail for them to listen to. We look forward to building a long and happy relationship with you and providing the absolute best education for each child.

Sports Day – A message from Mr Johnson

On Wednesday we sent home a letter about our Sports Day on Tuesday 19th May and Wednesday 20th May. If the weather is not great for either of these days, we will of course arrange an alternative date for the final half term and will inform parents of our decision as soon as possible via ParentPay and our school Facebook page. Please do refer to the letter that can be found on the school website.



Nut awareness – A reminder from Mrs Terry

We would like to remind all families that we try hard to be a nut-free school. A number of children in our school have recently become severely allergic to nuts (requiring a medical care plan), and even small traces can cause serious reactions in which hospitalisation is required.

This includes all nuts, especially hazelnuts, walnuts, pecans, macadamia nuts, pistachios, and cashew nuts. It is essential that all lunchboxes and snacks are completely free from nuts and nut-containing products. This includes (but is not limited to) items such as Kinder Bueno, chocolate spreads and any foods that may contain nuts or traces of nuts. Thank you for your understanding and continued support in helping us keep each child healthy and safe.

Year 6 KS2 SATs week

As you will be aware the end of Key Stage 2 tests is fast approaching. During the week of the tests, it is especially important that we have 100% attendance in Year 6, we will be offering free Year 6 breakfast club throughout the week. For more information, please see the letter that was sent home. Please ensure that no appointments are made during this week and that your child arrives in plenty of time. Please see the timetable for the week.

Monday 11 th May	Tuesday 12 th May	Wednesday 13 th May	Thursday 14 th May
English Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling.	English Reading	Maths Arithmetic & Maths Reasoning paper 1	Maths Reasoning paper 2



Multi-Cultural Day – A message from Sra. Gomes

Our Multicultural Day was once again an enormous success. A highlight of the day was the MC Bake Off, with parents kindly baking delicious traditional cakes from around the world. Mr Clode and I had the difficult task of choosing one winner from each class!

The children enjoyed a fantastic day learning through play, exploring different countries and cultures through activities such as Polish egg painting, French crêpe making, and Greek pottery.

The school was filled with colourful traditional outfits, and many children especially loved the artefact exhibition in the studio. It was a wonderful day enjoyed by both children and adults alike.

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Sun Safety

We have enjoyed some warm and sunny weather since returning to school after the Easter holiday and we all hope that it will continue. Can you please help us to keep your children safe in the sunshine and hot weather by applying suncream before school, sending them into school with a named sun hat and plenty of water-based drink to last throughout the day.

Congratulations to three of our apprentices

At Manor Court we love to train members of our team to enable them to be the best that they can be. We have a number of apprentices in our employment, and we are delighted and extremely proud that three of our team Miss Everitt, Mrs Ward, Mr Warren have all passed their apprenticeships with a Distinction!



Online Assembly about St George's Day

Mrs Terry led last week's online assembly, which was all about St George's Day, which was last Thursday. Mrs Terry explained all about the tradition of St George and why he is the patron saint of England. She showed pictures of the Chard parade in which many of our children who are in the girl guiding or scouting movement participated. These Squirrels, Beavers, Cubs, Rainbows, Brownies, and Guides were allowed to wear their school uniform to school on St George's Day.

David Attenborough's 100th Birthday!

Sir David Attenborough is one of the most famous naturalists in the world. He presents many programs about nature, talks about the lives of animals and has stopped millions of people polluting the oceans. He has had honourable mentions and won many prestigious awards. To a lot of people, he is a national treasure.

As a school, we hold the national Green Flag Award and the Gold Tree Award for our contributions to sustainability and conservation. David turns one hundred on Friday 8th May 2026, and we would like to commemorate this special event. All classes will be learning a bit more about him and his achievements on his special day and why learning about nature is so important for our futures.

Items from home – A message from Mr Talmage

Can I please clarify our approach to inclusive aids, such as noise reducing headphones, toys and pencil cases/crayons and pens from home etc.

Unless Mr Clode, or I, have given consent children are not to use, or bring from home noise reducing headphones, fiddle toys, pencil grips or any other educational aid as we have the correct items to give to children according to their need. Please speak to Mr Clode or I if you need clarification about this.

Children are not to bring toys, or personal items from home and if they do, I have asked the staff to confiscate them until the end of the day to ensure they are kept safe.



Year 6 advanced warning – A message from the Year 6 team

The final term of the school year is full of exciting events. We will write to you with further details nearer the time, but here are some key dates for your diaries.

1. **Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May** KS2 SATs week and free breakfast club.
2. **Wednesday 8th July** Y6 school play performance for families in the school hall @13:30 and 18:00.
3. **Monday 6th July and Tuesday 7th July** – Y6 full Transition Days to Holyrood.
4. **Tuesday 14th July** - Year 6 leaving party (in school time).
5. **Wednesday 15th July** - Leavers assembly to parents in the school hall at 09:30.

PE Days for the Summer Term 1

Our PE Days have been set for the next half term and are unlikely to be changed, if we need to change them, we will inform you through your Eylog or ParentPay account. Children should wear their PE kits to school on the days listed below. Last year we noticed that some children are wearing their PE hoodies into school on different days and on all other days it is important that full school uniform is worn.

No year groups will have swimming lessons during the school day at the Leisure Centre in this half term and these will commence again in Summer 2 when Year 6 will have their school swimming lessons on a Thursday.

Classes	PE Day on which PE Kits must be worn
EYC	Thursday
Squirrels & Hedgehogs	Monday
Dragonflies & Bumblebees	Wednesday
Nightingales & Magpies	Wednesday & Thursday
Owls & Kingfishers	Tuesday & Friday
Eagles & Puffins	Monday & Wednesday
Foxes & Badgers	Tuesday & Thursday
Herons & Otters	Tuesday & Friday

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GRAB Visit to Year 4

GRAB visited Year 4 last week and the children very bravely enjoyed handling the variety of animals that was brought in to show them. The snakes, bugs and even the tarantula were favourites of the children and staff.



Have we got your correct details? – A message from the school office

To keep your child safe, please make sure that if you have changed your telephone number, email address or home address that you remember to let the school office know so that we can update our records.



New Admissions policy – Place for Foundation Stage 2027 & our expanded EYC

Following the required period of consultation, we are delighted to confirm that our new Admissions policy will come into effect for September 2027. As part of the policy, children who have held a place in our preschool for more than two terms will receive high priority (regardless of where they live) to receive a place within the main school for the Foundation Stage intake from each subsequent year from September 2027.

If you would like your child to join our wonderful school community, we warmly encourage you to visit and consider enrolling in our expanded and enhanced preschool. Places are available for children between the ages of two and four years old. Visits are very welcome and to book a visit, please email eyc@manorcourt.ppat365.org. To apply for a preschool place, please use the hyperlink below:

<https://manorcourt.eylog.co.uk/eyMan/index.php/enquiries/registerEnquiry?token=eyJ0eXAiOiJKV1QiLCJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJicmFuY2hfaWQiOiJyY29tcGFueV9pZCI6IjEifQ.Q4pVLddIPYCe6vmoZi2hFCfwiEjquWHtOxP0ThIE>

After school enrichment clubs – A message from Mr Clode

Please can I politely remind all parents that our after-school enrichment clubs finish at 16:15 and ask you to arrive promptly by this time to collect your child.

Wrap around care booking reminder from the school office

Our wrap around care provision is extremely popular but we are having an increasing number of children attend who have not been booked on to sessions. Whilst we make every effort to accommodate them, we can not always guarantee that there is a space. Please may we remind you of the following booking deadlines:

After school care – 14:00 on the day required. Breakfast club – 14:00 the day before required.



The FMCA needs you!

The FMCA is a group of parent volunteers who spend time raising money (whilst having fun) for activities or equipment to be used for the children in the school. The work that they do is vital, and the committee needs more volunteers to help them achieve more for the children.

If you would like to find out more about their work and how you can get involved, please do email them on contactfmca@gmail.com or contact them through their Facebook page.

Staff car park - A message from Mr Talmage

Can I please remind all parents that the staff car park at the rear of the school is not to be used by parents at any point as a place to park during drop off or collection times.

The Importance of Homework

Homework is an important aspect of your child's learning and plays a vital role in supporting the excellent education that we provide in the classroom. As part of our home-school agreement, we expect all children to complete their homework regularly at home. Homework includes daily reading, as well as tasks in English, Maths, spelling, grammar. These activities are carefully planned to be age-appropriate and to reinforce key skills, helping us to build and maintain high educational standards for every child.

We understand that completing homework at home can sometimes be challenging. For this reason, we offer a Homework Club for children. This club is supervised by teachers and provides a supportive environment for children who may need extra help to complete their homework and to take away the stress of completing this at home. If children have not completed their homework, their class teacher will be expecting them

to complete it during part of their lunch time. This also applies to their reading at home – the expectation is five times a week from Friday to Thursday.

Please note that if homework is not being completed on a regular basis, parents and carers should expect contact from their child's class teacher, Phase Leader or from Mr Talmage to discuss how we can work together to support your child. Thank you for your continued support in helping your child to succeed in all areas of their education.



Easy Fund Raising – A message from the FMCA

The FMCA need your help. A quick and easy way for the FMCA to raise additional funds is through using Easy Fundraising when doing your online shopping. It is a really easy way to raise money. People just need to sign up and have the FMCA as the cause and then every time they go to buy something online it will prompt them to add donation with a pop up which you click yes and then continue as normal during online shopping. Please use the link that can be found on the school Facebook page and do contact the FMCA if you need any help.



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Safeguarding is the responsibility of everybody. In terms of keeping children safe, please "Do not think "What if I am wrong Think... 'What if I am right" If you have any concerns about a pupil, you should report this to a member of staff immediately. If you feel a pupil is at risk or a subject of abuse, you must contact the Designated Safeguarding Team immediately. The Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mr Clode and Deputy Designated Safeguard leads are Miss Gregory, Mrs Terry, Miss Warren, and Mr Talmage. The school and Child Protection Governor is Mrs Sue Wakeman.

2026-2027 Term dates

The 2026-2027 school term dates are on our school website and have been sent home to all parents via ParentPay. They can be found at the end of this newsletter for you to screenshot and save to your phone or to print for the fridge at home.

Hot meals parental feedback – A message from Mrs Hunt

Our onsite kitchen is now providing a hot meal for over two hundred children each weekday and it appears to us that the children within the school are enjoying the meal that is being offered to them and parents have selected for them through ParentPay.

We would like to ask parents to provide feedback, positive or negative, as to the food that we are providing to your child. If you would like to share this feedback with us, please do email the school office. If for any reason you are unhappy with the meals provided, please do email the office and we can arrange for our catering manager to contact you to rectify this.



Trim Trail – A message from Mrs Jones

Can we please remind all parents that children are not to use either Trim Trails at the start, or end of the day, and must only use them under the supervision of school staff during the school day.



Healthy snacks at play time – A message from Mrs Terry

We encourage each pupil at Manor Court to lead a healthy lifestyle. At play times we provide all our Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils with fruit or vegetables and pupils throughout the school currently have the option of eating a bagel as part of our 'Magic Breakfast' scheme. If you provide your child with snacks that do not fit into the cereal, fruit, or vegetable category, these will be kept in their bags or lunch boxes to be eaten at lunch time. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you have any concerns regarding our healthy play times.

Axminster Girls Football

Axminster football club are looking to create a girl's football team for children in Year 5 and Year 6. Training is on Monday evening. Please see the poster at the end of the newsletter for more information

The Community Fridge – A message from Miss Gregory (Early Intervention Officer)

The Community Fridge is for everyone in Chard and the local area to use without referral. It is open, when there is food available, at set times and is staffed by a team of volunteers. The Fridge is based in the front room, of Chard's Community Hub (in the old library in Boden Street) and there are also shelves of food in the food room which is at the back of the premises; items here include dried food, tins, toiletries, pet food and some baby food. The Community Hub also have freezers which can have donations from the local supermarkets and local shops for people to help themselves to.

Online Safety news from Miss Hamilton

Roblox have been making some big changes recently, and that now includes 'age-gating' so that children and young people get the experience according to their age. This means that there are now 3 types of Roblox accounts: Roblox Kids - for children 5-8 years, Roblox Select - for children 9-15 years and Roblox - for anyone 16+.

For any users that have not completed an age check, they will be put into the youngest category and parents can update or correct a child's age through a linked account. To find out more visit: <https://en.help.roblox.com/hc/en-us/articles/48163847200532-What-are-Roblox-Kids-and-Roblox-Select>



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Winsham United U'11s football team

Winsham United Under 11's football team are looking to recruit new players from Year 5 and Year 6. Training is held in Chard on a Tuesday, and they play their matches on a Saturday morning.



Do you think your child needs a Medical Health Care Plan? A message from Mrs Terry

Parents of children with medical conditions are often concerned that their child's health will deteriorate when they attend school. This is because pupils with long term and complex medical conditions may require ongoing support, medicines, or care while at school to help manage their condition and keep them well. Others may require monitoring and interventions in emergency circumstances. At Manor Court Community Primary, we want our parents to feel confident that we will provide effective support for their child's medical condition and that our pupils feel safe. In making decisions about the support, we provide,

we may need to have a meeting with you to discuss your child's needs. I have the responsibility of meeting with parents to ensure that Medical Health Care Plans are in place for those children who need one, but if you are unsure or if your child has a health condition that you don't feel that the school is fully aware of, please speak to your child's class teacher or make an appointment through the school Office to speak to me.

EYC news from Miss Warren

The preschool children were delighted to see our butterflies hatch and then set them free! As part of our learning about living things, we have also visited the school pond. The children now have ladybird larvae to look after over the next few weeks. This week the children who will be joining Squirrels & Bumblebees have begun to explore their new Foundation Stage area by visiting their outside classroom. As you may have seen on eyParent, please can you provide a named bottle of sun cream that can be kept at preschool - thank you.



Ofsted Parent view

Parent view is a way in which Ofsted surveys the parents of children within a school to find out their views of the school and how it can be improved further. These opinions become part of the overall judgment of the school. If you would like to pass on your opinions to Ofsted, please complete the survey on the parent view website. The website can be found at www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk

Pupil Premium

The pupil premium is additional funding that the Government provides for each child who they believe may be disadvantaged in achieving their best in education. At Manor Court Community Primary School, we provide high quality education and enrichment opportunities for all our pupils regardless of ability or background. However, it is useful to receive this funding for all children entitled to it. If your children are entitled to free school meals or a member of the household is currently in receipt, or has been in the last six years, of Universal credit then please do apply through this hyperlink.

https://secure1.somerset.gov.uk/forms/PortalShowForm.asp?fm_formalias=freeschoolmeal



Punctuality Matters – A message from Mr Talmage and Mr Clode

We would like to remind parents and carers that the school gates open at 8:35am and lessons begin promptly at 8:45am. Children should be in class, ready to learn by this time.

Punctuality is essential. Arriving late disrupts the start of lessons and can impact children's confidence, learning, and progress. Persistent lateness will be closely monitored and may result in contact from school leaders or a referral to the Education Welfare Service.

Parents and carers are legally responsible for ensuring their child attends school on time every day. Good routines in the morning help children arrive prepared, calm, and ready to learn. Please also ensure your child is collected promptly at the end of the day. Late collection causes distress and creates additional supervision pressures for staff. Thank you for supporting our high expectations around attendance and punctuality.

Attendance our school expectations – A message from Miss Gregory

Pupil attendance and punctuality is a key focus and priority within our school. Individual attendance will be monitored and reviewed on a bi-weekly basis. We would like to kindly remind parents that the school's expectations on individual pupil attendance is 95% and above, with the aim of having 100% pupil attendance. Should your child fall behind the school's expectations a monitoring process is triggered, and we may ask you to come into school to discuss your child's attendance with us. Should you have any questions or concerns relating to your child's attendance please do not hesitate to contact me within the school.



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Parking outside the school at drop off and collection – A message from Mr Talmage

Please do not park on the pavement outside the front of the school, particularly towards St Mary's Church, during drop-off and collection times. Pavement parking forces children to step nearer to the road and creates a serious safety risk. A child could be seriously hurt if this continues.

Free parking permits are provided for parents to use within the two closest car parks at the start and end of the school day. Please help us to keep each child safe by parking considerately. Thank you for your help.

Scholastic Book Fair – A message from Mrs Terry

Thank you to everyone who purchased a book from the Scholastic Book Fair last week. We took nearly £400 in sales, meaning we get a large commission to then spend on books for our own class reading corners. The next Scholastic book fair will be in December 2026, and it will be a half-price sale.

After School Club telephone number and change of hours

Our after-school club has a new contact number that can be used throughout its opening hours (for emergency bookings etc. please contact the school office during their opening hours). Please telephone the after-school staff on **07469130824**.

We would like to take this opportunity to let you know that from after the Easter holidays, starting on Friday 24th April 2026, after-school club will close at 5:15pm on Fridays.



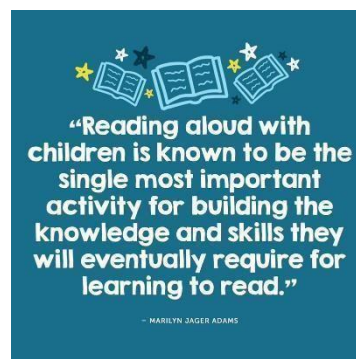
Reading expectations – A message from Mrs Terry

At Manor Court Community Primary School, we seek to ensure that children are supported to be confident, life long learners with a love of reading. Reading plays an especially important role in developing children culturally, emotionally and socially and we believe literature plays a key role in such development. Reading enables pupils both to acquire knowledge and build on what they already know.

In school children in KS2 are heard reading on a 1:1 basis at least once a week by their class teacher and Learning Support staff and this is much more frequently in Foundation Stage and KS1. Those pupils not at an expected reading level are heard daily. The EYFS and Key Stage 1 reading books follow a clear progression of banding, ensuring fluency is developed. This academic year, you may find your child has a book sent home that they have already read at school, and this is something that is now promoted in all schools. The more a child reads, the larger their vocabulary becomes. When a child reads or hears the same book multiple times, they become familiar and comfortable with a greater number of words. Fluency is the ability to read text “accurately, quickly, and with expression.”

Repetitive reading allows a child to read without stumbling or stopping, and reading time becomes more pleasant for everyone. Once a child masters one book, it makes moving on to another more appealing. Reading comprehension is the ability to understand all the components of a story — from plot to character development to symbolism. Comprehension is “the essence” of reading. Each time your child reads or hears a book read to them; they learn more about the story itself. Each pass through the text or illustrations allows them to dive deeper into the story's meaning, preparing them for more complex narratives down the road. Children who progress from the banded scheme to ‘free readers’ can access their class library, and the school library, and can be supported to select appropriate books by staff. Pupils are encouraged to take home fiction and non-fiction texts.

Children are expected to read at home five times a week, ideally daily, as this helps to develop confident and fluent readers. We would recommend 20 minutes of reading a day. Children's reading logs are checked to ensure this is taking place. Where children are not reading the required amount in school, they are invited to attend a lunchtime reading club. There is also opportunity to read to a member of staff at Homework Club and After-school Club.



Thank you for your continued support.

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Mr Luke Talmage
Headteacher

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Mr Alan Clode
Deputy Headteacher and Inclusion Leader



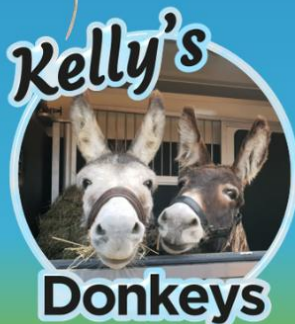
MAY DAY FUN DAY!



A fun day out for all the family.
Get your tickets now!



Dinomania | Kelly's Donkeys | Photo Booth | Face painting |
Drinks and snacks available



**FREE
ENTRY!**

Mon 4th May | 11am - 3pm
Chard Guildhall, Fore Street, Chard,
TA20 1PP



For more information see chard-guildhall.co.uk or
contact events@chard.gov.uk

*Booking fees apply, purchase via Eventbrite or
Guildhall reception



Join us for

MAY HALF TERM COOKING AND LUNCH

**AND TAKE HOME A FREE RECIPE BAG CONTAINING 3
DELICIOUS RECIPES!**



Wednesday 27th May



10:30am – 1pm

@St Marys Centre, Holyrood Street
Chard

Email info@project-food.org.uk, call 01297 631782

or scan the QR code to book



**PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO ABRI HOMES TENANTS
AND LOW INCOME FAMILIES LIVING IN CHARD.**

PLEASE NOTE YOU MUST STAY WITH YOUR CHILD.

SAVE THE DATE

Friday
15th May

Annual Colour
Run & Gunge the
Teacher



Information will be sent out after
the Easter Holidays via Parentpay





**AXMINSTER TOWN AFC
THE TIGERS**

WANTED U10/11 GIRLS

We are looking to add some new and experienced players (in Yr 5 & 6) as well as a goal keeper to our squad so we can enter two teams in the Devon Girls League.

Training at the 3G on Monday evenings from 7pm to 8pm.

Contact Ryan Peacock on 07714710716



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Makin a Splash

Manor Court Community Primary School Terms and Holidays
2026/2027 Academic Year



September 2026						October 2026						November 2026								
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Key:

	School Holiday
	Bank Holiday
	Term Time
	Inset Days

Term dates summary:

Term 1: 03 September – 23 October 2026 (37 days)
Term 2: 02 November – 18 December 2026 (35 days)
Term 3: 04 January – 12 February 2027 (30 days)
Term 4: 22 February – 25 March 2027 (24 days)
Term 5: 12 April – 28 May 2027 (34 days)
Term 6: 07 June – 23 July 2027 (35 days)
TOTAL = 195

Bank and public holidays 2026/27

Christmas Day Bank Holiday	25 December 2026
Boxing Day Bank Holiday	28 December 2026*
New Year's Day Holiday	01 January 2027
Summer Bank Holiday	

*Replacement Bank Holiday when Bank Holidays falls on a weekend.
Academy, Free Schools, Foundation & Voluntary Aided schools can set their own term dates and may differ from ours. Please check with the individual schools for their term dates.



TOGETHER ON TUESDAY

A club for primary school children
and their parents, carers & siblings

**Join us for Crafts, Cooked Tea,
Songs & Story**

New craft each week

Cooked tea provided

Short bible story and song

**Every Tuesday during term
time**

ALL WELCOME

3.30pm - 5pm

St Mary's Church rooms

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