

Nursery Places

We still have some nursery places available for September. If you have a child who will be 3 years old before the end of August, or know someone that does, we are able to offer 15 hours of free nursery provision to all children aged 3 and 4 years old, and 30 hours of free nursery provision to families who are eligible because they are working. Just contact the school office for more details.

Technology in school

We have had a few instances of children bringing in technology to school such as a smart watch or a camera. Please ensure children do not bring any technological devices into school, this is for the safety and protection of all children so there can be no unauthorised photos or videos taken. If a child does come to school with such a device it will be removed from the classroom and placed in the school office for the parent or carer to collect at home time.

Term Dates 2024 - 2025

School Opens

Monday 2nd June

School Closes

Wednesday 23rd July

Term Dates 2025-2026

School Opens

Monday 8th September
Monday 3rd November
Monday 5th January 2026
Monday 23rd February
Monday 13th April
Monday 1st June

School Closes

Thursday 23rd October
Friday 19th December
Thursday 12th February
Friday 27th March
Friday 22nd May
Wednesday 22nd July

School is also closed on Monday 4th May 2026 for May Day

Speedwell Infant School

15th July 2025

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Thank you

Thank you to all parents and carers for all their support this year with children's learning and development. We wish you all a very happy and relaxing summer break. We wish all the Year 2 children every success in their new schools, and look forward to welcoming everyone else back to school on Monday 8th September.

Arts Week Exhibition

Parents and Carers are invited to visit the exhibition of children's artwork completed during art week on the theme of animals. The exhibition will be held in the school hall. There will be ice pops available at 50p each in the afternoon.

The exhibition can be viewed on the following days

Tuesday 15th July from 2.30pm - please collect children from their classroom doors then come to the main entrance to visit the exhibition.

Wednesday 16th July 8.45am - 9.15am - Please come to the main entrance to visit the exhibition then take children to their classroom door after looking around.

Wednesday 16th July from 2.30pm please collect children from their classroom doors then come to the main entrance to visit the exhibition.

Year 2 Leavers Assembly

On Tuesday 22nd July at 2.30pm Year 2 leavers assembly will take place. Parents and carers of children in Class 5 are invited to the special leavers assembly for all our Year 2 children to celebrate their achievements during their time at Speedwell.

Breakfast Club at Staveley Junior School

From September 2025, children in Year 1 and year 2, (children that will be in Lions or Elephants), will be able to attend the breakfast club at Staveley Junior School. It costs £2.50 per session from 7.45. Children are collected and brought down to our school by staff from our school. Parents / Carers that may want to use the service will need to get in touch with Staveley Junior School on 01246 472336.

Seaside Special

On Friday 18th July the kitchen are making a 'seaside special' dinner. The dinner will be fish, chips and mushy peas or beans and ice-cream for dessert. Children can come dressed in shorts and t-shirts on this day.



Summer Reading Challenge

Staveley library will be participating in the National Summer Reading Challenge linked to this year's theme of 'Story Garden - Adventures in Nature and the Great Outdoors', exploring the magical connection between storytelling and nature.

We would encourage all children to visit the library during the summer holidays and take part in the reading challenge. You can sign up at your local library, and the challenge is to read 6 or more library books over summer. You'll collect up to 6 stickers and once you've collected them all you'll receive a medal and certificate. We would love to see children's certificates and medals in September if they have completed the Summer Reading Challenge.



Summer Fair

I know it is a while since the Summer Fair, we raised £534. We would like to say a big thank you to everyone that came to the Fair and also sent in donations. We would like to say thank you to Morrisons and Tesco at Clowne for their donations of raffle prizes.