



## Malborough with South Huish C of E (VC) Primary School

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2025 – Autumn Term Newsletter 1

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! We hope that you all had a lovely summer enjoying precious time with family and friends. It was truly lovely to welcome everyone back on Wednesday.

We've been so impressed by how well the children have settled back into school life, many with big smiles and great enthusiasm. A special mention goes to our wonderful new Reception children, who have settled in extremely well in their first week of primary school.

During our celebration assembly, the children were proudly presented with their 'wings', a symbol of our school community's promise to nurture and support them so they can flourish and become the very best they can be during their time here at Malborough.

Well done, Reception, on a fantastic first week!

This term, we warmly welcome Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Martin-Jones as our class teachers, and Mrs. Jackson as our new Administrator. We're delighted to have them join our Malborough family.

Please note that office hours are from **8:45 AM to 2:15 PM**. For urgent matters outside these hours, kindly leave a message on the answering machine. Messages will be checked at the end of the day. To ensure your message is received in time, please ensure you leave it by **3:15 PM**.

### Class News

#### **Class 1**

Welcome to Malborough with South Huish Primary School Class 1! The children explored their new classroom and were very excited on their first day of school. Class 1 were busy role playing with small world resources, constructing large scale builds and dressing up as different characters.

The children also received their own 'wings to fly' in the first collective worship.



## Class 2

Class 2 have been amazing this week, coming in with smiles everyday and getting back in to school in our new classroom. We have started maths and English and yesterday we enjoyed some music! For next week, our PE days are Tuesday and Friday. Forest school for Reception and Yr 1 on Monday.



## Class 3

This week, our Year 3 and 4 children worked together to create a special class prayer. Using their own words and ideas, they reflected on courage, kindness, respect, caring for others, and looking after the beautiful world around us. The children thoughtfully combined their ideas into the following prayer, which they will now use in class worship:

Dear God,  
Thank you for our kind and helpful friends,  
and for the lovely community you made just for us.  
Thank you for our beautiful world – help us to look after it.  
Give us courage and bravery to pick our own paths,  
and remind us to be brave through life.  
Help us to care for others,  
and to be respectful, even when it is hard.  
We pray for those who need our help.  
Amen.

## Class 4

Class 4 enjoyed rehearsing their poem 'The Sea' in the garden whilst the sun was shining. Children used expression, pace and emphasis to show meaning in the poem.



## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Please remember to complete and return the permission slip for your child to attend after school clubs. They will not be permitted to attend unless we receive a slip for them.

## Achieve 4 All

If you would like your child to attend the Achieve 4 All after-school club, you must book a place for them via their website:

<https://activities.bookpebble.co.uk/activity/achieve4all-gymnasticsdance-club-ks12-malborough-tuesday-kingsbridge-2446c648-e262-444b-8ed4-9be3fbd06635>

## **Rock School**

If you would like your child to attend the 'School of Rock' after-school club, please contact Nick Hagan on; 07780 685782.

Rock School Contract 2025

"Rock School" at Malborough Primary School.

For pupils in years 4-6.

Pupils performing together and playing in a group with my guidance, support and experience.

Singers , Guitarists, Bassists, Keyboardists all welcome.

The goal is to give pupils the opportunity to play and perform together in a fun and caring way and if appropriate perform in front of the school and parents at the end of term .

The Pop and Rock songs performed would be something all levels would be able to perform to their own ability.

Rock School will be every Friday 3.30pm - 4.30pm with a few minutes either side to set up .

Please bring guitars and ukuleles to the sessions.

The cost would be £10 per pupil per session. Payment would be made directly to me through bank transfer.

Each term would normally include 10 sessions .Payment is to be made upfront.

Half a term's notice is required to stop lessons.

24 hours notice is required if a pupil cannot attend the session.

Any questions please ask.

Please sign your name and date below.

Contract needs to be completed and returned to me and payment made before your son or daughter can join please.

Name

Date

Please make payable to N J HAGAN

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ACC NO 40743488

MANY THANKS

NICK HAGAN

Mobile number 07780 685782

Looking forward to an exciting and fun experience for each member of the group!

## **Father Daniel's last church service**

On Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September we will hold our school church service at 9.15 where the year 6 children will receive their bibles. This will also be Father Daniel's last service before he leaves Devon for pastures new. He has been an incredible part of our school family and always been so supportive, he will be greatly missed. It would be lovely to see as many of you as possible join us to give him a warm send off.

## **School Meals and Universal Infant Free School Meals**

Please ensure school meals are paid in advance via Bromcom. Meals can be ordered a week in advance for your child via the app. The price of a school meal from the 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025 is now:

- £2.60 per day
- £13.00 per week

If you experience any difficulties ordering or booking meals please contact the School Office. If you feel that your child may be entitled to Free School Meals, due to your financial circumstances, please contact Devon County Council either by phone on 0345 155 1019 or by visiting their website portal at:

[https://oneonline.devon.gov.uk/CCSCitizenPortal\\_LIVE](https://oneonline.devon.gov.uk/CCSCitizenPortal_LIVE)

If your child has moved up from Year 2 to Year 3, please note you will no longer qualify for Universal Infant free School Meals and will now need to pay for your child's meals, unless your child is entitled to Free School Meals as detailed above.

### **Nut Allergy Reminder – Please Help Keep Our School Safe!**

To ensure the safety and well-being of all students, especially those with nut allergies, we kindly ask for your cooperation in avoiding the bringing of any nut or peanut products to school.

Important reminders:

- Please do not send snacks, lunches, or treats containing nuts or traces of nuts with your child
- Encourage your child to wash their hands after eating if they have had nuts at home
- Teach your child not to share food with classmates

Nut allergies can cause severe, life-threatening reactions even with small exposure. By working together, we can create a safe environment for everyone.

Thank you for your understanding and support!

### **Uniform Reminder**

This is a friendly reminder about our school uniform policy, which helps promote a sense of belonging, equality, and school pride. We appreciate your continued support in maintaining these standards.

#### Tops

School-issued shirts or polos in the correct colour

No hoodies or non-uniform outerwear inside classrooms

#### Bottoms

Approved trousers, skirts, or shorts in the designated colours

Skirts/shorts must be of appropriate length (knee-length or longer)

No jeans, leggings, or ripped clothing

#### Footwear

Black Shoes, no logos and appropriate socks

No sandals, flip-flops, crocs or branded trainers

#### Additional Guidelines

Hats, caps, and hoods must be removed indoors

Jewellery and accessories should be minimal and not distracting

Hair should be neat and tied back and no nail varnish

### **Privacy Notices**

Schools collect, store, process, share and dispose of lots of personal information relating to pupils, parents, governors, employees and visitors. Our Privacy notices are available via our school website:

<https://malboroughprimaryschool.ovw9.devwebsite.co.uk/page/?title=Data+Protection+Policy&pid=82>.

The purpose of these privacy notices is to inform you how and why we are processing your personal data, the rights you have around this and the school's legal obligation and responsibility for protecting your data.

### Data Collection Information

At school we have an electronic pupil information system where we record important information about your child's personal details, such as; contacts and their details, medical and dietary details, and any other important information supplied by parents and carers. As we are now using Bromcom, parents are able to check that the information we hold is correct and up to date via the MCAS app. If you would like a paper copy of your child's data collection form then please contact the school office who will be able to arrange this for you to update. It is vitally important that this information is up to date for every child in school and particularly with regard to any contact or medical information the school needs to be aware of.

### Agreements/Consent Forms

During the course of your child's education, all parents and carers complete a KS1 and a KS2 Agreement pack which contains consent for your child for local school visits, photos, video, audio and communication. If you wish to update/opt out of any of your child's consent information, then please contact the school office in the first instance. You can request for this information to be updated or can opt in/out at any time during the academic year.

### **WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 8<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER**

Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	Forest School – <b>RECEPTION AND YEAR 1 PM</b> Monica Piano Lessons <b>Meet the teacher – 3.30pm</b>
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>ALL CLASSES P.E.</b> – Bring P.E. kit in Achieve 4 All after-school club – 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> September	Church Service 9.15am – Year 6 presentation of bibles Maths Ninjas after-school club – 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> September	
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> September	School of Rock Club after-school club 3.30pm - 4.10pm

# Congratulations!

The School Awards this week go to:



Reception: **Oliver**



Year 1: **Bertie**



Year 2: **George**



Year 3: **Immy**



Year 4: **Toby**



Year 5: **Seth**



Year 6: **Mila**

The Attendance Cup this week has been awarded to: **CLASS 3 and Reception**

The House with the most house points this week is St. David with 24 points.

A huge congratulations to Libby, who recently took part in the Regional Equine Championships! Libby travelled far to represent her area and competed in both dressage and show jumping on her pony. What a fantastic achievement — well done, Libby, for taking part and believing in yourself. We're all very proud of you!



Well done everyone!

Yours sincerely

*L. Stallard*  
Mrs L Stallard  
Head of School

*T. Coulthard*  
Mrs T Coulthard  
Executive Head Teacher

**DIARY DATES - New events in 'Red'**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Class/Year</b>	<b>Event</b>
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> September		'Meet the teacher' from 3.30pm to 4.00pm.
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September		Individual & family school photo
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> September		Harvest Festival in church at 9.15am. Macmillan Coffee Morning in church after the service.
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> October		Rotary Club Swimathon at Quayside Leisure Centre
13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> October		Cycle to school week 2025
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Class 3	Mayan Workshops with Clive Pig the Storyteller
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Class 1	"Tell Me A Dragon" Workshops with Clive Pig
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> October		Flu immunisations. Details to follow.
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 6	Junior Life Skills at Quayside. 9.30am to Midday.
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>BREAK-UP FOR HALF-TERM</b>
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>BACK TO SCHOOL</b>
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November		Remembrance Service in church at 11.00am
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> November		Children in Need
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> December		Black Tie Ball fundraiser at the Harbour Beach Club Hotel for the school & RNLI. Details to follow.
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> December		Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December		Christmas performances in Church. Times to be confirmed.
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> December		Christingle Service in church at 2.30pm
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>LAST DAY OF AUTUMN TERM</b>
<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>NON-PUPIL DAY</b>
<b>Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>FIRST DAY OF SPRING TERM</b>
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> January		Cornwall Climate Care workshops
4 <sup>th</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 5	Residential Visit
<b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>BREAK-UP FOR HALF-TERM</b>
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>BACK TO SCHOOL</b>
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March		World Book Day
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March		Mothers' Day Service in church at 2.30pm

Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April		Easter Service in church at 2.30pm
<b>Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>LAST DAY OF SPRING TERM</b>
<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>FIRST DAY OF SUMMER TERM</b>
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY</b>
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 3	Extended Day Visit
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May		Whole School & Class Photos
<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>BREAK-UP FOR HALF-TERM</b>
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>BACK TO SCHOOL</b>
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4	Residential Visit
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June		Sports Day. 1.30pm – 3.30pm
24 <sup>th</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6	Residential Visit
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July		Year 6 Leavers' Service in church at 9.15am
<b>Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2026</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>BREAK-UP FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAY</b>

### Parish Council News

Fr Daniel's last service will be on Sunday 14th September at Holy Trinity, Salcombe.

THE VIA FRANCIGINA  
WALKING TO ROME  
A PILGRIMAGE

A TALK AND SUPPER.  
SATURDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 6-8PM.  
ST PETERS AND ALL SAINTS CHURCH,  
MALBOROUGH.

(DONATIONS WELCOME FOR CHURCH FUNDS)

STARTING  
3<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER  
2025

COME ALONG TO  
**THE MYC**  
EVERY FRIDAY  
6PM-8PM  
MALBOROUGH VILLAGE HALL ANNEXE  
OPEN TO YEARS 5, 6 AND 7+  
FREE ENTRY!

PLAY GAMES, CHAT, CHILL.  
SNACKS AND DRINKS AVAILABLE TO BUY

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PAGE FOR  
UPDATES

FRIENDSHIP, GOOD ENERGY AND POSITIVE VIBES  
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