



GRACE DIEU
MANOR SCHOOL

Summer Term

DIARY 2019

Learning and growing in the
light of the Gospel

Summer Term Diary 2019

- Parents are warmly invited to any event printed in italics
- All parents are welcome to attend **Mass/Class Mass** every Friday morning at 9am in the Chapel (refreshments available in the de Lisle Room). **Mothers' Prayers** from 8.40am in the Pastoral Room.
- **Parents' Coffee Morning** is on Wednesdays: 8.30-9.30am (de Lisle Room) – all are welcome to attend
- **GDPA "Nearly New" Uniform Shop** opens every Wednesday 8.30 -9.30am

APRIL

Fri 26

Staff INSET, 9am-3:30pm

New Pupil Induction: 3.45pm

Week 1

Mon 29

Term Starts

MAY

Wed 1

St. Joseph the Worker

Year 3&4 Residential Parents' Meeting (4.15pm) The Hub

Cricket: U11 A&B vs Smallwood (A) 2.30pm

Rounders: U11 A&B vs Smallwood (H) 2.30pm

Thurs 2

Grace Dieu Priory Trust Meeting (de Lisle)

Cargo Carrier Challenge - 3M Judging (pm)

Year 5 Residential Parents' Meeting (4.15pm) Year 5 Classroom

Eco Committee Fundraising Event (4 - 5.30pm)

Fri 3

Whole School Mass (Chapel) 9am

Raising of Green flag ECO Award 10.00 am (Flagpole)

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Slo-Mo Marble Challenge - 3M Judging (pm)

Eco Committee & Friends of Thringstone Litter Pick (1.30 - 3.30pm)

Eco Committee Fundraising Event (4 - 5.30pm)

Week 2

- Mon 6 **Bank Holiday Monday - School Closed**
- Tues 7 Years 3-6 Activities Start
Year 5 Taster Day at Amherst
- Wed 8 Open Morning (9.30am - 1pm)
Cricket: U11 A&B vs Stoneygate (A) 2.30pm
Rounders: U11 A&B vs Bilton Grange & Stoneygate (tri-tourn) (H) 2.30pm
GDPA Meeting (The Refectory)
- Thurs 9 Joint Grace Dieu & Ratcliffe Year 4 Retreat @ Ratcliffe
- Fri 10 Mighty Monument Challenge - 3M Judging (am)
Eco-Committee and School Council Meetings (9.30am)
Forest Tots (Nursery) 9.30 - 11.00am
Lunchtime Concert (1.00pm) Arts Hall
Premiere of Year 6 Film with Pudding Bag Productions (3.00pm) Arts Hall
- Sat 11 *Holy Communion Retreat to Mt St Bernard Abbey, (10am - 2pm)*

Week 3

- Mon 13 Pre Prep Activities Start
Year 1&2 Trip to Conkers - Global Garden Workshop
Governors Sub Committee Meetings, 2.30pm
- Wed 15 Years 3 & 4 Residential Trip to Kingswood, Staffordshire departs
Cricket: U11 A&B vs The Elms (A) 2pm
- Thurs 16 Year 5 Science Taster Day at Ratcliffe College (8.30am - 1.30pm)
Year 5&6 Performance of 'Ye-Ha!' (3pm) Arts Hall
Nursery Parents' Evening (The Hub)
- Fri 17 Years 3 & 4 Residential Trip returns
Year 6 Trip to Warning Zone (10.15am - 3.15pm)
- Sun 19 *First Holy Communion & Family Mass (Chapel) 10am*

Week 4

- Mon 20 ABRSM Examinations
- Tues 21 Year 5 Residential Trip to York departs

- Wed 22 *Year 6 French Trip Information Evening (5pm) Year 6 Classroom*
- Thurs 23 *Cricket: U9 A,B&C vs Pennine Way (H) 2.30pm*
Rounders: U9 A,B&C vs Pennine Way (A) 2.30pm
- Fri 24 *Mothers' Prayers Meeting*
Lunchtime Concert (1.00pm) Arts Hall
Year 5 Residential Trip returns
Home Clothes Charity Day
Break Up for Half Term:
Nursery and Cygnets: 6pm
Pre Preparatory: 3.30pm
Junior Prep: 4pm

JUNE

Week 5

- Mon 3 **Term Starts**
PIRA/PUMA/SWST & Abacus Testing
(Music Lessons tbc)
Year 6 John Muir Award Presentation (3.30pm)
- Tues 4 Open Morning (9.30am - 1pm)
Scholastic Book Fair begins
Cricket: U11 A&B vs Lichfield (A) 3.00pm
Rounders: U11 A&B vs Lichfield (A) 3.00pm
- Wed 5 Year 2&3 Picnic at Grace Dieu Priory Ruins (12 noon)
Stevensons Uniform Suppliers in School (Arts Hall) 2.30-5pm
U11 6 aside Hardball League @ Uppingham (9.45am - 6.00pm)
Rounders: U11 A&B vs Witham (H) 2.30pm
- Thurs 6 *Cricket: U9 A,B&C vs Nottingham High (H) 3pm*
Rounders: U9 A,B&C vs Stoneygate (H) 2.30pm
Year 2-3 Parents' Transition Meeting (de Lisle Room) 4.00pm
- Fri 7 Swans visit to Calke Abbey
Eco Committee and School Council Meetings (9.30am)
Cricket: U9 A,B&C vs Lichfield (H) 3.00pm
Rounders: U9 A,B&C vs Lichfield (H) 3.00pm
Forest Tots (Nursery) 9.30 - 11.00am

Sun 9 Pentecost Sunday

Week 6

Mon 10 Prize Day Rehearsal

Tues 11 Scholastic Book Fair ends
Team & Choir Photos (10.30am) tbc

Wed 12 LAMDA Exams
Cricket: U11 A&B vs Pennine Way (H) 2.30pm
Rounders: U11 A vs Pennine Way (A) 2.30pm;
U11B vs Nottingham High (A) 2.30pm
GDPA Meeting (The Refectory)

Thurs 13 Prize Day Rehearsal (incl. Music)

Fri 14 *Whole School Prize Day*

Sun 16 Trinity Sunday
Fathers' Day

Week 7

Mon 17 *Fathers' Day Breakfast (Nursery)*
Year 6 French Trip departs
Governors Finance Meeting, 4.30pm

Tues 18 Year 5 Taster Day at Loughborough Foundation Schools
Year 3&4 Swimming Gala @ Ibstock 11.00am

Wed 19 Cygnets visit Swans' classroom (9.30 - 11.30am)

Thurs 20 Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ
Cricket: U9 A,B&C vs Stoneygate (A) 2.30pm
Transition Meeting for Swans to Year 1 Parents
(de Lisle Room) 4.00pm

Sat 22 Year 6 French Trip returns
Feast of John Fisher & Thomas More
GDPA Summer Ball

Week 8

Tues 25 Open Morning (9.30am - 1pm)
Year 5&6 Swimming Gala @ Ibstock 11.00am
Cygnets visit Swans' classroom (pm)
Transition Meeting for Staff (4.30 - 6.00pm) Arts Hall

- Wed 26 *Altar Servers' Mass (Chapel) 9am*
Cricket: U11 A&B vs Witham (H) 2.30pm
SSSI Walk for Cygnets/Swans Parents and Children
(2.30pm) followed by Transition Meeting for Parents
(de Lisle Room) 4pm
- Thurs 27 *Cricket: U9 A,B&C vs Pennine Way (H) 2.30pm*
Rounders: U9 A,B&C vs Pennine Way (H) 2.30pm
GDPA School Disco (Arts Hall)
Parents in the Forest (Nursery)
- Fri 28 *Sacred Heart of Jesus*
Year 6 Affirmations Assembly (The Hub) 9am
Sports Day: Pre Prep 12.30pm, Junior Prep 2.15pm
- Sat 29 *Feast of Saint Peter and Paul*
- Sun 30 *Faith In Families Picnic at Grace Dieu*

JULY

Week 9

- Mon 1 *Feast of Blessed Antonio Rosmini*
Summer Serenade Rehearsal (10.30am - 12.30pm)
Cygnets' Teddy Bears Picnic (pm)
Governors Full Board Meeting, 4.30pm
- Tues 2 *End of Year Whole School Mass (Chapel) 9am*
Summer Serenade - Years 3-6 (7pm)
- Wed 3 *Whole School Transition Morning*
End of Year Reports: Pre-Prep & Junior Prep
- Thurs 4 *Years 3-6 Outings Day*
Pre-Prep Pirate & Enchanted Castle Day with History
off the Page
- Fri 5 *Forest Tots (Nursery) 9.30 - 11.00am*
End of Term:
Nursery and Cygnets: 6pm
Pre Preparatory: 3.30pm
Junior Prep: 4pm
- Sun 7 *HCPT Picnic at Grace Dieu*
- Thurs 11 *Nursery Sports Day*

SUMMER ACTIVITY CLUB DATES:

Monday 29th July - Friday 2nd August 2019
Monday 5th - Friday 9th August 2019
Monday 12th - Friday 16th August 2019
(Book direct with Tayplay - www.tayplaysport.co.uk)

Monday 8th July - Friday 12th July 2019
Monday 15th July - Friday 19th July 2019
Monday 22nd July - Friday 26th July 2019
Monday 19th August - Friday 23rd August 2019
Tuesday 27th August - Friday 30th August 2019
(Book using GD form and hand to Miss Wardle)

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

AUTUMN TERM 2019

Staff in Service Training		Thursday 29 August
Staff in Service Training		Friday 30 August
Term Begins		Monday 2 September
Half Term Begins	(after classes)	Friday 18 October
Half Term Ends	(classes begin)	Monday 4 November
Autumn Term Ends	(after classes)	Friday 13 December

SPRING TERM 2020

Staff in Service Training		Friday 3 January
Term Begins		Monday 6 January
Half Term Begins	(after classes)	Friday 14 February
Half Term Ends	(classes begin)	Monday 24 February
Spring Term Ends	(after classes)	Friday 27 March

SUMMER TERM 2020

Staff in Service Training		Friday 17 April
Term Begins		Monday 20 April
May Day Bank Holiday		Monday 4 May
Half Term Begins	(after classes)	Friday 22 May
Half Term Ends	(classes begin)	Monday 1 June
Summer Term Ends	(after classes)	Friday 3 July

Headmistress	Mrs M Kewell
Deputy Head (Curriculum Manager)	Mrs V Darby
Acting Head of Pre-Preparatory	Mrs J Broadley
Chaplain	Fr D Labartette, I.C.
Lead Teacher Years 3 & 4	Mrs F Burley
Senior Teacher	Mr J Oldham
Headmistress' PA and Registrar	Mrs R Iley
Head Boy	Archie Jelley
Head Girl	Layla Golby
Deputy Head Boy	Marley Webb
Deputy Head Girl	Charlotte Burns
Captain of Cricket	Henry Buss
Vice-Captain of Cricket	George Snelson
Captain of Rounders	Layla Golby
Vice-Captain of Rounders	Beatrice Farmer
Swimming Captain	Fitz Fantham
Cross Country Captain	George Snelson
Head of Orchestra & Jazz Band	Joshua Lee
Head of Chapel Choir	David Sturla
Heads of Senior Choir	Layla Golby & Beatrice Farmer
Head of Drama	Beatrice Farmer
Lead Sacristans/Altar Servers	Joshua Balduckie
	Alice Crosnier
	Fitz Fantham
	Huw Gamble
	George Snelson
	David Sturla
Librarians	Alice Crosnier
	Arham Ahmad
	Henry Buss
	Joshua Balduckie
	Sean Hughes

Digital Leaders	Arham Ahmad Charlotte Burns Fitz Fantham Henry Buss Oliver Davies
Eco Committee Leaders	Archie Jelley Bertie Bream Henry Buss, Oliver Davies Huw Gamble
Animal Care (chickens and alpacas)	Alice Crosnier Darcey Connolly Huw Gamble Joshua Lee Sean Hughes
Bishops House Captains	Darcey Connolly Marley Webb George Snelson
De Lisle House Captains	Beatrice Farmer Oliver Davies
Gentili House Captains	David Sturla Sean Hughes
Verdun House Captains	Skye Whittaker Bertie Bream

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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