



*Make Every Minute
Meaningful*

Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back to the Autumn 2 term; we hope you had a restful break! Please keep an eye out for correspondence from school as there are lots of exciting events and important dates coming up! We look forward to seeing you all at our upcoming parents evenings and school activities.

Best wishes, Mrs Pinto & Mrs Webb



November dates

Friday 7th November: Year 5 Living Rainforest trip

Tuesday 11th November: Year 6 Into Film Cinema trip

Wednesday 12th November: Year 4 Into Film Cinema trip

Monday 17th November: Anti-bullying week

Wednesday 19th November: Parents evenings 3:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 19th November: Year 2 Into Film Cinema trip

Thursday 20th November: Parents evenings 3:30pm—5:30pm

Friday 21st November: Family Bingo (PTA event)

Wednesday 26th November: Year 5 Into Film Cinema trip

Thursday 27th November: TT Rockstars Day (KS2)/Numbots day (KS1) (rockstar/robot themed mufti)

November 2025

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December dates

Thursday 4th December: Garrison Choir evening (for Choir club)

Monday 8th December: Christmas Grotto - 3:30 - 6pm

Tuesday 9th December: Christmas Grotto - 3:30 - 6pm

Friday 12th December: Year 6 pantomime trip

Monday 15th December: Year R Nativity - 9:45am - 10:45am

Wednesday 17th December: Year 2 Christmas Carol concert - 2-2:45pm (parents invited)

Thursday 18th December: Christmas jumper day

Christmas lunch day

Church Service for KS2 (parents invited)

Year 1 Christmas Carol concert - 2-2:45pm (parents invited)

Friday 19th December: Last day of term

January

Monday 5th January: Inset day

Tuesday 6th January: Return to school

December 2025

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Online Safety: Being Smart with Screens

As technology evolves, so does the need to help children use it safely and positively. Through our computing curriculum, we teach children about "Digital Balance" — understanding how to enjoy technology safely without letting it take over our free time.



At home, you can help by:

- Talking regularly about what your child enjoys online and who they might be chatting to (even in games)
- Using BBC Own It and Childnet for fun videos and games that teach safe online habits.
- Encouraging "tech-free times" — for example, no devices during dinner or before bed.
- Setting up devices with child-safe settings and age-appropriate content filters.

For guidance and support, visit:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/topics/cp440njz78zt>

<https://www.internetmatters.org/>

Leave of Absence Forms



Every student. Every day.

The Leave of Absence Request Form

(LOAF) has been updated to reflect a policy change. Schools are now authorised to issue Penalty Notices to parents who attempt to avoid penalties by scheduling holidays that fall below the threshold, including during weeks containing Bank Holidays or INSET days.

As a school we still follow Hampshire's policy with regards to unauthorised absence. We very much value your child's attendance and the impact this has on their education.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Roadworks - delays possible



Auchinleck Way

24 Nov 2025 - 2 Feb 2026

XW013W122211574-00804-02 Granted

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Centre on map



INFORMATION FOR ROAD USERS



Location
Auchinleck Way



Traffic management
Traffic control (give and take)



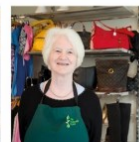
Date
24 Nov 2025 - 2 Feb 2026

Please be aware that there are some upcoming works taking place in the Beaumont Park estate which may affect parking in this area (Martingale Court especially) during school runs.

An alternative pedestrian route will be provided but please bear this in mind when dropping off and collecting your child.

A Big

THANK YOU



Wellington Community Primary School

for supporting the Farnborough Foodbank.
Your donations will make a **BIG** difference to
local people in crisis. Your organisation
collection raised a fantastic **151.51 kg**.



Registered Charity Number 1132865 | Registered in England and Wales

Thank you so much for
all of your donations
during the Harvest
festival.

The children met the
team at the
Farnborough Foodbank,
learned about where
their donations went
and how the donations
helped our community-
as well as enjoying a
Harvest singalong!

ALDERSHOT CHRISTMAS CRACKER

**PRINCES GARDENS
& UNION STREET**
FREE!

**SATURDAY
15TH NOVEMBER
MIDDAY TO 5.30PM**

**AN AFTERNOON BURSTING WITH
FESTIVE FUN!**

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Safety around dogs

The bond between your child and dog can bring fun and happiness to family life. We don't expect our own dog to bite, but any dog can bite if they feel they have no other option.

Children are most likely to be bitten at home, by a familiar dog. Luckily most bites are preventable and close supervision is key.

- A calm, happy dog** is less likely to react unsafely to children's natural exuberance.
- Give your dog a safe space of their own where they can go if they need time out. Have a rule to leave them alone when they're there.
 - Keep them occupied – physical exercise and mental activity help keep your dog happy.
 - Teach your child to be calm and kind with your dog. Avoid shouting, teasing or restrictive cuddles.



- Close supervision** is the most important thing to keep children safe.
- Watch, listen and remain close when your child and dog are together.
 - If either your dog or child seems unhappy, positively and calmly separate them. You can throw your dog a treat or toy, or lead your child away.
 - Understand your dog's body language** so you can spot signs they feel uncomfortable or stressed.
 - When you know you'll be distracted during busier times, use safety gates to keep children and dogs separate. Or, take your child or dog with you.

- Your growing child** – as your child changes, the risks can change too.
- Teach the rules to your child from an early age and keep explaining them as your child understands more.
 - As your child becomes more mobile, review changes needed, like adding safety gates.
 - Think ahead about your changing family life and new risks that can emerge. Read our fact sheet on bringing baby home.

- Trigger times** – teach your child to leave your dog alone when they are:
- Sleeping – no-one likes to be woken up suddenly.
 - Eating or having a treat – they might think you're going to take their food.
 - Have a toy or something else they really like – they might not want to share!

- Still worried?**
- If you're worried by the way your dog is with your child, talk to your vet. They'll check your dog's health and can refer you to a qualified animal behaviourist.
 - Visit the **Animal Behaviour and Training Council** website to find a qualified behaviourist near you.



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