



SALTERSGATE INFANTS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers

Staff and pupils have all enjoyed a brilliant transition week at Saltersgate. Our youngest children visited Saltersgate Nursery for the first time for their 'Stay and Play' sessions and were absolutely amazing. They could be the best 'tidy up-ers' we have ever had! Our Year 2 children visited Scawsby Junior Academy and Mrs Cavell and the Y3 teachers were blown away by how **"happy, curious, friendly and self assured"** they all were! Well done, we are so proud of you! Our current Nursery, Reception and Year 1 children impressed their new teachers with how enthusiastic, respectful and independent they were – I know they will be absolutely fantastic next year!

Next week is a very busy week in Year 2 with their **leavers' performance** on Monday and our **residential** to Gulliver's Valley. We are very excited to celebrate the end of their journey at Saltersgate.

End of year school reports will be sent out next Thursday 17th July. Children going into Year 1 and 2 will also be bringing home a transition booklet with information about their new class for September.

Monday 21st July is the last school day of the year at Saltersgate Infants and we would like to celebrate with a **Summer Fun Day**. All children can bring their favourite cuddly toy to school to join in a Teddy Bears Picnic on the school field. Picnic sandwich choices will be ordered in advance so please choose on this link <https://forms.office.com/e/qC0mnZqhfN>. We will also be treating all children to a visit from the Ice Cream Van and a day of summer art and craft activities.

Have a lovely sunny weekend,

Mrs Anderson

GOLDEN CITIZENS

We would like to say a huge congratulations to all of our pupils who have been Golden Citizen this school year. You have all shown how hard you can work and how responsible you can be. You have done a variety of special roles both in the classroom and throughout school.

Thank you to everyone who took the time to come into school to be a part of the Friday assemblies and share in the children's achievements.

We look forward to choosing our Golden Citizens again after the Summer holidays.

🌸 SEN Request 🌸

Our SENCo, Miss McCue, would like to build up the toy collection for our wonderful SEN children.

"Happy Land" toys are a huge hit! If you have any Happy Land toys or similar that you could donate to school, it would be very much appreciated 😊

Thank you.



DIARY

July

- 14th Year 2 Leavers' Concert – 9.30 am or 1.45 pm
- 15th/
16th Year 2 Residential
- 17th Nursery Colour Run
Learning Ladybirds and Busy Bees (AM) – 10.30 am
Curious Caterpillars and Busy Bees (PM) – 2.15 pm
- 21st Summer Fun Day
- 21st Last day of term

Attendance this week

Class	Number of days absence
Nursery	11.5
Superworms	10.5
Smartest Giants	0
Gruffalos	2
Fantastic Foxes	7.5
BFGs	4
Enormous Crocodiles	5.5
Hungry Caterpillars	2.5
Busy Bugs	4
Honey Bees	1

On Monday 21st July

**we will be celebrating the last day
of the school year with a**

Summer Fun Day



Teddy Bears Picnic

Arts and Crafts

Ice Cream Van



**Please do not
park here**

We have been asked to remind parents not to park in the Tesco/Pickfords car park as this is for customers only and deliveries.

Parents are reminded that they are welcome to park at Aldi during morning and afternoon drop off. This has been agreed with the Aldi Store Manager.

Please can I ask ALL parents/carers to support us in this matter and to park safely, legally and responsibly.

Nursery Lunch Payments

Parents of children from Nursery that have attended Transition days in Reception will see that dinner money charges have been added to their ParentPay account.

It is important that payments are made to cover these costs as soon as possible and that any existing balances for our full-time Nursery children are cleared.

Payments should be made using ParentPay, our secure online payment system.



School's out for summer!



Kids are let loose from the school gates and parents finally have their little darlings home until the new school year starts... And then the chaos begins. Noise, tantrums, the constant need to entertain. Sound familiar? While it's great to have the family together all day, there's no denying the summer holidays can be a testing time for parents.

Here are our **top tips** on surviving the school holidays as stress-free as possible.

- **Have an activity jar** - Having activities pre-planned will help bust boredom. Ask your children to come up with 3 things they want to do to put in your 'activity jar'. Set clear rules, such as '1 thing near home', '1 thing with a friend', and '1 thing outside'
- **Don't go overboard** - It can be tempting to fill every day to the brim but that will only lead to grouchy kids and exhausted parents. Make space for quiet time
- **Build a routine** - Holidays are an exciting break from routine for children, but to avoid complete chaos it's best to keep some sort of routine, especially in the morning and bedtime.
- **Arrange play dates** - While we might think we're the fun parent, children will always be the best entertainers for other children. Arrange play dates to make the hours pass faster and catch up with other parents too.
- **Make time for you** - If you notice yourself getting snappy with your kids it might be an idea to put yourself on time-out. Take a moment to de-stress.



Family Rules



At the start of the holidays set, or re-assess, some house rules. What behaviour gets rewarded, and how? What behaviour needs addressing, and how? This might seem a bit 'super nanny' but you won't regret putting clear boundaries in place.

- **Get outside** - Kids aren't built to be cooped up inside. Make time to get out in nature, whether that's your local park or further afield, and give them space to pique their curiosity and explore.
- **Create a menu** - If mealtime meltdowns are a regular occurrence for you, discuss what meals you'll be cooking at the start of each week so your kids know what's coming. Invite them to help set the menu and assist with the cooking.
- **Set screen-time rules** - When you're busy, getting the iPad babysitter out can be tempting. While there's no shame in buying a little extra time with a screen, this is another important one to have clear boundaries in place.
- **Go to holiday clubs** - Don't feel you have to do it all! There are many great holiday clubs that provide the perfect opportunity for your kids to meet other children, gain skills, and give you the space you need to stay sane.

Remember to keep the big picture in mind- School holidays are a short and sweet time, and when your babies are big enough to fly the nest, you'll wish you had this much time with them again-

Take care of yourself and enjoy it!

Any safeguarding concerns please email head@saltersgate-inf.doncaster.sch.uk or familysupport@saltersgate-inf.doncaster.sch.uk



PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2025



moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

ANGUS STEAKHOUSE

Kids under 8 eat FREE daily, 12pm to 5pm

ASDA

Kids eat for £1 daily, with no adult spend

ASK ITALIAN

Kids under 10 eat for £1 during school holidays

BEEFEATER

Kids Eat FREE with Newsletter Voucher this Summer

BELLA ITALIA

Children eat for £1 with any adult main

BILLS

Kids Eat Free weekdays, 21st July - 29th Sept

BREWERS FAYRE

Kids Eat FREE with Newsletter Voucher this Summer

BREWDOG

2 Kids eat free with 1 adult, 19th July - 31st August

BURGER KING

From 28th July - 31st August, Kids Eat Free (via app)

CHIQUITO

Kids eat FREE Daily Until August 31st

DOBBIES GARDEN CENTRES

Kids eat for £1 with an adult breakfast or lunch

FRANKIE & BENNY'S

Kids Eat Free from 14th July - 31st August 2025

FUTURE INNS

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS

Kids under 10 eat FREE all day, every day

HARVESTER

Kids eat for £1, Mon - Fri via the App

HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

LAS IGUANAS

Kids under 12 eat FREE with 'My Las Iguanas' App

MARCO PIERRE WHITE

Kids under 12 Eat FREE daily with an adult spend

MORRISONS

Kids Eat FREE all day, every day with a £5 spend

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids eat FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

PREMIER INN & TRAVELODGE

2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free with 1 paying adult

PUREZZA

Kids under 10 get free pizza with every adult meal

SA BRAINS PUBS

Kids eat for £1 on Wednesdays

SIZZLING PUBS

Kids eat for £1, Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm

TABLE TABLE

2 Kids Eat free breakfast daily with 1 paying adult

TESCO

Kids Eat FREE with a 60p spend until Aug 31st

TGI FRIDAYS

Kids Eat Free with any adult meal (Via App)

THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE Sundays with £10 spend

TOBY CARVERY

Kids eat for £1 all day (weekdays) until Aug 29th

WHITBREAD INNS

2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

YO! SUSHI

Kids eat free all day (weekdays) in school holidays

ZIZZI

Kids eat free this summer holidays (ex Saturdays)

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Join us to connect and find support

COMMUNITY SUPPORT GATHERING

CMA, Well Doncaster, Stronger Communities, Creative Support and More....

MONDAY, JULY 14, 2025
13:00 - 15:00

BBC Foodbank invites all to
Bentley Baptist Church, Askern Road, DN5 0EW






ADWICK FIRE STATION OPEN DAY

SUNDAY 17th AUGUST 2025
10 am – 3 pm

ALL WELCOME! **FREE EVENT!**

- RTC Demonstrations 11:30 & 13:30!
- Soak-a-Firefighter!
- Meet your local fire crew!
- Raffle-Prizes!
- Turntable Ladder and more...!





www.syfire.gov.uk



New Beginnings

Marshall Ave, Doncaster DN4 0QP
Telephone 03000 212242

BEATING ADDICTION
IN COMMUNITIES

Come and join us for our Summer Fair

Thursday 14 August 2025

12 midday to 4.30pm



Tombola • Face painting • Games
Hook-a- Duck • Bouncy Castle
BBQ • Stocks • Pick and Mix stand
Plus much more!

FREE entry



Rotherham Doncaster and South Humber NHS Foundation Trust

Aspire Drug and Alcohol Services are provided in partnership by Rotherham Doncaster and South Humber NHS Foundation Trust (RDaSH) and The Alcohol and Drug Service (ADS).

Summer holiday fun, sorted!



Daunted by the prospect of entertaining the kids for six long weeks of school holidays?

There's no need to book - just drop in.

By donating £3, you'll be helping families learn and discover together.

Sheffield Museums has got you covered, with plenty of hands-on creative sessions across the museums throughout the summer break. Activities run 12 – 3pm on the following days:

Tues Weston Park Museum
Wed Millennium Gallery
Thu Kelham Island Museum

Find out more at sheffieldmuseums.org.uk



Sheffield Museums is a registered charity no. 1094032



Week 1									
Week Commencing 14.07.25									
Options	Red	Vegetarian	Yellow	Blue	Green	Orange	Purple	Served with	Dessert
Monday	All Day Breakfast	Vegetarian Breakfast	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Hash Brown, Baked Beans & Tinned Tomatoes	Banana Toffee Muffin Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Tuesday	Chicken Korma, Rice & ½ Naan bread	Quorn Cottage Pie & Yorkshire Pudding	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Garden Peas & Sweetcorn	Pineapple Shortcake Fresh Fruit
Wednesday	Savoury Beef Mince, Yorkshire Pudding & Mashed Potato	Macaroni Cheese & Garlic Slice	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Carrots and Broccoli	Ice Cream & Peaches Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Thursday	Chicken Pasta Bake & Garlic Slice	Veggie Hot Dog & Oven Baked Wedges	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Mixed Salad & Sweetcorn	Crackle Cookie Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Friday	Fish Fingers	Cheese & Tomato Pinwheel	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Crunchy Chips, Baked Beans & Garden Peas	Iced Sprinkle Sponge Fresh Fruit