

# Scarning V.C. Primary School



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You can check our key policies online at [www.scarningprimary.co.uk](http://www.scarningprimary.co.uk) these include our anti bullying policy, our complaints procedure and information regarding whistleblowing.

Other policies are also available.



## Friday 6th September Star of the Week winners

Every week we have a Star of the Week Assembly where we celebrate the children's achievements for that week, below are last week's winners:

1S: Madeleine, Layton	1B: Darcey, Emily
2S: Amelia, Harry, Nora	2T: Cayleb, Elijah
3CS: Seth, Harper	3AC: Norah, Charlie
4W: Jack, Ella B	4K: Lacey, Ava, Harry
5BT: All of 5BT	5FG: Herbie, Elsie
6W: All of 6W	6B: All of 6B

## September 13th 2024 Newsletter

### Dates for your Diary

- ◆ **Wednesday 25th September**  
Class Photos
- ◆ **Friday 27th September**  
MacMillan Coffee Morning 9am
- ◆ **Friday 11th October**  
Yr6 Reading Café in hall 9am
- ◆ **Wednesday 16th October**  
Whole school Flu Vaccinations
- ◆ **Monday 21st October**  
Phonics workshop EYFS 1.13-3pm
- ◆ **Thursday 24th October**  
Last day of term
- ◆ **Monday 4th November**  
Start of term
- ◆ **Thursday 7th November**  
Individual & Sibling Photos
- ◆ **Friday 15th November**  
Yr5 Reading Café in hall 9am

## Message from Norfolk Police



It is important to remember issues and dangers that parking outside and near to educational premises can cause for our young children going to and from school.

As you will know Scarning Primary School is located on a sweeping bend and parking becomes a premium at morning drop off and afternoon collection which means places like the layby near the Corner House becomes a necessity. But like all inconsiderate parking this especially lends itself to risk of incident like it did on the morning of Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September and as I am sure you appreciate; we need to reduce or remove that risk.

With your help this can undoubtedly be achieved by working together.

This means, with your support as parents, carers, and friends of Scarning Primary parking sensibly, leaving enough room as to not hinder an emergency vehicle, not parking on top of junctions we can achieve a better and safer environment for our children, in fact makes a better and safer environment for everyone.

So, Be: -

School Aware

Think Child

Onus on Safety

Park Sensibly

Police will of course monitor and we very much hope you are committed in making a real difference.

We thank those of you already taking these positive **STOP** steps - of which there are many.



If anyone has any plastic bags that they are able to donate to the school

please leave them in the box under the buggy park at the front of the school.

Please click the link below for more information on local events.

[https://  
www.scarningprimary.co.uk/local-  
events/](https://www.scarningprimary.co.uk/local-events/)



For any school uniform orders you can order on-line at <https://www.birdsofdereham.com/shop/category/schools-scarning-vc-primary-school-76/> (Click & Collect available) or visit the store at Unit D 13 Yaxham Road Dereham.



# Attendance

This week the whole school attendance is 97.39%

Our school attendance target is 96%, so as you can see we have met our target.

Well done to Squirrels & 1S for achieving 100%, they will look after the attendance teddy this week.

## This week's class attendance

Squirrels	100%
Class 1S	100%
Class 3AC	99.66%
Class 4K	99.66%
Class 2S	99.64%
Class 4W	98.62%
Class 2T	98.57%
Class 3CS	98.57%
Class 5BT	97.19%
Class 6W	96.79%
Class 6B	96.67%
Class 5FG	94.69%
Hedgehogs	93.46%
Class 1B	89.66%

For more information and help about attendance please go to

<https://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/attendance>

Every Day Counts

Missed minutes =

missed learning =

missed opportunities

Guidance for Parents / Carers

Good attendance at school is one of the most important factors in ensuring that children and young people have the best opportunities in adult life.

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### Penalty Notice Fines for School Attendance are changing!

With the introduction of the new National Framework for Penalty Notices, the following changes will come into force for Penalty Notice Fines issued after 19th August 2024.

**Per Parent, Per Child**  
Penalty Notice Fines are issued to each parent, for each child that was absent. For example: 3 siblings absent for term time leave, would result in each parent receiving 3 separate fines.

**National Threshold**  
There will be a single consistent national threshold for when a penalty notice must be considered by all schools in England of 10 sessions (usually equivalent to 5 school days) of unauthorised absence within a rolling 10 school week period. These sessions do not have to be consecutive and can be made up of a combination of any type of unauthorised absence. The 10-school week period can span different terms or school years.

**First Offence**  
The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for unauthorised absence the amount will be:  
• £160 per parent, per child paid within 28 days  
• Reduced to £80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days.

**Second Offence (within 3 years)**  
The second time a Penalty Notice is issued for unauthorised absence the amount will be:  
• £180 per parent, per child paid within 28 days.

**Third Offence and Any Further Offences (within 3 years)**  
The third time an offence is committed a Penalty Notice will not be issued and the case will be presented straight to the Magistrate's Court. Prosecution can result in criminal records and fines of up to £2,500.  
• Cases found guilty in Magistrates' Court can show on the parent's future DBS certificate due to 'failure to safeguard a child's education'.

## What's been happening in school...

SVCPS @ScarningPrimary · Sep 6  
Loads of fun today for Year One at break. They have settled in very well to life in the 'big school'

SVCPS @ScarningPrimary · Sep 6  
Loads to do in Early Years!



All welcome to our MacMillan coffee morning on Friday 27th September 8.50am—10am.

**Cake donations on the morning are welcome.**

**pupilasset**

Please remember to always keep us updated with any change of contact details to ensure you always receive communication from us by text/email.

You can do this yourself by going to the Pupil Asset Website.

**We do not recommend that you use the Pupil Asset App as this is experiencing some difficulties.**



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### ***Do you have a child that will be starting school in September 2025?***

Why not come along to one of our school tours on

**Monday 7th of October 9.45-10.45**

**Wednesday 27th November 9.45-10.45**

or our stay and play session on

**Saturday 9th November 10-11am**

to see our Early Years building and teaching staff.

There is no need to book places on these tours - just turn up on the morning.

For more information on our school please visit our website

**[www.scarningprimary.co.uk](http://www.scarningprimary.co.uk)**

***We look forward to seeing you all in  
the near future***

