Nightingale Infant and Nursery School
Weekly Newsletter
23.02.2026

Be **F**air
Listen and Learn
Open and Honest
Care for yourself, each other and the world
Keep Trying

Our **FLOCK** Value this week is:

Open and Honest

Nightingale Families,

Welcome back everyone. The children have come back very happy and have settled straight back into their learning. We welcomed Mrs Gazzard, our new MSA, and had a fun playtime.

Thank you for all the children and families who supported the sponsored event at the end of last term. Thank you as well to those parents/carers who gave us feedback, we have taken this on board for future events.

Have a great week.

Sarah Hutt, Hannah McConnell and the NIANS Team

Attendance



Attendance – Reception/Year 1/Year 2

Attendance last week	Attendance this term
93.8 %	**93.7 %**

Our aim is to maintain the attendance above 96%. Thank you for your continued support.

Home Learning & Parent Overview

Home Learning and Parent Overview are on Weduc and the school website.

Wagtail Home Learning: Nursery – Nightingale Infant & Nursery School

Reception Home Learning: EYFS Curriculum – Nightingale Infant & Nursery School

Year 1 & Year 2 Home Learning and Parent Overview: KS1 Curriculum – Nightingale Infant & Nursery School

Dodgeball Club

DODGEBALL CLUB



DODGEBALL CLUB IS GOING TO BE HELD ON A WEDNESDAY AFTER SCHOOL STARTING FROM WEDNESDAY 25TH FEBUARY 2026 FROM 3.15PM TILL 4.15PM. RUN BY A QUALIFIED INSTRUCTOR ALONG WITH FIRST AID AND CHILD PROTECTION.

THE CLUB WILL RUN FOR 5 WEEKS COSTING **£20** IN TOTAL. WHICH WILL MEAN THE CLUB WILL WORK OUT AT £4 PER CHILD PER SESSION.

DUE TO CURRENT CIRCUMSTANCES, I WILL ONLY ACCEPT BANK TRANFERS. FOR BACS PAYMENT: SPOT ON COACHING, A/N 83834336 S/C 20-17-20 WITH YOUR CHILDS NAME AS REFERENCE. FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED AND SENT TO: spotoncoaching1@gmail.com

PLEASE ALSO NOTE THAT ALL COMPLETED FORMS ARE KEPT FOR THE 5 SESSIONS THEN DESTROYED AFTER SESSION COMPLETION.

NAME: _____

AGE: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBERS:

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PLEASE TICK IF YOU DO NOT WISH US TO TAKE PHOTOS OF YOUR CHILD ⬭

PLEASE TICK IF YOU DO NOT WISH US TO GIVE MEDICAL TREATMENT ⬭

MEDICAL DETAILS:

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EMAIL: _____

(PLEASE ONLY ADD YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS IF YOU DON'T MIND FUTURE COROSPONDENTS FROM SPOT ON COACHING)

BINGO NIGHT


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10 22 37 55 68
6 18 34 47 57
12 25 48 59 75
7 20 33 60 70
GAMES | FUN | PRIZES
FRIDAY 20TH MARCH | AT 6:00PM
NIGHTINGALE INFANT SCHOOL HALL
BRING THE FAMILY - EVERYONE WELCOME!
£3 PER PERSON - 6 GAMES
EXTRA BOOKS AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ON THE NIGHT
Scan to book
or visit
https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/null/t-jxzaapg

Norse recipe



Ingredients list

- 200g Baking Margarine
- 200g Caster Sugar
- 200g Self-Raising Flour
- 4x Eggs – beaten
- 50ml Milk
- 1 Tsp Vanilla Flavouring
- 200g Icing Sugar
- 4 Tbsp Water
- 25g Cake Sprinkles

Method

1. Place the margarine, caster sugar, self-raising flour, eggs, milk and vanilla flavouring into a large mixing bowl and beat until blended (this is called the all in one method).
2. Grease and line a 20cm x 30cm cake tin and pour the mixture in.
3. Bake at 180°C for 25-30 minutes, until golden and firm to touch.
4. Leave the cake in the tin to cool.
5. Make the icing by adding the water to sifted icing sugar until smooth and glossy. Spread the icing carefully over the cake with a palette knife and top with sprinkles.

Dates for the diary

February 2026		
Friday	27.02.2026	Minibeast dress up in Reception NEW!

March 2026		
Wednesday	04.03.2026	Tennis Taster session (Please can Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 wear PE kits) **NEW!**
Thursday	05.03.2026	World Book Day- Children invited to dress up as their favourite book character
Thursday	05.03.26	Book Look KS1 2.30pm
Wednesday	25.03.2025	Reception/Y1/Y2 WNDSSP Mental Health and Well-being Day (Please can all children come to school in PE kits)
Friday	27.03.2026	School closes at 3.15pm for Easter holidays

April 2026		
Tuesday	14.04.2026	School re-opens for Summer Term
W/C 20th April 2026		Reception/Y1/Y2 Parents Evening (more info to follow)

May 2026		
Wednesday	04.05.2026	Reception/Y1/Y2 WNDSSP Mental Health and Well-being Day (Please can all children come to school in PE kits)
Friday	22.05.2026	School closes at 3.15pm for half term holiday

June 2026		
Monday-Friday	01.06.2026-05.06.2026	Sports Week (Please can children wear PE kits to school all week)
Friday	12.06.2025	Wagtail/Reception/Y1/Y2 Class photos
Wednesday	24.06.2026	Reception/Y1/Y2 WNDSSP Mental Health and Well-being Day (Please can all children come to school in PE kits)
Friday	26.06.2026	WNDSSP Reception Multi-Skills Festival (12 children only, info to follow)

July 2026		
Thursday	02.07.2026	Y2 multi-sports event and music event
Tuesday	07.07.2026	Y2 Water Extravaganza
Tuesday	14.07.2026	Y2 Leavers Assembly 2pm
Wednesday	08.07.2026	Transition Day
Thursday	09.07.2026	Transition Day
Tuesday	14.07.2026	WNDSSP Y1/Y2 Multi-Sports Festival (12 children only, letter to follow)
Thursday	16.07.2026	Y2 Leavers Disco
Friday	17.07.2026	Last day of the academic year

Term dates

Key : White dates - schools open to pupils
Yellow dates - pupil holiday
Red dates - bank holiday

Norfolk County Council **2025-2026** Norfolk Model Calendar

This calendar applies to community schools, community special schools, VC schools and nursery schools and sets the days on which school transport will be provided. While most Foundation, VA, foundation special, free schools and academy trusts who are able to set their own dates, adopt the Norfolk Model, we advise you to check with your child's school before making holiday or other commitments.

September 2025

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