Woodthorpe Junior and Infant School

Friday 17th July 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,
We have finally made it to the end of this academic year, and it has ended with so much to celebrate. Our final Character and Achievement assemblies and winning House Team celebration event – well done to Brandwood for accumulating 3285 and winning overall but it was a very close result with all House Teams performing extremely well! As reflected in their end of year reports, our children have worked so hard this year, taken part in so many wider enrichment activities and fully participated in all aspects of school life. We are looking forward to seeing them continue to grow and develop their talents and skills next academic year.

Thank you for your kind donations so far for our outdoor play activities at lunchtimes. We have managed to get some dress up clothes from Rubery Swop Shop and will be donating all the lost property and school uniform if not claimed by the end of today. Please ensure that all your child's belongings and uniform are labelled ready for a fresh start in September to avoid the amount of lost property accrued.

The children who attended the **Youth Proms** on Wednesday sparkled brightly and performed brilliantly as always. Thank you to Mrs Pickering, Mrs Preston and Mrs Kulczycki for their support with the event.
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The **Attwell Farm Park** visit for Reception and KS1 went extremely well on Thursday. I hope they all enjoyed learning first-hand about farm animals and being able to touch and handle them.

On behalf of all the staff at Woodthorpe, I wish our **amazing Year 6 children** the very best of luck in their new secondary schools and thank them for all they have contributed over the years. I hope they enjoyed their Graduation on Thursday and thank you to their families who came to make this event even more special for them. As always, it has been a privilege to watch them grow up into wonderful young people. Raqd has written a beautiful poem which she performed at the Y6 Graduation and typed up for this newsletter. No words could say it better.

A massive Thank You to Woodthorpe Friends for all their hard work and giving up their own valuable time to support us this year, raising funds for Woodthorpe which has provided us with essential and enrichment resources to support the children's learning and development. Thank you also for the Year 6 Leavers Hoodies and organising their trip to Air Hop on Monday. If you would like to volunteer and give any of your time to support Woodthorpe Friends next academic year, please contact Karen Gaze or Ruth Tracey. An extra thank you for our special ice lolly treats today- these were very welcomed by all on another very warm day!

I would like to take this opportunity to give a **special thank you and good luck to Ms Lodge** for the dedication and commitment she has shown to our school and the children over the past 9 years. We will miss her dearly but wish her every happiness and success in her new assistant headship role. We also say **farewell and thank you to Mrs Kean**. As class teacher and Science subject leader she has helped our school achieve so much and wish her every success in her future. **Good luck and congratulations to Mrs Saghir** as she will be taking her maternity leave today for the birth of her baby boy in August. We can't wait to meet him! We are looking forward to welcoming Ms Sloman (Y6) and Ms Palmer-Lynch (Y5) to our staff team in September. The children have really enjoyed meeting them this week.

Finally, we all wish you all a fabulous summer break and see you when school reopens for 2026-2027 on **Thursday 3rd September**.
Ms McGrath

Woodthorpe Junior and Infant School

Pupils of the Week

Rec: Oscar S – Great work and attitude in both maths and English.

Y1: Matilda – A mature, sensible and hard-working girl, who has thrived across all areas of Y1 curriculum and is a wonderful role model to others.

Y2: William – For being a great team player during sports day.

Y3: Amara – For being an excellent role model.

Y4: Cody – Awesome school spirit even in hot weather.

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Y6: Tiwa – For showing excellent resilience in swimming-achieving his 10m

House Points Weekly Leaderboard

Brandwood – 468
Jasmin – 461
Highbury – 440
Dawberry – 433

Well done to **Brandwood** for winning this half term.

Congratulations to **Brandwood** for winning overall this year with a whopping **3285** house points!

Attendance & Punctuality

w/c 06.07.26

Year Group	Present marks (%)	No of Lates
Reception	93.5	0
Year 1	**96.7**	6
Year 2	93.2	5
Year 3	96.3	4
Year 4	96.0	2
Year 5	93.9	15
Year 6	94.5	2
Average % / Total Lates	94.9	34

Notices, Updates and Reminders

End of Year Pupil Reports

If an additional copy is required for a parent/ guardian not residing in the family home, please submit your request via email to enquiry@woodthorpe.drbignitemat.org

Department for Education: Great British Summer Savings Scheme

Rising prices can make life's little treats harder to afford, especially during the school holidays when costs build up for families. This Government is determined to help, and that is why last month the Chancellor announced the Great British Summer Savings scheme.

From 25 June to 1 September 2026, the Government is temporarily cutting VAT from 20% to 5% on children's meals in restaurants, children and family tickets to cinemas, theatres, concerts and exhibitions, and admission to a wide range of attractions. Combined with free bus travel during August for children aged 5 to 15 in England, families and young people will be able to enjoy experiences that make summer special, including visits to the kinds of cultural and educational attractions that enrich children's lives outside the classroom.

As part of this campaign, we have launched an **attraction finder** website which allows families to type in their postcode and find participating venues near them to make the most of summer savings. To use the attraction finder, please visit https://summersavings.gov.uk.

RT HON BRIDGET PHILLIPSON MP
Secretary of State for Education
And RT HON RACHEL REEVES MP
Chancellor of the Exchequer

Birmingham City Council Safety Message for Parents and Carers -

Based on patterns seen in previous years, Birmingham City Centre can experience an increase in the number of young people travelling into the city on the last

day of term. While many young people gather responsibly to celebrate the end of the academic year, larger groups can sometimes result in increased anti-social behaviour, safeguarding concerns, and pressure on public spaces and transport networks.
Parents and carers are encouraged to discuss end-of-term plans with their children and to consider whether travel into Birmingham City Centre is necessary. Knowing where young people are, who they are spending time with, and how they intend to travel home can help keep them safe and reduce the risk of them becoming vulnerable. Our collective aim is to ensure that all young people can enjoy the end of the school year safely and return home without incident. Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep Birmingham's children and young people safe.

Free School Meal Eligibility
From 1st September 2026, if you are in receipt of Universal Credit your child/ren will be eligible to receive a free school meal. If you have already completed our FSM checking form, when your child started with us, you do not need to do anything as you and
school will be notified automatically of your child's entitlement.
If you did not complete a FSM eligibility checking form on your child's admission, please come to the office to collect one to complete so we can check your entitlement.
Thank you – School Office Team

The Big Future
Please take a few minutes to support your child in completing their survey here: http://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture.
The Children's Commissioner wants to hear from children aged 0–18 from every background, in every part of the country, and your support will help make that possible. It asks about the things they enjoy, the challenges they face, the changes they want to see in their communities, and what they think a good childhood should look like today.

The Big Future | Children's Commissioner for England

School Uniform - Price & Buckland
With the half term break nearly upon us this is an initial reminder to ask parents to place uniform orders online in time for the new academic year. Please ensure the following:

1. The correct ordering link is: https://price-buckland.co.uk/woodth
1. Please note an update on delivery charges: the correct home delivery cost is £4.50 via Royal Mail. We also offer free delivery on orders over £65 and Klarna on orders over £75.
2. Orders should be placed before the cut-off date of **1st August**.

Arbor App
If you are not receiving notifications, please check you Arbor App settings & ensure you have selected - *allow notifications* & for the app to be *running in the background*, to receive real-time notifications.

Meal Information
Please could we ask that all meals are paid for promptly & in advance, where required, via Arbor App – Payment Section – Meal Account. Please continue to report any discrepancies to the school office. If your child requires a school meal (instead of providing packed lunch from home) as a one-off emergency, please let the school office know at the beginning of the day or as soon as possible. A reminder that you do not need to select your child's meal preference or order your child's meal, as this is generated automatically from your child's 'Meal Pattern'. Any changes of meal patterns, should be made at the end of a half term but if there are any issues mid-term, please let us know. Many thanks – School Office Team

National Magazine – All About Family Magazine

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Diary for the Week

Thursday 3rd September
All children return

8.30 – 8.45 am The Daily Mile – All welcome

Friday 4th
Wheelchair basketball – all classes

Key diary dates:

Staff Training Days 2026-2027

- Tuesday 1st September
- Wednesday 2nd September
- Monday 2nd November
- Monday 4th January
- Thursday 6th May (polling day)
- Friday 28th May

Raqd's Poem

The Last Bell

We walked in as children,
With backpacks full of dreams,
Not knowing how quickly life would
change its scene.

The classroom held our laughter,
The playground kept our cheers,
And every little memory,
Became part of our years.

Miss Lodge stood behind us,
With patience, care and grace,
Believing we were capable,
Even when we lost our place.

She taught us more than lessons,
Found in books upon a shelf,
She showed us how to keep on trying,
And how to trust ourselves.

We grew with every season,
From nervous to brave,
Building, making memories,
The kind we'll always save.

Some people drift together,
Some quietly apart,
But every smile, and every
goodbye,
Leaves footprints on the heart.

Now the final bell is ringing,
And these halls will fade from view,
Yet a piece of Year 6,
Will stay with all we do.

We'll miss the inside joke,
The stories, the little everyday things,
The moments that felt ordinary,
But gave our spirits wings.
So, here's to Miss Lodge,
And everyone we've known,
Though we're leaving Year 6 behind,
We'll never leave it alone.

Because the hardest part of growing,
Is not the path ahead-
It's saying goodbye,
To the chapter we've just read.

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Health and Wellbeing Newsletter

Friday 17th July 2026

Thank You Ms Lodge!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Ms Lodge for all her hard work and dedication when it comes to Physical Education, School Sport and Physical Activity (PESSPA) over the last 8/9 years. The growth of this (Health & Wellbeing) newsletter over recent years is a huge strength of the school – and will continue to be – but this wouldn't have been possible without Ms Lodge's commitment. On behalf of everyone at the school, thank you.

Mr Trevor

Clubs and Activities

The Daily Mile

Position	Year Group	Distance Travelled
1st	Year 2	428
2nd	Year 4	325
3rd	Year 1	215
4th	Year 6	198
5th	Reception	192
6th	Year 3	146
7th	Year 5	140
		1643 miles

What a year we've had with The Daily Mile this year! Since September 2025 the children have travelled a total distance of 1643 miles! A wonderful achievement. Year 2 topped the charts in distance travelled, with an impressive 428 miles clocked this academic year! Thank you for all of your support throughout the year.
Don't forget that it takes place every Monday and Thursday morning at 08:30.

Please note Wake-up Shake-up will be on Wednesdays for all year groups.

After-School Sports Clubs – Autumn Term 1

After-school sports clubs will return from Monday 14th September 2026, more details will follow in early September. Bookings will be made using Arbor.

Cricket Sessions with Warwickshire

Cricket sessions went ahead on Monday and were led by Oscar from Warwickshire Cricket. All classes took part and had a fantastic time practising their throwing, catching and batting skills. The children thoroughly enjoyed the sessions and showed great enthusiasm throughout.

Y5 Bikeability

Year 5 participated in Bikeability this week with BikeRight. Throughout the programme, the children developed their cycling skills and confidence. They either learnt to ride a bike for the first time or successfully passed their Level 1 or Level 2 Bikeability award. We are incredibly proud of their determination in the heat. Well done, cyclists!



Y5/6 Padel @ Connect Padel

Our padel programme concluded this week with all 8 children from years 5/6 heading over to Connect Padel for one final time this

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year. The children took part in a mini tournament and even let Ms Lodge and Mr Trevor play too! (They put us through our paces!) Congratulations to Ernest and Raqd who were the doubles champions! All children involved have thoroughly enjoyed this opportunity and made super progress.



Year 5/6 Red Ridge Residential

Thank you to those families who have paid their non-refundable deposits for the forthcoming residential. Final numbers have been sent across to Red Ridge. The payment plan will continue to run over the summer break.

European Athletics Championships – Alexander Stadium – 10/09/2026

We hope that those families who applied for FREE tickets to the athletics next month have a wonderful time. We look forward to hearing all about it when we see you in September.

Aston Villa Foundation Curriculum Support

The Aston Villa Foundation have now completed their recent project based on 'inclusion' and 'pupil voice'. The school will be using the findings when planning for the 2026/27 academic year in September. Many thanks to those children involved.

Unity 5km Run

The Unity 5K is a mass participation run through the heart of Birmingham, taking place on Sunday 16 August 2026, the final day of the European Athletics Championships. Thousands of runners will take on a 5K route through the city centre, using the same roads as the championship marathon earlier that day.

It is a rare chance to run through Birmingham city centre on a closed-road championship route and cross the line with a proper medal moment of your own. The race starts on Broad Street and finishes in Victoria Square.

Alongside the 5K, a 1K fun run is available for ages three and up. Children aged 12 and under can enter the 1K for free and receive a free adult companion bib for someone aged 18 or over to run with them. Follow this link: Unity 5K

Pupil Voice / Woodthorpe in the Community

"We did a range of different cricket games, and it was a fun way to get active."

Lucas M Y6 – Cricket Sessions

"I really enjoyed it and I think it was a great opportunity to learn to key skill."

Jacob Y5- Bikeability

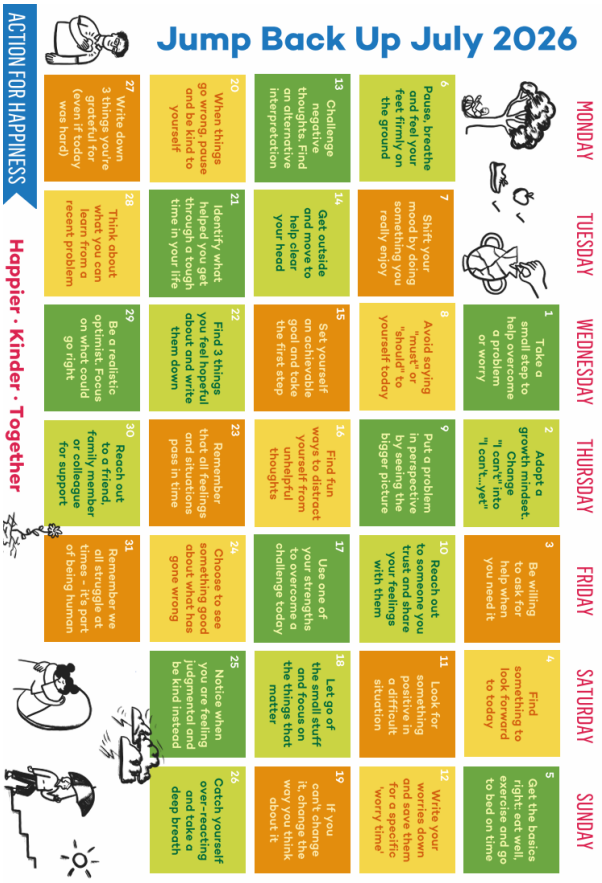
"The best thing was doing the signals!"

Fajr Y5 – Bikeability

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"I did Padel with a few of my friends, some Y5s, Mr Trevor and Ms Lodge. We played different games but unfortunately me and Mr Trevor lost against Ms Lodge and Jacob."

Aminah Y6 – Padel



At The National College, our WakeUpWednesday guides empower and equip parents, carers and educators with the confidence and practical skills to be able to have informed and age-appropriate conversations with children about online safety, mental health and wellbeing, and climate change. Formerly delivered by National Online Safety, these guides now address wider topics and themes. For further guides, hints and tips, please visit nationalcollege.com.

What Parents & Educators Need to Know about

ANTISEMITISM

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

Antisemitism is anti-Jewish racism. Incidents in the UK remain far higher than before 7 October 2023, with CST recording 3,700 antisemitic incidents in 2025. Like all racism, antisemitism treats people not as individuals, but as stereotypes. It also often imagines Jewish people as 'all-powerful', turning real concerns about injustice and the world's problems into blame, hostility, and conspiracy thinking rather than solutions.

NORMALISING STEREOTYPES

Stereotypes embed racist thinking. Instead of treating people as individuals, they reduce them to examples of alleged group traits. Antisemitism interacts with other forms of racial stereotyping, meaning different racisms can reinforce each other. Stereotypes may seem openly negative or superficially positive, such as 'Jews are clever', but both kinds of stereotyping are harmful and dehumanising. Stereotypes have been normalised in our culture for centuries and may appear in canonical texts studied in school, including Dickens's 'Oliver Twist' and Shakespeare's 'The Merchant of Venice'. These examples need thoughtful discussion that helps children and young people understand the historical context, recognise anti-Jewish racism, and identify the wider dangers of dehumanising others.

CONSPIRACY THEORIES

Social media constantly exposes children to conspiracy theories, which can then seep into everyday conversation. Many recycle antisemitic tropes, falsely claiming that Jewish people are rich, powerful, or use money and influence to control governments, banks, and the media. This wrongly presents one group as responsible for the world's problems. Some conspiracy theories name Jewish people explicitly, sometimes using coded language such as 'Juice' or similar terms. Others target prominent Jewish families, including George Soros or the Rothschilds, or refer vaguely to 'those people who'. These theories risk placing Jews as 'tools of a global power', dehumanise Jewish individuals, undermine meaningful discussion, prevent the formation of real solutions, and fuel wider hate and anger.

HOLOCAUST DISTORTION

FAKE

All UK school children learn about the Holocaust, which is essential, but this knowledge can also be abused. The internet and social media contain Holocaust distortion, including fake news, the denial of historical evidence, and offensive jokes, all designed to cause harm. Such content can minimise Jewish suffering and make antisemitic ideas seem as though they are acceptable or entertaining. Certain groups often use codes to promote allegiance to neo-Nazi ideology. Numbers that represent letters of the alphabet, such as 88 for 'Heil Hitler', are particularly common. These codes can create the illusion of belonging to an 'initiated club', set against mainstream thinking. For some children and young people, this can be presented as being 'edgy, rebellious, or cool'.

DISCUSSING THE MIDDLE EAST

Global events should never be used to justify racist hatred. Ethnic minority pupils are often targeted by racial stereotypes, but Jewish individuals are routinely blamed for the actions of the state of Israel. The Hamas attack on Israeli civilians on 7 October 2023 was followed by a sharp rise in anti-Jewish hate in the UK, framed as resistance against Jewish 'power', for which Israel is a symbol. Criticising the Israeli government is not antisemitic. However, the IHRA definition explains that applying standards to Israel that are not expected of any other democratic nation, or holding Jewish people collectively responsible for the actions of the Israeli government, can be antisemitic. Real concerns about violence, injustice, or humanitarian crises must not become hostility towards Jewish pupils, families, or communities.

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Advice for Parents & Educators

CHALLENGE ALL STEREOTYPING

It is essential to be alert to the dangers of all stereotyping. Explain the interconnectedness of different forms of racism. The Nazis used the legacy of centuries-old anti-Jewish propaganda and tried to turn it into modern 'race science'. To be anti-racist, we must also challenge antisemitism whenever we see it. The legacies of antisemitic thinking can be found in many places, including texts pupils may read at school or stories they encounter in films and popular culture. It is important to be alert to problems in our own heritage and to be as vigilant about anti-Jewish racism as we would be about other racist representations.

UNPICK CONSPIRACY THINKING

Conspiracy theories are difficult to counter directly. Rather than only responding to false claims with facts, try to shift the conversation towards why conspiracy thinking can seem attractive. Ask why it might feel easier to imagine one small ethnic group (0.2% of the world population) as the root of all evil, and what purpose that thinking serves. Explain that scapegoating is not only unjust, but also prevents the search for practical solutions to real problems. Replacing meaningful problem-solving with conspiratorial blame games harms everyone, including the children and young people who are drawn into these ideas.

EXPLAIN THE HOLOCAUST

The Holocaust was the attempt by the Nazi regime to eradicate the world's entire Jewish population forever. It was implemented across all territories occupied by the Nazis during the Second World War, including countries in Europe and North Africa, and led to the systematic mass murder of six million Jewish men, women and children. Around 1.5 million Jewish children were murdered in the Holocaust. These Jewish communities had been part of these countries for centuries and had made huge cultural contributions. The Holocaust was unprecedented in scope and ambition, and many Jewish families in the UK have ancestors who were affected by these events. It is deeply hurtful when it is minimised, miscompared to other events, or made light of through jokes or casual comments.

DISCUSS GLOBAL EVENTS CAREFULLY

Acknowledge that it is entirely normal to be concerned about global injustice. However, ask why the Middle East can play such a central role in some discussions, when other conflicts and humanitarian crises, including in Yemen, Sudan, China, or Myanmar, may receive far less attention in the UK. Familiarise yourself with the IHRA definition of antisemitism. Question the idea that Jewish UK citizens are collectively responsible for the government of Israel. Use careful analogies: would it be fair to blame a British person of non-Jewish heritage for the actions of another country's government? If not, the same principle should apply to British Jewish citizens.

Meet Our Expert

The National Holocaust Centre & Museum is the only national museum in the UK dedicated to teaching and learning the lessons from the Holocaust, including education for younger children. The centre's statement of purpose is to provide a permanent memorial to the victims of the Holocaust.

See full reference list on our website

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- On Friday at 2.15pm we hold a presentation, whereby **EACH CHILD WILL RECEIVE AN ENGRAVED TROPHY** as well as many opportunities to win extra trophies, including the **World Cup Tournament, penalty shoot out competition, skill point winners and player of the camp.**
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- **The cost of the 5 day camp is £90 per child (There is a discounted rate of £60 for additional brothers and sisters). £25 daily rate. This will cover all coaching, referees, trophies and awards.**
- **With a high response expected and limited places available, bookings will be confirmed on a first come, first served basis.**

There will be consent forms to complete on arrival and payment should be made on the first morning of the camp.

Mark Frith (course co-ordinator) www.soccercoachinguk.co.uk

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Week 2 - Mon 27th July to Fri 31st July
Week 3 - Mon 3rd Aug to Fri 7th Aug
Week 4 - Mon 10th Aug to Fri 14th Aug
Week 5 - Mon 17th Aug to Fri 21st Aug
Week 6 - Tues 25th Aug to Thurs 27th Aug



Parent - "D enjoyed the camp so much last year, it's the only one he wants to do this year!"

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WHAT'S ON SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Garden openings 20 July - 31 Aug '26

Pop down and enjoy a couple of hours in the garden. A great place for children to play and adults to relax over a cuppa. Feel free to bring a picnic. Free entry and donations welcome towards drinks and snacks with cash or a packet of biscuits for the Biscuit Tin! Inclusive space. Craft & play activities available.

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Garden Open Session
5-7pm

FREE
EVERY TUESDAY
Holiday Activity Session
10am-12pm

FREE
EVERY WEDNESDAY
Holiday Activity Session
4-6pm

FREE
Fit for ALL CLUB
EVERY THURSDAY
SEND & Siblings sensory play session for Children age 4-12
11am-1pm
BOOKING ESSENTIAL
www.fitforall.club

FREE
EVERY FRIDAY
SEND-Friendly sensory play session
2-4pm

FREE
SAT 8 AUG, 2-4PM
Family Craft Club. Make artworks to take home & to display.

If the weather is good and volunteers are available, we may open Dawberry Corner garden with short notice.
Join the **WhatsApp group** on your first visit to get announcements!

FREE
SAT 25 JULY, 5-7PM
SAT 29 AUG, 5-7PM
Communi-tea Picnic. Music, games, crafts & play. Picnic optional.

No need to book (except Thursdays). Just turn up!

If raining or public weather heart alerts are in place, we may not open. Please check ahead.

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HOLIDAY CLUBS IN BIRMINGHAM

FOR AGES 4-16



Bring it on Brum

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MORE INFORMATION

Did you know that as well as free school meals during term time, your child can also access funded spaces at holiday clubs?

Through the Department for Education's Holiday Activity and Food Programme, known in Birmingham as Bring it on Brum!, children can attend local holiday clubs packed with fun activities, learning opportunities and healthy meals—all at no cost to you.

If your child is aged 4–16 and eligible for benefits-related free school meals, they're entitled to funded places at Bring it on Brum! holiday clubs.*

Our clubs offer a wide variety of activities, including sports, arts and crafts, cooking, dance, music, and more—so there's something to suit everyone! Each session also includes a nutritious meal to keep children happy, healthy and energised throughout the day.

Every club runs its own unique programme depending on its location, meaning there's always something new to discover.

Not eligible? Many clubs also offer paid places, so every child can still get involved and enjoy the fun.

*See website for full eligibility criteria.

IMPORTANT DATES

SPRING

Bookings open: 9th March 2026

Holiday clubs open: 30th March 2026 - 10th April 2026

SUMMER

Bookings open: 29th June 2026

Holiday clubs open: 20th July 2026 - 28th August 2026

WINTER

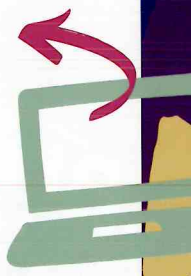
Bookings open: 30th November 2026

Holiday clubs open: 21st December 2026 - 31st December 2026

All dates exclude bank holidays and weekends.

HOW TO BOOK

1. Get your unique BIOB/ HAF code from your child's school
2. Go to our website bringitonbrum.co.uk
3. Follow our handy How to Book Guide
4. Subscribe to the Bring it on Brum! Newsletter



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