



The Manor CE Primary School

Manor Mail

Dates for the Diary


- ⇒21 April: Easter Monday (Bank Holiday) School closed
 - ⇒22 April: (Tuesday) First day Term 5. All children return to school
 - ⇒23 April: YR trip Windmill Hill City Farm
 - ⇒25 April: Coffee Morning after drop off with Mrs Mann (Family Link Worker) and Mrs Gray (Inclusion Lead)
 - ⇒2 May: Inset Day—school closed for children
 - ⇒5 May: Bank Holiday
 - ⇒23 May: Last day Term 5
 - ⇒2 Jun: First day Term 6
 - ⇒3 Jun: KS1 Sports Day—AM—details to follow
 - ⇒4 Jun: KS2 Sports Day—AM—details to follow
 - ⇒5 Jun: Class photographs
 - ⇒16 Jun: Reserve KS1 Sports Day
 - ⇒18 Jun: Reserve KS2 Sports Day
 - ⇒30 Jun: Inset Day—school closed for children
 - ⇒16 Jul: Y6 Leaver's Performance to parents 2—3pm. Details to follow
 - ⇒16 Jul: Y6 Leaver's Performance to parents 5—6pm. Details to follow
 - ⇒22 Jul: Y6 Leaver's Service to parents 10—11am (in school hall). Details to follow
 - ⇒22 Jul: Last Day Term 6
- * Academic Year 2025-2026 Inset Days (confirmed so far): Monday 1st September 2025; Friday 24 October 2025. We will advise when further dates have been agreed.

Next week/Reminders/Notices

- ◆ Please remember to order your meal choices next term. You can order up to 3 weeks in advance. This includes home packed lunch. A new menu will be available towards the end of the Half Term break and this will be available to see on the school website shortly.


Coffee Morning

Everyone Welcome



Mrs Mann (Family Link Worker) and Mrs Gray (Inclusion Lead) kindly invite all parents and carers to join them for a cup of tea /coffee and a chat in the school hall on **Friday 25th April 2025** straight after morning drop off. All welcome!

There is NO Agenda - This will be an opportunity to meet and chat to other parents/carers. The chance to ask questions, share experiences and have a friendly chat while enjoying a much needed cuppa!



St George Celebrations 2025

Yate Heritage Centre
Saturday 26th April, 10:30 - 16:30
 A great community and history event with comedy, folk music, Morris Dancing, and history demonstrations. Stalls and refreshments.

Follow us on

Church Road, Yate BS37 5BG 01454 862200
 info@yateheritage.co.uk
 Open: Tue - Thurs 10am to 4pm, Sat 10am to 3pm
 Entry fee - 1p donation

McSS Church at Fromside

Easter

PLEASE JOIN US FOR

A FUN EVENT FOR ALL THE FAMILY FOLLOWING 'THE WAY OF THE CROSS'

CRAFTS
 GAMES
 SONGS
 WORSHIP
 TEA
 SQUASH
 CAKE
 HOT CROSS BUNS

SATURDAY
19TH APRIL 2025
3:30 - 5:15PM
 ST. SAVIOUR'S HALL
 COALPIT HEATH
 BS36 2RP

South Gloucestershire Community Learning

***FREE Adult Courses**

*FREE: Improve your Spreadsheet Skills

5 week course - starts Thursday 1 May, 12.30 - 2.30pm, at Christ Church, Downend

This course is suitable for anyone new to spreadsheets, or wanting to brush up their skills. It will help you to create a spreadsheet from scratch and use some of the built-in formulae. This will support you in work and at home - for things like managing your finances, or helping your children with their own IT skills needed for school homework, etc.

Contact SAM to register your place!

Phone: 07768 293842
 Email: samantha.jones1@southglos.gov.uk
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 App: aad-south-glos.glideapp.io (or scan the QR code above)

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***FREE Adult Courses**

*FREE: MOVING YOUR BUSINESS ONLINE

5 week course - starts Thursday 1 May, 9.30 - 11.30am, at Yate library

This course will help you to develop the skills you need to create your own website so that you can advertise your business, set up a business page on social media and learn how to market to your customers to increase visibility for your business.

It is suitable for those who want to move an existing business online or have a hobby that they would like to turn into a business and would like to develop the skills to use online platforms.

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*FREE: Improve your Spreadsheet Skills

5 week course - starts Tuesday 22 April, 9.30 - 11.30am, at Yate Armadillo Café

This course is suitable for anyone new to spreadsheets, or wanting to brush up their skills. It will help you to create a spreadsheet from scratch and use some of the built-in formulae. This will support you in work and at home - for things like managing your finances, or helping your children with their own IT skills needed for school homework, etc.

Contact Sam to book

Where: Armadillo Café, Yate - opposite Morrison's supermarket
 When: Tuesdays - 9.30am - 11.30am
 Start: 22.4.25 - 20.5.25
 Book: 07768 293842, samantha.jones1@southglos.gov.uk
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Creative Holiday Club

For 5 - 11 year olds

NO COST!

Activities

- Arts and Crafts
- Drama
- Games
- Outdoor play

When?
 10am - 2pm
 Mon 7th April - Thurs 10th April

Where?
 Downend, Little Stoke, Hillfields, St Anne's, Withywood

*All club places are fully funded (no cost) and children must be in receipt of benefit-related Free School Meals to be eligible for a place.

Any questions? Call/Email 0117 428 6240 sophie@yateheritage.co.uk

To find out more visit our booking page here

Bikeability

Cycling Training for the 21st Century

SCHOOL HOLIDAY CYCLE TRAINING COURSES
BEFORE BOOKING YOUR COURSE, PLEASE READ BELOW CAREFULLY!

- All courses are subject to a £5 Booking Fee which is non-refundable, so please make sure you book the correct course for your child.
- Places are limited so they are booked on a first come basis.
- The child must have a roadworthy bike with 2 working brakes and have a properly fitting helmet.

Bikeability Learn to Ride This session is for trainees who cannot ride a bike with pedals without stabilisers, including older children who have never mastered the skill. The session lasts 1.5 hours. **This course is for School Year 3 and above.**

Level 1 This session is intended for existing riders to build on their confidence and to learn to control and master their bikes in a space away from traffic such as a playground or closed car park. For more details about the content go to [Bikeability Level 1](#). Session lasts 1.5 hours. **This course is for School Year 3 and above who can cycle without stabilisers.**

Level 2 This is a one-day course from 9:15am - 2:45pm. There is an initial assessment in the playground covering level 1 skills to ensure they are ready for on-road training. Once out on the road, they will learn about road position, which road user has priority and when, and how to recognise typical hazards as well as manoeuvring through junctions. For more details about the content of the course, go to [Bikeability Level 2](#). **This course is for School Year 6 and above who can cycle confidently and with control.**

Level 3 This 2-hour course aims to equip riders with skills for more challenging roads and traffic situations such as using multi-lane roundabouts and traffic lights, passing queuing traffic, road narrowing, understanding blind spots and how to perceive and deal with hazards. For more details about the content, go to [Bikeability Level 3](#).

Trainees must be in School Year 6 or above. This course is for competent riders. All riders MUST have completed a Level 2 course to an acceptable level prior to enrolling on this course. An acceptable level is where on the back of their level 2 certificate each box is ticked either **Independently** or **With More Practice**. If any of the boxes are ticked as either **With Some Assistance** or **Not Yet Attempted** they should attend another Level 2 course. Riders need time to absorb and practice the Level 2 skills, therefore they **MUST NOT** attend a Level 2 and a Level 3 course within the same holiday period.

Courses are being held at Bradley Stoke Community Secondary School, Eddlewood Lane, BS32 9BS

To book on one of the above courses please log onto <https://southglos.cyclesafe.co.uk/publicbookings>

All instructors are DBS checked and work for the Council's Road Safety Team. Bikeability certificates are awarded to all trainees who successfully complete the course.

Please note courses are subject to a minimum number of children attending on the date. Locations of training may vary according to availability.