

# Marish Academy Trust Newsletter

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## Message from the Senior Leadership Team

**Dear Parents & Carers,**

I am thrilled to have the opportunity to contribute to this month's newsletter. For those who may not know me, my name is Mrs Alves, and I am an Assistant Headteacher as well as a Reception teacher at Marish. While I am based at Marish, you may occasionally see me at Willow.



It's hard to believe how quickly this half term has flown by! It has been filled with so many wonderful moments, and I am delighted to see how much the children have grown in their learning. One of the highlights of this term was certainly our Easter Bonnet Parade and Easter Egg Hunt. It was a joy to see the children's creativity shine through their beautiful bonnets, and their excitement during the Easter egg hunt was infectious! These kinds of events always remind me of the positive energy and enthusiasm that fills our school.

As we move into the spring season, we're finally starting to see the weather improve. It's been lovely to spend more time outdoors, enjoying the sunshine. With longer, brighter days ahead, we are excited about all the outdoor learning opportunities that Spring and Summer will bring.

As the weather warms up, we kindly ask that all jumpers and other uniform items be clearly labelled with your child's name and class. As temperatures rise and jumpers come off, it can become a challenge to keep track of them if they aren't labelled. We want to ensure that every child gets their own belongings back quickly, so your help with this would be greatly appreciated.

I would also like to take a moment to acknowledge the families who celebrated Eid this month. I hope this special time was filled with joy, love, and the warmth of family and friends. It's so important to us to recognise and celebrate the diverse cultures within our school community, and we truly value the richness that these celebrations bring.

Looking ahead, I would like to wish all our families a restful and rejuvenating two-week Easter break. I hope you enjoy this time together, whether you are staying close to home or venturing out on holiday. We are looking forward to welcoming everyone back in the Summer term, ready to dive into the next stage of learning with fresh energy and enthusiasm!

Thank you for your continued support. It's a pleasure to work alongside such a wonderful community of parents, carers, and children.

Warm regards  
**Mrs Alves**

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## Nurture Activities



In Nurture, children made pineapple crumble from scratch, carefully reading the scale and measuring ingredients before baking—an engaging and enjoyable hands-on learning experience!





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## Visit to Baby Bank Charity



On Wednesday, 11th April, the Pastoral Team took a group of Junior Leaders from each school to visit the Baby Bank. During their visit, they had the privilege of presenting a generous cash donation of £552.89, raised by our wonderful school community. In addition, they delivered many thoughtful donations from our families, which were greatly appreciated.

While at the Baby Bank warehouse, the children and staff worked together to sort and organise the donations. This experience was truly special for the children, as it allowed them to see firsthand the impact of our fundraising efforts and the importance of giving back to those in need.

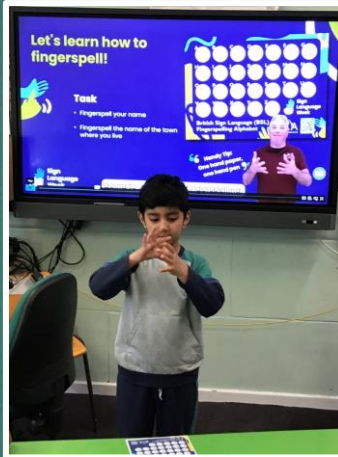
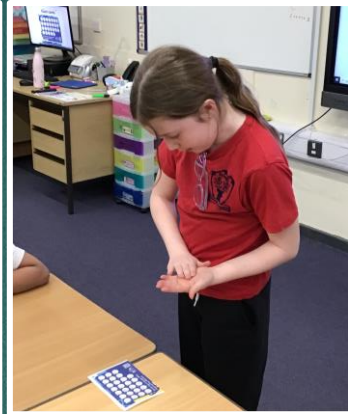
We are incredibly proud of the children, who showed great enthusiasm and shared ideas on how we could further support those in need. They are a true credit to our school. We sincerely thank all our families for their continued support in making events like this a success.



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## British Sign Language



Year 3 have been enjoying learning British Sign Language. They have been practicing how to sign their names.



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## Easter Bonnet Parade





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## Trip to Discovery Centre



Year 2 had an amazing time at the Lookout Discovery Centre in Bracknell! They explored exciting hands-on exhibits, discovered fascinating science experiments, and had so much fun learning through play. It was a day filled with curiosity, laughter, and adventure!





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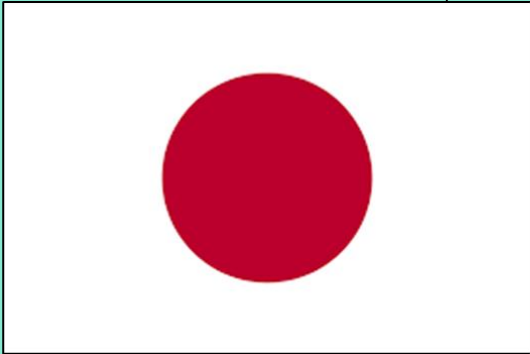
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## MFL - JAPANESE



The capital of Japan is Tokyo. It is the world's most populous metropolitan area, with over 41 million in the Greater Tokyo Area. This means an average of about 6,158 people per square kilometer.

The official language of Japan is Japanese. It is separated into several different dialects.



The Japanese national flag, also known as Hinomaru ("circle of the sun" or Nisshōki "sun-mark flag"), is a white rectangular banner with a crimson-red circle in the centre, officially adopted in 1999.

The red disc is a powerful symbol of the sun, reflecting Japan's identity as the "Land of the Rising Sun" and its connection to the sun goddess Amaterasu, who, according to tradition, founded Japan.

### International Language of the Month - Japan



Number	Japanese	Pronunciation
1	いち (ichi)	ee-chee
2	に (ni)	nee
3	さん (san)	san
4	よん (yon) / し (shi)	yawn / shee
5	ご (go)	go
6	ろく (roku)	ro-koo
7	なな (nana) / しち (shichi)	na-na / shee-chee
8	はち (hachi)	ha-chee
9	きゅう (kyuu) / く (ku)	kyo-oo / koo
10	じゅう (ju)	dy-oo



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Marish hosted an exciting football tournament with six schools: Marish, Willow, Langley Hall, Penn Wood, Holy Family, and Langley Heritage. The event showcased great teamwork and sportsmanship. Congratulations to Langley Heritage for their well-deserved victory!



Earlier this month, our girls' football teams from Marish & Willow had the chance to compete in an exciting match, giving both teams valuable practice and experience. It was a highly competitive game, with both sides showing great determination and teamwork. These opportunities help the players build confidence and prepare for future matches. Well done to both teams for their effort and commitment!



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On Thursday, 27th April, Willow hockey teams were invited by Castlevue to take part in two exciting matches at Slough Hockey Club. It wasn't just a competitive encounter – Clair Harris from Castlevue organised a joint training session before the matches, creating a friendly atmosphere and a great opportunity for both sides to refine their skills together.

The Willow teams emerged victorious in both matches, and while the wins were fantastic, the real winners were all the children who enjoyed this amazing experience. Their participation is helping to promote hockey in our schools. Well done, everyone!



## *Activities to keep fit at home*

**Exercise:** Simba's Jungle Skills

**Players:** 1 or more

**Where to play?** Outdoors

**How to play**



1. Build your course. Find 6 toys, cushions or hats and place them in a line with 2 steps between them.



2. With a football in your hands, take big lunges forward over the toys and raise the ball above your head. Bring your feet back together and the ball to your chest.



3. Keep going until the end of your course.



4. Next, put the football down in front of your feet and test your agility by dribbling the ball through the course.



5. If you find it difficult, put the ball aside and dodge through the course instead.



6. Repeat this as many times as you can for 10 minutes to build up your stamina.





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## Healthy Lifestyle

### BREAKFAST BURRITOS RECIPE

**Preparation time** - 10 mins

**Cooking time** - 10 mins

**Serves** - 4

#### Ingredients

- 4 soft whole wheat flour tortillas
- 6 eggs
- 4 tablespoons 1%-fat milk
- 2 tomatoes, finely chopped
- 2 spring onions, finely chopped
- 1 pepper, any colour, deseeded and finely chopped
- 2 teaspoons vegetable oil
- 40g reduced-fat hard cheese, grated
- 1 pinch ground black pepper

#### Method:

1. Lay out the tortillas on a work surface. Preheat the grill.
2. Beat the eggs and milk together in a bowl. In another bowl, mix together the tomatoes, spring onions and pepper, seasoning with black pepper.
3. Heat half a teaspoon of vegetable oil in a non-stick frying pan and pour in a quarter of the beaten egg mixture. Cook on the hob over a medium heat for a few moments to set the base.
4. Layer 1 tortilla with the cooked egg, a quarter of the tomato mixture and 10g of cheese. Grill to further set the egg and melt the cheese.
5. Roll up the tortilla and slice in half, or wrap in foil to serve later. Repeat to make the other 3 tortillas.



<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/breakfast-burritos/>



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## Attendance

### Marish

April 2025

Reception: 90.43%

Year 1: 93.83%

Year 2: 93.96%

Year 3: 94.41%

Year 4: 96.57%

Year 5: 96.51%

Year 6: 91.75%

Target: 96%

### Willow

April 2025

Reception: 94.24%

Year 1: 92.83%

Year 2: 96.83%

Year 3: 95.93%

Year 4: 94.83%

Year 5: 97.59%

Year 6: 95.33%

Target: 96%



Last month's 100% attendance reward was a pack of biscuits!



**Below 90% Serious Concern**  
Drastic effect on academic success

**95- 90% Cause for Concern**  
Negatively affecting academic success

**100%- 96% WELL DONE**  
Achieving full potential



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Dear Parents/Carers,

We will be running a club during the Easter holidays for any children aged 5 and over. The Holiday Club will be open from Monday 7th April until Thursday 17th April from 8.30am-3.45pm.

This club will run at Marish School.

The costs are:

**£25.00 per day per child**

**£35.00 per day for 2 children**

**£45.00 per day for 3 children**

**£55.00 per day for 4 children**

Please provide your child with a packed lunch.

The numbers will be limited so please return the slip as soon as possible. It is important that the slip is returned with the days requested as we need to make sure that we have the correct staff to children ratio.

Full payment must be paid on ParentPay by Monday 1st April and is non-refundable.

The children will have lots of activities that they can participate in including cooking, art & craft, dance and fun sports.

If you have any questions, please ring the office number and ask for Mrs Beard.

Yours sincerely

*S Beard*

Sharon Beard

Holiday Club Manager



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### Timings of the School Day from December

Soft start is from 8:15am to 8:30am for all year groups except Nursery.

SEN Unit:	Doors open 8:15am to 8:45am and then at 3:00pm
Nursery:	8:00 – 11:00am and 12:00pm – 3:00pm
Nursery full time (Marish)	8:00am – 3:00pm
Reception:	8:30am – 3:15pm
Year 1 and Year 2:	8:30am – 3:15pm
Year 3 and Year 4:	8:30am – 3:25pm
Year 5 and Year 6:	8:30am – 3:25pm



Ensure that you drop your child off at the designated entrance. Do not leave them unsupervised on the school grounds.

### Fees for Breakfast club and Meerkats

Meerkats	Before 4pm	After 4pm
	£2	£5
Breakfast Club	£1 per day	-
Late collection	£5 per 15 minutes	-

Full time only sessions, £2, parents still need to order and pay for school dinner in addition to this.

If you would like your child to attend Breakfast club or Meerkats you will need to apply for a space. For more information or an application form, enquire at the school office.

Please note, there is a different payment schedule for Pupil Premium/ Free School Meal pupils. Please contact the office before applying.

All pupils must be booked in advance otherwise they will not be allowed to attend. If your child attends Meerkats without a booking you will be charged the late fee.

Children must not attend Breakfast Club without a booking as numbers are limited. Please book a week in advance.

You are required to sign your child in to Breakfast Club and out of Meerkats each day.



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### School Uniform

Our Trust school uniform consists of:

- Red/Green sweatshirt or cardigan (Red for Marish and Green for Willow)
- Navy blue trousers, shorts or skirt
- White shirt or polo shirt
- Black smart shoes (no boots, high heels or platforms)
- Nursery – the above with grey or black jogging bottoms
- PE Kit – red plain round neck T-shirt, black shorts or jogging bottoms
- A plain black tracksuit to wear over the PE kit for outdoor lessons in cold weather.

Trainers/plimsolls will work for outside lessons

- Swimming is a part of the Year 4 curriculum and pupils are expected to have appropriate swim wear with a swimming hat



*All items of clothing must be clearly labelled with the child's name.*

*The only jewellery allowed is one small stud in each ear, a watch and that which is a specific religious requirement. These must all be removed for PE. The child must take full responsibility for looking after these items. the school will accept no responsibility for their loss or damage.*



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## E-Safety

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### What Parents & Educators Need to Know about

# WHATSAPP

With more than two billion active users, WhatsApp is the world's most popular messaging service. Its end-to-end encryption only allows messages to be viewed by the sender and any recipients: not even WhatsApp itself can read them. The UK's Online Safety Bill proposes to end such encryption on private messaging, but for the time being, this controversial feature remains.

#### WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

##### EVOLVING SCAMS

WhatsApp's popularity makes it a lucrative hunting ground for scammers. Recent examples include posing as the target's child, requesting a money transfer because of a spurious 'emergency' – plus a scam where fraudsters trigger a verification message by attempting to log in to your account, then (posing as WhatsApp) call or text to ask you to repeat the code back to them, giving them access.

##### CONTACT FROM STRANGERS

To start a chat, someone only needs the mobile number of the WhatsApp user they want to message. Therefore, if a child has ever given their number out to someone they don't know, that person could then contact them via WhatsApp. It's also possible that the child might be added to a group chat or community (by one of their friends, for example) containing other people they don't know.

##### FAKE NEWS

WhatsApp's connectivity and ease of use allow news to be shared rapidly – whether it's true or not. To combat the spread of misinformation, messages forwarded more than five times on the app now display a "Forwarded many times" label and a double arrow icon. This makes users aware that the message they've just received is far from an original – and might not be entirely factual, either.

##### CHAT LOCK AND SECRET CODES

In 2023, WhatsApp introduced a feature that lets users keep their chats in a separate 'locked chats' folder, saved behind their phone's passcode, fingerprint or face ID. There is an additional feature – 'Secret Code' – where users set a unique password for locked chats. Unfortunately, this creates the potential for young people to hide conversations and content they suspect their parents wouldn't approve of.

##### VIEW ONCE CONTENT

The ability to send images or messages that can only be viewed once has led to some WhatsApp users sharing inappropriate material or abusive texts, knowing that the recipient can't reopen them later to use as evidence of misconduct. People used to be able to screenshot this disappearing content – but a recently added WhatsApp feature now blocks this, citing protection of privacy.

##### VISIBLE LOCATION

WhatsApp's Live Location feature lets users share their current whereabouts, which can be helpful for friends meeting up or parents checking that their child is safe while out, for example. However, anyone in a user's contacts list or in a mutual group chat can also track their location – potentially letting strangers identify a child's home address or journeys that they make regularly.

### Advice for Parents & Educators

#### EMPHASISE CAUTION

Encourage children to treat unexpected messages with caution; get them to consider whether it sounds like something a friend or relative would really send them. Make sure they know never to share personal details over WhatsApp, and to be wary of clicking on any links in messages. Setting up two-step verification adds a further layer of protection to their WhatsApp account.

#### ADJUST THE SETTINGS

It's wise to change a child's WhatsApp settings to specify which of their contacts can add them to group chats without needing approval. You can give permission to My Contacts or My Contacts Except... Additionally, if a child needs to use Live Location, emphasise that they should enable this function for only as long as they need – and then turn it off.

#### CHAT ABOUT PRIVACY

Check in with the child about how they're using WhatsApp, making sure they know you only have their safety at heart. If you spot a Locked Chats folder, you might want to talk about the sort of content they've stored in there, who they're talking to, and why they want to keep these chats hidden. Also, if children send any View Once content, it could be helpful to ask them why.

#### DISCUSS GROUP CHATS

Make children aware that there could be members of a group that they don't know well and that words can be misinterpreted. Encourage them to leave a good impression, to avoid joining in if conversations turn towards bullying, and to respond to such situations in an appropriate way. Make sure they know that it's OK to leave a group chat if it makes them uncomfortable – or for any reason, in fact.

#### THINK BEFORE SHARING

Help children understand why it's important to stop and think before posting or forwarding something on WhatsApp. It's easy – and all too common – for content that a user posts to be shared more widely, even publicly on social media. Encourage children to consider how an impulsive message or forwarding might damage their reputation or upset a friend who sent something to them in confidence.

#### Meet Our Expert

Dr Claire Sutherland is an online safety consultant, educator and researcher who has developed and implemented anti-bullying and cyber safety policies for schools. She has written various academic papers and carried out research for the Australian Government comparing internet use and sexting behaviour of young people in the UK, USA and Australia.



#WakeUpWednesday

The National College

Source: See full reference list on guide page at <https://nationalcollege.com/guides/whatsapp-2025>



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### What Parents & Educators Need to Know about **MARVEL RIVALS**

#### WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

Marvel Rivals launched in December 2024 and amassed a player count of nearly 150,000 in mere weeks. This player versus player (PvP) shooter packs in a host of recognisable comic-book characters, pitting two teams of six against each other. Despite the game's cartoonish nature, there are several potential risks for parents and educators to be aware of.



#### IN-GAME CHAT

Voice chat allows players to speak to teammates and opponents within the game, but in a competitive environment, some conversations can become unpleasant. Text chat is equally prominent among those playing on PC and will be shown on the side of the screen. Moderation on chats is relatively lax, so it's important to recognise that potentially inappropriate messages could arrive at any time.

#### IN-GAME PURCHASES

While Marvel Rivals is free, there is an in-game store, selling character skins from recognisable movies and comic-book titles. Each season also includes a £10 Battle Pass (much like those seen in Fortnite and Call of Duty), offering a series of exclusive cosmetic items. These passes don't expire – but they can't be purchased once the next season rolls around, creating a fear of missing out.

#### CONTACT WITH STRANGERS

With such a huge player base, it's impossible to predict whom your child will be teaming up with or playing against. They're virtually certain to run into strangers through voice and text chat, for starters. Most of these people will just be ordinary gamers enjoying the action, but there is the risk of some users behaving inappropriately with younger players – either intentionally, or because they don't realise that they're speaking to a child.

#### VIOLENT CONTENT

There's no gore in Marvel Rivals, and the violence depicted is comparatively cartoonish – but the playable characters available vary between more traditional superheroes and supervillains, and figures like Black Widow and The Punisher, who use more realistic firearms. Given the game's nature as a shooter, this may make some parents and carers uncomfortable as some players will be firing these weapons at each other.

#### INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

The game includes some innuendos and mature themes in the dialogue, which could expose youngsters to content unsuitable for their age, detracting from a safe and family-friendly gaming experience. As we mentioned previously, the content of the in-game chat could also be age-inappropriate, ranging from swearing to mature themes to potentially harmful content.

#### FAMILIAR CHARACTERS

The inclusion of iconic characters might make Marvel Rivals appear more approachable than other games in the genre, with recognisable heroes and villains like Spider-Man and Venom. This could lead to more interest from younger players, increasing the likelihood of children playing the game without properly understanding the risks.

### Advice for Parents & Educators

#### FOLLOW ESRB RATINGS

The ESRB rating for Marvel Rivals says the game shouldn't be played by anyone under 13. Most children of that age will be able to appreciate the moral compass of the roster of characters (people can play as Hela, the Goddess of Death, for example), while also ensuring that the violence, however cartoonish, won't overwhelm them.



#### FAMILIARISE YOURSELF

The game's inclusion of fan-favourite characters like Iron Man and the Hulk, plus its increasing popularity, means that younger Marvel fans will likely be eager to see what the fuss is about. Since it's free, consider playing Marvel Rivals yourself to gauge how you feel about a child playing it. Alternatively, you could let them play against the game's AI in Practice Mode, until they're old enough to compete online.

#### MONITOR OR TURN OFF CHAT

Voice and text chat can both be adjusted within the in-game settings. If you're particularly concerned about exposing children and young people to them, however, you can disable both forms of chat in the game's settings. If a child wants to play alongside friends, remind them that they can use their console's party chat feature or host a call on a third-party service like Discord.



#### DISCONNECT PAYMENT OPTIONS

Parents should ensure that no payment options – such as debit cards – are linked to the game, to prevent unauthorised purchases and charges. Children can be tempted by enticing in-game offers without fully understanding the costs. Removing payment methods avoids impulsive in-game spending and instils a sense of financial awareness, teaching young people to be careful with their money.

#### Meet Our Expert

Lloyd Coombes is Games Editor at the Daily Star and has been working in the gaming and tech industry for five years. A regular visitor to the App Store to try out new tools, he's also a parent and therefore understands the importance of online safety. Writing mainly about tech and fitness, he has been published on sites including IGN, TechRadar and plenty more.



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**SPORTS 2 ALL**  
MULTISPORTS ACTIVITIES

# EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB

**MULTISPORTS & FOOTBALL**

**HERSCHEL GRAMMAR SCHOOL, NORTHAMPTON AVENUE,  
SLOUGH, SL1 3BW**

**MON 14TH APRIL – THUR 17TH APRIL  
9:30AM–3:30PM**

**ACTIVITIES**

**GLOW IN THE DARK DODGEBALL   LASER TAG   FOOTBALL  
SOFT ARCHERY   BENCH BALL   ATHLETICS**

**PLUS MORE**

**PLEASE USE THE LINK PROVIDED WITH YOUR VOUCHER AND SEARCH  
"SPORTS 2 ALL" TO REGISTER.**

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**EVERY  
WEDNESDAY**

**DISCIPLINE**

**RESPECT**

**FOCUS**

**CONTROL!**

**FIRST CLASS FREE**

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QUEST**

EMPOWERING CONFIDENCE AND FOCUS

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@ BEECHWOOD  
SCHOOL

EVERY WEDNESDAY

AGES 5-10 4.15 PM

AGES 11-15 5 PM

AGES 16+ - ADULT 5.45 PM



Beechwood

An online talk by Jane Keyworth

### Supporting a Child with ADHD

Challenging the stereotypes, offering practical support and explaining more about this condition

**Thursday 3rd April 10 - 11:30am**

**Tuesday 29th April 7 - 8:30pm**

*Talks are recorded and available to watch for up to 48hrs after the session £24*



Book online  
[facefamilyadvice.co.uk](https://facefamilyadvice.co.uk)  
go to **PARENTS**  
on the **Homepage**



## We are looking for a new Chair – Home-Start Berkshire East

**Lead the Change. Empower Families. Transform Futures.**

Home-Start Berkshire East is seeking an experienced and passionate Chair to lead our Board of Trustees and support our vital work with families across the region.

As Chair, you will provide strategic leadership, governance oversight, and support to our dedicated team, ensuring we continue to make a meaningful impact on the lives of parents and children. This is an exciting opportunity to help shape the future of our organisation, strengthen partnerships, and guide our mission of providing early intervention and family support.

We are looking for someone with: strong leadership and governance experience; a commitment to supporting families and early years development; the ability to build relationships and advocate for our work; experience in charity, public sector, or corporate leadership.

*"You have played a huge part in helping me become the mother I am today. Without you I wouldn't be able to call myself a good mother to my son but due to your support you have helped me become more confident in my ability to be just that!"*  
Home-Start Berkshire East Service User

We invite you to be part of this journey and help us build a stronger, more resilient future for families in Berkshire East. If you are passionate about making a difference and ready to lead through a transformational period of growth, we would love to hear from you.

If you are interested in finding out more, please contact:  
[lesleymichaelis@homestartberkshireeast.org.uk](mailto:lesleymichaelis@homestartberkshireeast.org.uk).





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# GEMS

Autism & ADHD Support Service  
East Berkshire



01753 373 244 / 0800 999 1342  
weekdays 9am to 5pm



<https://www.gems4health.com>



[gems.4health@nhs.net](mailto:gems.4health@nhs.net)

GEMS is for children and young people who are diagnosed with, or who may have, autism and/or attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD). The service also supports parents and carers and is open to anyone living in Slough, Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead or Bracknell Forest.

## UPCOMING WORKSHOPS AND COURSES

**ADHD Course - Monday 28th April, 12th & 19th May - 7 to 9pm**

**Sensory Processing - Wednesday 23rd April - 7 to 8:30pm**

**Managing Anxiety - Wednesday 23rd April - 10am to 12noon**

**Empowering Calm - Wednesday 7th May - 10am to 12noon**

**Autism Course - Thursday 8th, 15th & 22nd May - 7 to 9pm**

**Girls and Autism - Tuesday 10th June - 10am to 12noon**

**Sleep - Autism and ADHD - Tuesday 17th June - 7 to 9pm**

**Adolescence - Wednesday 2nd July - 10am to 12noon**

**Visit our website to book your space - [www.Gems4Health.com](http://www.Gems4Health.com)**



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**SIMMONS & SON**

# The Ultimate Easter Egg Trail



### Easter Half Term

7th - 21st April

### Join the fun this Easter!

We've hidden 10 colourful eggs on top of our For Sale boards from Burnham Park Hall to Farnham Park.

Take a 5km walk and explore the local parks. Spot all 10 eggs, share your photos and tag us - Simmons & Son Slough - on social media, then collect your chocolate prize from our office!



### Trail Map

Available at Burnham Park Hall, Simmons & Son, or download from our Facebook page (Simmons & Son Slough).

### Prize

Collect your chocolate egg at: Simmons & Son, 306 Farnham Road Slough, SL1 4XL (Show 10 photos of the eggs you've spotted).





**PRIZES!**





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ANTZ KIDZ ACTIVITY CENTRE

From  
**£30**

# ANTZ KIDZ EASTER CAMP

Age: 5+ children

**7 - 18 April**  
**9:00 am - 6:00 pm**  
**Slough Museum. SL1 4PN**

Activities Include:

- Arts & Crafts Workshops
- Team Building Activities
- STEM Challenges
- Wild & Free Play
- Music & Dance
- Easter Jamboree
- Fresh Air Fun



Registration : [www.antzkidz.co.uk](http://www.antzkidz.co.uk)  
Info : 07598 062569





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# FREE HAF EASTER Camp

**9:00 AM - 1:00 PM**  
**7 - 10 APRIL**  
**ST MARY'S FARNHAM ROYAL  
SCHOOL, SL2 3AW**

Join Us for an Easter filled with Fun and Adventure!



# ACTIVITIES

Human Bingo	STEM Challenge	Mini Olympics
Story Telling	Easter Egg Hunt	
Puzzle Competition	Sports Mania	Laughter Workshop
Slough Music Service	Sketching	

For more information: [www.antzkidz.co.uk](http://www.antzkidz.co.uk)

For bookings, call or WhatsApp:  
07598 062569

Scan to register





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# MAY HALF TERM CAMP

Children age 5+ - Adults must accompany

 **27 - 30 May**

 **10am - 2pm**

 **Slough Museum, SL1 4PN**

For bookings, call or WhatsApp:  
07598 062569, or  
call The Curve: 01753 476611

Refreshments Available  
Parking Available

27 May Pom Pom Rugs	28 May Potato People
29 May Cinco de Mayo	30 May Mini Pinatas





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## Some Useful Information



### SLOUGH



## FOOTBALL COACHING COURSE

**AT: ST BERNARDS CATHOLIC GRAMMAR SCHOOL**

1 LANGLEY ROAD, SLOUGH, SL3 7AF

**STARTING: TUESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> APRIL 2025**

**Tuesdays:** Group 1: School Years Reception & Year 1 .....5.30pm-6.30pm  
Group 2: School Years 2 & 3.....6.30pm-7.30pm  
Group 3: School Years 4, 5 & 6.....7.30pm-8.30pm

Dear Parents,

I am pleased to inform you that, due to the huge success of our football courses over the last **24 years**, we are following up the football coaching programme for the season starting in April 2025. The course will run for approximately 12 weeks and the programme is for boys and girls aged between 4 and 12.

#### About our Course

- The unique practice techniques are specifically designed to work with children of all abilities, ranging from the absolute beginner to the more advanced player.
- The course is run by **F.A qualified coaches**, who are **DBS** checked, and hold an advanced premier skills qualification, they are currently working with children, enabling them to learn essential football techniques, building **CONFIDENCE**, improving **FITNESS** and providing the most important ingredient **FUN!**
- Children will be fully supervised at all times.
- Each child will be provided with a football for individual practice and their progress will be recorded each week.
- It is an **indoor** course held in the sports hall, therefore children may wear trainers and sportswear. We may go outdoors on the grass pitches during the summer term.
- **Ex Premier League Birmingham City, West Bromwich Albion and Fulham player Geoff Horsfield** quotes, "I've coached on these courses with the team and they are fantastic in the way they deliver their coaching sessions!"
- **Ex England World Cup star and Sky Sports pundit Paul Merson** quotes, "I have presented trophies to the children on these courses and it's great to see the smiles on their faces and sense of achievement!"

#### Presentation of trophies and award

- On the final week of the course, we hold a presentation, whereby **EACH CHILD WILL RECEIVE AN ENGRAVED TROPHY.**
- Children also have a chance to win many other special individual awards and trophies for various skills, including '**premier league**' and '**penalty shoot out**' competitions.
- Parents and friends are most welcome to attend the presentation and watch the children being presented with their awards, as this encourages a fantastic atmosphere.

The cost of the course is £9 per week; payment is made every 4 weeks with the first payment of £36 due on week 1. **Please Note: With a high response expected and limited places available, bookings will be confirmed on a first come, first served basis.**

**TO RESERVE PLACES PLEASE TEXT:**

**SLOUGH + CHILD'S FULL NAME + AGE + GROUP NO. (1, 2 or 3)**

**and receive confirmation by text to:**

**07947 638205**