



SALTERSGATE INFANTS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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12.09.25

Message from the Headteacher



Class Dojo is now set up for all classes and you will be receiving a code to log in to your child's class account. Each week staff will post reminders and key messages as well as sharing celebrations, learning experiences and resources for you to support your child's learning at home. In Nursery and Reception (and for some pupils in KS1) we will also use Seesaw as a Learning Journal to document learning. In order for your child's photograph to be shared on either platform it is crucial that we have received written permission via our Data Collection agreement. Permissions from previous years will be carried over so please notify the office staff if you would like to request any changes.

This week, children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 have begun their Forest School sessions and PE lessons. Thank you for sending pupils dressed for the very changeable weather. Please make sure that all items of clothing are named where possible as this really helps staff to locate the owners! Our children love learning outdoors and we have been exploring how we can develop our outdoor provision to increase opportunities for learning outside of the classroom across all areas of the curriculum. Each week staff will use Class Dojo to update you if there are any additional Forest School, outdoor learning or PE activities for their class.

It has been brilliant to see most of our children and families engaging with our 'Walk to School' campaign in association with Living Streets and the children (from Reception upwards) are very excited to begin collecting their new walk to school badges every month. More information can be found on the Living Streets WOW website, including information on how you can 'park and stride' if you live too far away to walk the whole journey to school.

Wishing you all a fabulous weekend,

Mrs Anderson

Our Golden Citizens for next week (15.09.25)	
Class	Golden Citizen
R-CH	Koby D
R-MH	Raul I
R-AT	Penny L
1-RL	Arlo G
1-PB	Jenson C
2-EM	Reuben G
2-JF	Willow H
2-TD	Jackson

It's time for a Macmillan Coffee Morning and you're invited

**DONATIONS REQUIRED
NO NUTS OR OATS PLEASE**

Let's do whatever it takes to support people living with cancer.

WHERE - SCHOOL HALL
WHEN - FRIDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER
FROM 9AM

COME ALONG AND ENJOY SOME COFFEE & CAKE WITH US!



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D I A R Y

September

26th Macmillan Coffee Morning

October

23rd Year 2 Eureka trip

24th Flu Immunisations (Reception to Year 2)

25th Last day of term

November

3rd School Closed - Training Day

4th School Re-opens

December

11th Reception Stick Man trip

Attendance this week

Class	Number of days absence
Nursery	7.5
R-CH	1.5
R-MH	9.5
R-AT	6
1-NM	0
1-RL	2
1-PB	1
2-EM	4
2-JF	12
2-TD	4

Forest School and PE Timetable week commencing 15.09.25

Day	Monday 15 th	Tuesday 16 th	Wednesday 17 th
	R-MH - Forest School 2EM - Forest School 2TD - PE	R-AT - Forest School 2NM - Forest School 1JF - PE	R-CH - Forest School 1RL - Forest School 1PB - PE

Data Collection and Medical Information Forms

Please return any Data Collection and Medical Information Forms as soon as possible. Duplicates have been sent out this week.



Thank you to the parents that have already returned their forms.

After School Clubs

We are pleased to invite interest in our after school clubs, initially from our Year 1 and Year 2 children, which will be led by a qualified instructor.

The classes will run half-termly, starting week commencing 15 September 2025 and finishing week commencing 13 October 2025. Each class will run from the end of the school day to 4.15 pm. (There will be no clubs held during the last week of this half term) The clubs available are:

Day	Club	Total Cost
Monday	Dodgeball	£12.50
Tuesday	Football	£12.50
Wednesday	Gymnastics (No club on 24.09.25)	£10.00



There is a charge of £2.50 per session with the total cost payable through ParentPay online. You will need to give consent on ParentPay also. Places will be allocated on a first come first served basis through ParentPay. Please note that it will not be possible to offer refunds if children are withdrawn from clubs once these have started.

School Holidays 2025-2026

Holiday	Schools Close (PM)	Re-open (AM)
Start of School Year		Tuesday 2 September
Autumn Half Term	Friday 24 October	Tuesday 4 November
Christmas	Friday 19 December	Tuesday 6 January
Spring Half Term	Friday 13 February	Monday 23 February
Easter	Friday 27 March	Monday 13 April
May Day	Friday 1 May	Tuesday 5 May
Summer Half Term	Thursday 21 May	Monday 1 June
Summer	Friday 17 July	

Training Days: Monday 1st September 2025
Monday 3rd November 2025
Monday 5th January 2026
Friday 22nd May 2026
Monday 20th July 2026

IMPORTANT

DEADLINES FOR SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Nursery Admissions

The deadline for parents wanting their child to start in Nursery in September 2026 is

Monday 6 October 2025

To apply visit: <https://www.doncaster.gov.uk/services/schools/nursery-admissions>

Reception Admissions and Junior School Admissions

The deadline for current Nursery parents wanting their child to start Reception in September 2026 is
The deadline for current Year 2 parents wanting their child to start Junior School in September 2026 is

Thursday 15 January 2026 (Online application are not yet available.)

Please keep checking for both applications at:

<https://www.doncaster.gov.uk/services/schools/primary-admissions>

For more information please visit www.doncaster.gov.uk/services/schools/school-admissions or
call Doncaster Council Admissions and Pupils Services Team on 736000

Doncaster Football Development



At Don Valley Academy (Sports Hall)
Jossey Lane, Scawthorpe, Doncaster, DN5 9DD
Starting on Monday 29th September 2025

In association with First Kick Football

School years - Reception & Year 1	6:00pm - 6:45pm
School years - Year 2 & Year 3	6:45pm - 7:30pm
School years - Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6	7:30pm - 8:30pm

Dear parents,
Places are now available to join a new 12-week football course every Monday at Don Valley Academy, which is open to both boys and girls.

Our courses teach children correct football techniques by FA qualified coaches who have full DBS (CRB) clearance to work with children. The structure for the course is 'FUN through Football,' building confidence for total beginners and moving onto more complex sessions for experienced players.

We provide a ball per player for the majority of our drills ensuring children get more touches of the ball and improve quicker than conventional coaching where children are waiting around to have a turn. The sessions are held in the fantastic sports hall so trainers should be worn. Players are also advised to bring a still drink for the session.

The club has links to local junior teams of which players will be able to play for at the weekend. Players who show advanced ability on the course will be recommended for trials at professional academies. Players who have previously attended courses are currently playing for Derby County, Nottingham Forest, Manchester United, Liverpool, Chesterfield, Sheffield United, Sheffield Wednesday, Doncaster and Rotherham.

The cost of the course is just £6.25 per week, which is payable in two instalments. The first payment of £25 is due when booking your child on and the second payment of £50 due at the first session. Parents are encouraged to watch the sessions but are welcome to leave children, as every session is fully supervised.

NEW TOURNAMENT FORMAT

Every four weeks we have a tournament in order for the children to put their new-found skills into practice with medals awarded at the end of the course for various categories.

ALL PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY AND MEDAL at the presentation, which is held on the final week of the course. Additional trophies will also be awarded in each group from categories including; Best Attitude, Star Player, Most Improved Player, Most Promising Player and Hardest Working Player.

To book a place for your child please telephone:



Joe
0114 698 2794 or 07514 316534
www.firstkick.co.uk



We cannot guarantee that the course will run in consecutive weeks
Please note we have a strict no refund policy once the course has been booked

Raring2go!

Here is the Raring2go! for Autumn, magazine link ... It covers what's on and things to do for families during the Autumn ...



[CLICK HERE FOR LINK](#)

Enjoy doing all the activities and have lots of fun in the process!

Best wishes

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Week 3	Week Commencing							15.09.25	06.10.25
Options	Red	Vegetarian	Yellow	Blue	Green	Orange	Purple	Served with	Dessert
Monday	Pizza & Mini Potato Crunchies	Quorn Curry, Rice & ½ Naan	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Baked Beans Mixed Salad	Blond Rice Krispy Cake Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Tuesday	Chicken Tikka Curry, Rice & ½ Naan	Vegetable Fingers & Seasoned Wedges	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Sweetcorn Carrot & Cucumber Sticks	Ice Cream Tub Fresh Fruit
Wednesday	Gammon Slice, Yorkshire Pudding & Mashed Potatoes	Mediterranean Pasta Bake & 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 & Garden Peas	Chocolate Oat Crunch Bar Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Thursday	Pork & Carrot Meatballs in Tomato Sauce, Spaghetti & Garlic Slice	Quorn Sausage, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Broccoli & Sweetcorn	Apple Muffin Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Friday	Fish Flippers	Margherita Pizza	Jacket Potato with Cheese and Baked Beans & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Crunchy Chips, Baked Beans or Garden Peas	Chocolate & Mandarin Sponge Fresh Fruit

Week 1									
Week Commencing 22.09.25 13.10.25									
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

Week 2									
Week Commencing 08.09.25 29.09.25 20.10.25									
Options	Red	Vegetarian	Yellow	Blue	Green	Orange	Purple	Served with	Dessert
Monday	Calzone	Quorn Pizza Burger & Tomato Ketchup	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Oven Baked Wedges, Sweetcorn & Garden Peas	Ice Cream Roll Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Tuesday	Spaghetti Bolognese & Garlic Slice	Vegan Roll & Oven Baked Wedges	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Mixed Salad	Apple Flapjack Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Wednesday	Pork & Stuffing Pie & Gravy	Vegetarian Sausage, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli & Carrots	Fresh Orange Fudge Pudding Fresh Fruit
Thursday	Chicken Goujons	Cheese Flan	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans & Side Salad	Ham Sandwich & Side Salad	Cheese Sandwich & Side Salad	Egg Sandwich & Side Salad	Tuna Sandwich & Side Salad	Mini Potato Crunchies, Baked Beans & Homemade Coleslaw	Butterscotch Cookie & Apple Wedge Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
Friday	Fish Portion	Garlic Slice Pizza	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, & Garden Peas	Chocolate Crunch Fresh Fruit