

SHEEPY School Newsletter

Edition 1 : 28th August 2026



DIARY DATES

Mon 31st August

Bank Holiday Monday

Weds 2nd September

Reception Phonics Talk

Mon 7th September

Swaledale Swimming starts

Sat 12th September

Archbishop of Canterbury visit (please book a space)

Tues 6th October

School photographs

Tues 13th October & Weds 14th October

Parents' Evening

Thurs 15th October, 2.15pm

Harvest Festival at church

19th-23rd October

Half Term

Weds 28th October

SEND Parent Meetings

Fri 18th Dec am

Key Stage 2 Panto Trip

Fri 18th Dec, 1.30pm

Break up for Christmas

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

A warm welcome back to the new academic year! We hope you have all had an enjoyable summer and are ready for the term ahead.

Woodlands Class kicked off the new term with their week long trip to PGL accompanied by Mrs Keys, Mrs Smith and Mrs Field.

Swaledale, Cotswold and Portland Classes have all been settling into the school routines and everyone has enjoyed seeing their friends again.



NUT & KIWI FREE ZONE

For the safety of students and staff with severe allergies, please do not bring:

 Nuts or foods containing nuts

 Kiwi fruit or foods containing kiwi

Even small amounts can cause a serious allergic reaction.

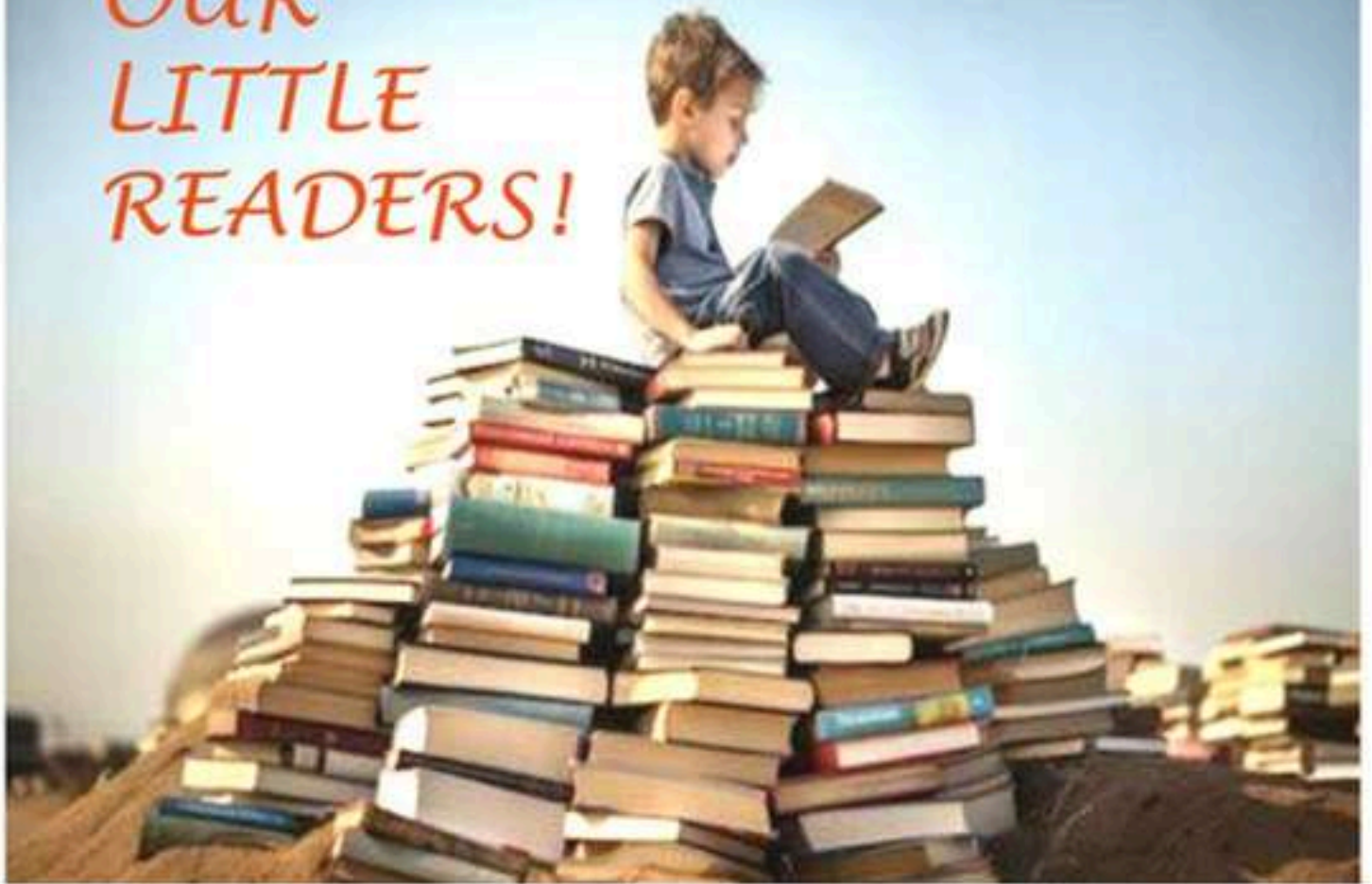
Thank you for helping us create a safe and inclusive environment for everyone.

Please check food labels before bringing snacks or lunches to school.



A special welcome to all of our new starters in reception and across school. We would like to welcome Gracie, Georgia, Darcie, Ezra, Harriet, Aubrey, Elliot, Nancy, Jesse, Rose, Penelope, Keala, Olivia, Reeve, Hugo, Aubrey, Alfie and Amelia.

CAN YOU HELP US WITH OUR LITTLE READERS!



WE NEED HELP TO GROW OUR LITTLE READERS.
Our school is looking for parents, grandparents and
retired adults with a bit of free time to support our
children progressing with their reading. Just one hour
each week could make a huge difference to a little boy
or girl and help them move forward with their
confidence and progress.

You don't need teaching experience just a kind heart,
an understanding nature and a love of stories.

If you can spare a little time, our children would be
thrilled to have you as part of their reading journey.

If you would like to get involved,
please contact the school as your hour a week could
make all the difference to our children.

Call 01827 880395.

Thank you

Term Dates
Academic Year 2026 - 2027



Autumn Term

August Bank Holiday
School opens
Mid-Term Break
Schools Close

Monday 31st August 2026
Monday 24th August 2026
Monday 19th to Friday 23rd October 2026
Friday evening 18th December 2026

Spring Term

School opens
Mid-Term Break
Schools Close

Monday morning 4th January 2027
Monday 15th to Friday 19th February 2027
Friday evening 19th March 2027

Summer Term

School opens
May Day Bank Holiday
Mid-Term Break
Schools Close

Monday morning 5th April 2027
Monday 3rd May 2027
Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June 2027
Wednesday evening 7th July 2027

Staff Training Days

Staff Training Day1
Staff Training Day2
Staff Training Day3
Staff Training Day4
Staff Training Day5

Thursday 20th August 2026
Friday 21st August 2026
Thursday 31st December 2026
Friday 28th May 2027
Thursday 8th July 2027