



Welcome to this week's
 Information Newsletter

If your child is off school, please
 can you call the school office

01246 823240.

World Book Day

We will be celebrating World Book Day next Friday 6th March. We would like to invite children to dress up as their favourite book character and bring their book along to share (we have plenty of books in school - if you don't have a copy at home we can probably find it in our library!)

Your child will also be getting a voucher for a free book - you can check which shops stock the World Book Day books on the map via the link below:
worldbookday.com/books-and-tokens/participating-retailers-events



Breakfast Club Interest

We may have the opportunity to start a free breakfast club. Can you please complete the attached survey so we can gauge interest.
forms.office.com/e/cnBh2c4mcH

Dates for Diary

Date	Event
Friday 6 th March	World Book Day
Monday 9 th March- Wednesday 11 th March	Y5 PGL Residential
Monday 30 th March- Friday 10 th April	Easter Holidays
Wednesday 29 th April	Class Photos
May	KS1 Tests
Monday 4 th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 11 th May- Thursday 14 th May	KS2 SATs
Monday 1 st June- Friday 12 th June	Multiplication Tests
Wednesday 1 st July	Longshaw Rivers Trip Year 4



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Bolsover community open day

Come along to meet new people, learn new skills,
and have fun. Connect with local organisations
making a difference in your community.

Tuesday 31 March 2026, 10am till 2pm

At Bolsover Adult Community Education Centre
Castle Street, Bolsover S44 6PP

Email: bolsover.ace@derbyshire.gov.uk
Telephone: 01629 537912



Get
involved,
everyone
is welcome!

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HOLIDAY CLUBS

IN DERBYSHIRE

it's about me
Derbyshire's Holiday Activity and
Food Programme

2026

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 Derbyshire as It's About Me, 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 It's About Me 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.

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: 23rd July 2026 - 4th September 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 IAM/ HAF code from your child's school
- 2 Go to our website itsaboutmederbyshire.co.uk
- 3 Follow our handy How to Book Guide
- 4 Subscribe to the It's About Me Newsletter



*See website for full eligibility criteria.



MORE INFORMATION:
itsaboutmederbyshire.co.uk



Parking

Please park considerately and legally before school and at home-time. You must not park on yellow or white lines, the pavements or block driveways. Please do not park in the bus lane especially on swimming days.

Menu Change

On Thursday 5th March, there will be a menu change due to it being a themed day. The theme is 'World Book Day'. The main will be chicken goujons or southern style burger. This will be served with potato puffs & vegetables. The dessert will be doughnuts with a strawberry sauce.

Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
17.11.25	The Main Event Vegetarian Sausage Roll, with Baked Beans & Herby Potatoes.	Pork Meatball Sub with a side of Pasta & Seasonal Vegetables	Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy	Chicken Curry with Mixed Rice, Seasonal Vegetables & Flatbread	Golden Crumbed Fish Fingers with Chips, Peas & Sweetcorn
08.12.25					
12.01.26	Alternative Choice Pasta with Homemade Tomato Sauce & Seasonal Vegetables	Jacket Potato with Filling & Seasonal Vegetables	Old School Cheesy Potato & Bean Pie with Seasonal Vegetables	Mac & Cheese with Seasonal Vegetables & Flatbread	Pizza Panini with Chips, Peas & Sweetcorn
02.02.26					
02.03.26					
23.03.26	Daily Choice Pasta Pot, Filled Jacket Potato or a Sandwich meal. Please speak with your school for their selection.				
	Dessert Toffee Apple Muffin	Chocolate Crunch with Fruit	Cook's Choice of Mousse	Carrot Cake Cookie	Saucy Chocolate Pudding