



GRACE DIEU
MANOR SCHOOL

Spring Term

DIARY 2018

Learning and growing in the
light of the Gospel

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- Parents are warmly invited to any event printed in italics
- **Mass** is available for pupils, staff and parents at 9.00am every Friday
- **Parents' Coffee Morning** is on Wednesdays: 8.30-9.30am (de Lisle Room)
- **GDPA "Nearly New" Uniform Shop**
opens: Every Wednesday 8.30-9.30am
- All **Games Fixtures** start at 2.30pm unless otherwise stated
- **Mothers' Prayer Group** is every Friday morning after Mass (Pastoral Room)

JAN

- Fri 5 **Staff INSET, 9am-3:30pm**
New Pupil Induction: 3.45pm
- Sun 7 **Epiphany**
- Week 1*
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- Mon 8 **Term Begins**
- Tues 9 **'Young Voices' Rehearsal**
- Wed 10 **'Young Voices' Concert**
- Thurs 11 **The Children's Kitchen - 1st Birthday Celebration**
- Fri 12 **Whole School Mass (Chapel) 9am**
- Week 2*
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- Mon 15 **Years 3-6 Activities Start**
CAFOD Lampedusa Cross comes to Grace Dieu
- Tues 16 Years 1 & 5 Fire and Rescue Presentations
Maths Subject Co-Ordinator's Meeting 10am
- Wed 17 **GDPA Meeting (de Lisle Room) 9.15am**
Science Subject Co-Ordinator's Meeting 10am
Netball: U11 A, B & C v Ranby (A) 2:30pm
- Thurs 18 **Class Mass 3B**
Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity
Football: U8 & U9 v Stoneygate (H) 2:30pm
Netball: U8 & U9 v Stoneygate (A) 2:30pm
CISC Conference, Liverpool

Fri 19

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Eco-Committee Meeting (9.30am)

School Council Meeting (9.30am)

Week 3

Mon 22

Year 5 visiting Nottingham Cathedral

Pre Prep Activities Start

Tues 23

Open Morning: 9.30am - 1pm

First Communion Parents' Meeting 4.15pm (Pastoral Room)

Wed 24

Boys & Girls: U9 & U11 St Anselm's Cross-Country Meet

Thurs 25

Football: U9 A & B v Pennine Way (H) 3pm

Netball: U9 A & B v Pennine Way (H) 3pm

RE Twilight Session (5-6pm)

Class Mass 5M & 5N

Conversion of St Paul

Fri 26

Computing Subject Co-Ordinator's Meeting (8am)

Swans Trip to Cadbury World

Week 4

Mon 29

Governors' Sub-Committee Meetings (2.30pm onwards)

Walk in the Woods - Year 6 John Muir Award (5-6.00pm)

Wed 31

English Subject Co-Ordinator's Meeting

Football: U11 A, B & C v Smallwood (H) 2:30pm

Netball: U11 A, B & C v St Anselm's (A) 2pm

FEB

Thurs 1

Years 5 & 6 Visit to Cadbury's World

Fri 2

Years 3 and 4 Viking Visit

Football: U9 A & B v Lichfield (H) 3pm

Netball: U9 A & B v Lichfield (H) 3pm

The Presentation of Our Lord

Nicky Morgan meets the School Council

Sun 4

Family Mass (Chapel) 10am

Week 5

Mon 5

PIRA & PUMA Testing KSI/2

Abacus Testing

(Music Lessons tbc)

Whole School STEM Week begins

- Tues 6 *Football: U11 A, B & C v Lichfield (H) 3pm*
Netball: U11 A & B v Lichfield (H) 3pm
Years 3 & 4 Parents' Evening (4.15pm)
Swans Parents' Evening (4.00 - 6.00pm)
- Wed 7 *Football: U11 A & B v Pennine Way (A) 2:30pm*
Netball: U11 A & B v Smallwood (H) 2:30pm
Swans Parents' Evening (4.00 - 6.00pm)
- Thurs 8 **Open Morning: 9.30am - 1pm**
Class Mass 4CM & 4EM
- Fri 9 **Home Clothes Charity Day**
Break Up for Half Term:
Pre Preparatory: 3.30pm
Junior Prep (Years 3-6): 4.00pm
- Sun 11 **Our Lady of Lourdes**
- Wed 14 **ASH WEDNESDAY - start of Lent**
- Sun 18 **First Sunday of Lent**
- Week 6**
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- Mon 19 **Term Begins**
Life Education Centre in School
Year 1 Parents' Evening (4-5.30pm)
Year 2 Parents' Evening (4-5.30pm)
Year 6 Parents' Evening (5.15pm)
- Tues 20 **Life Education Centre in School**
Year 1 Parents' Evening (3.30-5.00pm)
Year 2 Parents' Evening (5-6.30pm)
Year 5 Parents' Evening (5.15pm)
- Wed 21 **Life Education Centre in School**
Netball: U11 A&B v Maidwell B (tri) (A) 2:30pm
- Thurs 22 **Class Mass 60 & 6T**
- Fri 23 **February Fantasia**
- Sun 25 **Second Sunday of Lent**
- Week 7**
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- Mon 26 **Data Meeting 10am**

Tues 27 **Year 5&6 Swimming Gala @ Ratcliffe 4pm**

Wed 28 **GDPA Meeting (de Lisle Room) 9.15am**

Football: U11 A & B v The Elms (A) 2pm

Netball: U11 A & B v The Elms (A) 2pm

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Thurs 1 **Open Morning: 9.30am - 1pm**

Lenten Reconciliation Day (Years 5 & 6)

WORLD BOOK DAY

St David

U9 Grace Dieu Cross-Country Meet

RE Twilight Session (5-6pm)

Fri 2 **Forest Tots (Nursery)**

Sun 4 **Third Sunday of Lent**

Week 8

Tues 6 *U11 Boys & Girls' Worksop Cross Country Meet (12-5pm)*

Governors' Finance Meeting, 4.30pm

Wed 7 *Football: U11 Tournament @ LGJS 1:30pm*

Netball: U11 Tournament @ LGJS 1:30pm

Netball: U10 Tournament @ Pennine Way 2:30pm

Thurs 8 **IAPS Swimming Gala @ Stamford Endowed School**

Years 3 & 4 Lenten Liturgy and First Confessions (3pm) Chapel

Fri 9 Eco-Committee Meeting (9.30am)

School Council Meeting (9.30am)

Swans Visit to Botanical Gardens

Football: U9 A&B v Smallwood (H) 3pm

Netball: U9 A&B v Smallwood (H) 3pm

Sat 10 **Night at the Opera**

Sun 11 **Mothering Sunday (Laetare Sunday)**

Week 9

Mon 12 **Years 1 & 2 Trip to The Space Centre, Leicester**

Years 3 & 4 House Swimming Gala (3.00pm)

Tues 13 **Swans & Year 1 Swimming Gala (9.30am)**

Cygnets Parents' Evening (6.00-8.00pm)

- Wed 14 **Cygnets Swimming Celebration (9.30am)**
Football: U10 Tournament @ LGJS 1:30pm
Netball: U10 Tournament @ LGJS 1:30pm
Hockey vs Bilton Grange (A) 2:30pm
Stevenson's Uniform Suppliers - 2.30-5.00pm
(Arts Hall)
- Thurs 15 **Year 2 House Swimming Gala (9.30am)**
 Year 5 Boys & Girls' History Masterclass @ LGS
 Grace Dieu Priory Trust Meeting (2-4pm)
Years 3 & 4 Easter Drama (3pm) Arts Hall
Cygnets Parents' Evening (6.00 - 8.00pm)
- Fri 16 **Years 5 & 6 House Swimming Gala (3.00pm)**
 Years 3 & 4 Easter Drama for School (9.00am) Arts Hall
Cygnets trip to Botanical Gardens -
Bear Hunt Experience
Study Cards (Years 1 - 6)
- Sat 17 **St Patrick**
- Sun 18 **Fifth Sunday of Lent**
- Week 10**
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- Mon 19 Abacus Testing
St Joseph
Governors' Full Board Meeting, 4.30pm
- Tues 20 **Open Morning: 9.30am - 1pm**
U11 A&B Girls' Netball vs Highclare (H) 3.00pm
- Wed 21 *Football: U11 A, B & C v Stoneygate (H) 2:30pm*
Netball: U11 A,B&C v Stoneygate (A) 2:30pm
- Fri 23 **John Muir Celebration Day (Year 6)**
Junior Prep (3-6) Lenten Liturgy (3pm) Chapel
End of Term
Pre Preparatory: 3.30pm
Junior Prep (Years 3-6): 4.00pm
- Sun 25 **Palm Sunday**
- Mon 26 **HOLY WEEK**
- APR**
- Sun 1 **EASTER SUNDAY**
- Fri 6 **Forest Tots (Nursery)**

SUMMER TERM 2018

Staff in Service Training		Friday 13 April
Term Begins		Monday 16 April
May Day Bank Holiday		Monday 7 May
Half Term Begins	(after classes)	Friday 25 May
Half Term Ends	(classes begin)	Monday 4 June
Summer Term Ends	(after classes)	Friday 6 July

AUTUMN TERM 2018

Staff in Service Training		Thursday 30 August
Staff in Service Training		Friday 31 August
Term Begins		Monday 3 September
Half Term Begins	(after classes)	Friday 12 October
Half Term Ends	(classes begin)	Monday 29 October
Autumn Term Ends	(after classes)	Friday 14 December

SPRING TERM 2019

Staff in Service Training		Friday 4 January
Term Begins		Monday 7 January
Half term Begins	(after classes)	Friday 15 February
Half term End	(classes begin)	Monday 25 February
Spring Term Ends	(after classes)	Friday 5 April

SUMMER TERM 2019

Staff in Service Training		Friday 26 April
Term Begins		Monday 29 April
May Day Bank Holiday		Monday 6 May
Half Term Begins	(after classes)	Friday 24 May
Half Term Ends	(classes begin)	Monday 3 June
Summer Term Ends	(after classes)	Friday 5 July

Headmistress	Mrs M Kewell
Deputy Head (Curriculum Manager)	Mrs A Tallett
Head of Pre-Preparatory & EYFS Lead	Mrs N Dexter
Chaplain	Fr D Labartette, I.C.
Lead Teacher Years 3 & 4	Mrs E Mc Dermott
Senior Teacher	Mr J Oldham
Headmistress' PA and Registrar	Mrs R Iley
Head Boy	George Tallett
Head Girl	Praise Odunmbaku
Deputy Head Boy	Thomas Gilbert
Deputy Head Girl	Harriett Walne
Captain of Football	Harry Cursham
Vice-Captain of Football	Joshua Blick
Captain of Netball	Praise Odunmbaku
Vice-Captain of Netball	Harriett Walne
Swimming Captain	Alfie Whyte
Head of Orchestra	Ella Banks
Head of Chapel Choir	Praise Odunmbaku
Head of Senior Choir	Patrick Cross
Head of Drama	Isaac Warren
Head of Jazz Band	William Bridge
Lead Sacristans/Altar Servers	Cameron Balduckie, Jack Batten, Eleanor Bradley, Patrick Cross, Olivia Monkhouse Harriett Walne
Librarians	Ella Banks, Lucinda Barrington, Ruby Clarke, James Crawford, Max Evans, Praise Odunmbaku, Olivia Monkhouse,

Librarians	Sofia Rowlands, Harriett Walne, Isaac Warren
Digital Leaders	Ella Banks, Joshua Blick, Alisha Cartwright, Lilia Chester, Patrick Cross, William Dooley, James Mulligan, Thomas Prosser
Eco Committee Leaders	Jack Batten, Lilia Chester, Megan Garton, Zain Mallick,
Animal Care (chickens and alpacas)	John Ikin, Lilia Chester, Lillie-Anne Gray, Lucinda Barrington
Bishops House Captains	Joshua Blick, Sofia Rowlands, Harry Chastney
De Lisle House Captains	Harry Cursham, Ruby Clarke
Gentili House Captains	Tobias Hollington, Megan Garton
Verdun House Captains	Cameron Balduckie, Josie Snell

DAILY ROUTINE

Early Morning Care from 8am

Cygnets - Year 2: Gentili Centre
Years 3 & 4: Years 3 and 4 Area
Years 5 & 6: The Hub

SCHOOL DAY

Pre-Preparatory Department

Registration: **8.55am**
Classes end: **3.30pm**
Supervision ends: **6pm**

The Tiffin Club operates for the Pre-Preparatory Department from **4pm - 6pm**.

Junior Prep (Years 3 - 6)

Bell and Registration: **8.30am**
Classes end: **4pm**
Prep: **4.15-5pm**
Supervision ends at: **6pm**

Please note that all children must be in School for Statutory Registration at the start of their School Day.

Out of Hours Contact Number: 01530 222276

(calls will be diverted to Duty Member in The Hub between 5-6pm)

Tiffin: 01530 610428



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