Djanogly Strelley Academy

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Upcoming Dates

11th - 14th May Year 6 SATS
18th May - Year 2 assessment week
1st June for two weeks - Year 4 multiplication tables check
22nd May last day of half term
25th-29th May Half term holiday
1st June - First day of Summer Term Two
1st-5th June - Diversity Week, including Faith Trail visit for year 3 and 4 (1st and 2nd)
4th June - Class Photographs
8th-12th June - Key Stage One phonics screening
23rd June - Year 6 Walesby Visit
25th June - Year 3 and 4 Conkers Visit
29th June - INSET - school closed for children
6th-10th July - Medical care plans to be reviewed.
7th - 8th July - Nottingham City Year 6 transition days
24th July - Final day of school year

2025-2026 Term Dates can be found here.
Please contact Miss Thompson daily if your child is off school. Classroom doors open at 8:45am close at 8:55 each morning. After this is late and so we ask you to please enter through the office door.

Breakfast Club

We are thrilled to work with Magic Breakfast as part of our Breakfast Club. There is plenty going on, as well as breakfast to start the day right.

Children are welcome to join us from 8.05 until 8.25 when the Breakfast Club doors close. Whilst at breakfast club they eat, play games, read and enjoy outside games.

If you would like your child to come to breakfast club please collect a form from the office.

Uniform

Thank you for helping us keep the children looking really smart and in their uniform. It is an important part of our community to wear it.

Children should wear:

Black or grey trousers, skirts or pinafores, white shirt or polo-shirt, **royal blue** jumper, cardigan or fleece. Shoes should be black. Crocs cannot be worn for school.

Children should not wear jewellery or false nails. Please label all your uniform and speak to us if you have difficulty getting the correct uniform.

Year of Reading

The more you read the more you know. The more you know the more places you go!

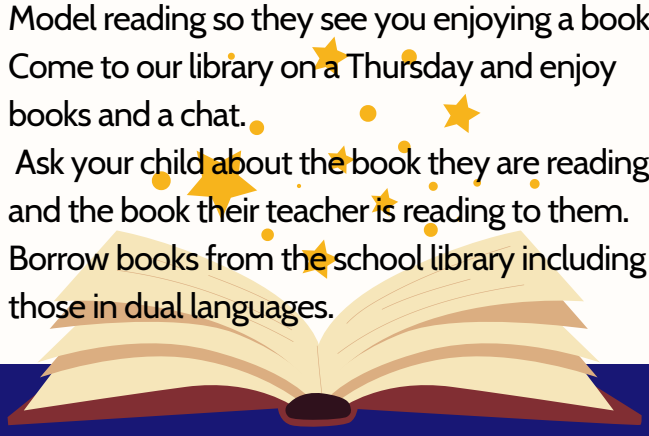
We are enjoying being part of the National Year of Reading. We have reading lessons in class each day, starting with rhyme time with our youngest children, through to phonics, fluency and then themed reading in key stage two. We repeat read everything which is really important in supporting children develop their skills.

These reading lessons help children develop accuracy and fluency with their reading. This helps them with their work, not only in English but across the whole curriculum.

We also love it when the children read for pleasure. We have reading for pleasure sessions each week in school and children use our library regularly throughout the week. We have reading volunteers who come into school to enjoy books with our children. Our teachers read to your children every day.

We'd love you to get involved with us but know time is precious. Here are some ways you can help:

- Listen to your child read as often as possible. We use Boom Reader to log reading, but are trialling written reading records in KS1 for those who don't enjoy using tech so much. Recording home reads gets rewards for your child.
- Read them a bedtime story - or play an audio book for them to help them relax before bed.
- Model reading so they see you enjoying a book.
- Come to our library on a Thursday and enjoy books and a chat.
- Ask your child about the book they are reading and the book their teacher is reading to them.
- Borrow books from the school library including those in dual languages.



Our Community



Our community is important to us. We know we all need help and support at different times and for different things. There are things that we can help within school:

- Strelley Store has food which you can collect when you need it for no cost. Pop in on a Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday afternoon from 2pm or let one of us know at any time and we can help you.
- Uniform, clothing and shoes - we have a small collection of preloved items that are waiting to be rehomed - these are in the Community Room.
- We have a washing machine if yours is on the blink and ways to support you if your appliances are faulty or broken.
- Gail, our family support worker can help with so many things and if she can't help she always knows where to signpost you to.
- If you aren't sure what your child is learning, or how to help at home then check dojo, ask your child's teacher or speak to Mrs Walters or Mr Brisland.
- We have breakfast club to support before school, Empower Hour after school, including hot meals on a Wednesday and Thursday and fruit for all children.