



WEEKLY REMINDER: 20TH OCTOBER – 24TH OCTOBER.

Our value this term is Thankfulness.

DAY	WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK
MONDAY 20th	8am Early Morning Club. ASC - Bibury Oaks Parents Evening. 3.30pm-5.30pm. Bookable through Arbor
TUESDAY 21st PE Lessons	8am Early Morning Club. ASC - Sports Club with Mr J.
WEDNESDAY 22nd	8am Early Morning Club. PM - Yr3 - Yr6. Swimming. Bring in a swimming kit. ASC - Bibury Oaks
THURSDAY 23rd	8am Early Morning Club. ASC - Bibury Oaks Break Up.
FRIDAY 24th	School Closed - Inset day.

ADVANCED DIARY DATES	
Monday 3 rd November	Inset Day.
Tuesday 4 th November	Back to School.
Thursday 13 th November	KS2 Trip to The Explorer Dome at North Cerney.
Tuesday 25 th November	Individual School Photographs.
Thursday 27 th November	Reception - Screening vision & measuring the growth and development of children. Y6 - measuring the growth and development of children.

ATTENDANCE – SCHOOL DAYS MISSED

Attendance in school is key to our children's learning. Since September 2025 there have been 91 morning or afternoon sessions missed. This is equivalent to 45.5 days of education. We have 22 children in school so the attendance average per child this year is 2 days of lost learning

each. Please ensure that your child attends school. For more information regarding Term Time absence, please visit our Pupil Attendance and Absence Policy on our website: [Bibury Church of England Primary School - Policies](#)

PARENTS EVENING

Parents Evening is on Monday 20th October, 3.30pm - 5.30pm. Booking for a 10 minute meeting with the teacher can be made through Arbor.

ARBOR & PARENTPAY

We are now using Arbor for our payments and bookings including:

Trips

Clubs - Swimming.

All Early Morning Club and All After School Club - these must be booked and paid for in advance. Please also book the free Early Morning Club and After School Club.

For further details on how to pay, please visit: [Signing my child up for a Club on the Parent Portal or Parent App - Arbor Help Centre](#)

To set up the Arbor parent app and portal: [Log into the Parent Portal and the Parent App - Arbor Help Centre](#)

ParentPay will still be used for Lunches - ordering and paying.

SPORT – PE LESSONS

PE lessons will take place on Tuesdays and Fridays. Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school on these days. For a list of PE uniform, please follow the link:

[Bibury Church of England Primary School - Uniform](#)

2025/2026 SWIMMING

The 2nd installment of £47.25 is available to be paid on Arbor. Please pay by 31st October.

Year 3 - Year 6 Swimming.

Term 1 - 22nd of October : £47.25 (pay by 5th September)

Term 2 - 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th November 3rd, 10th and 17th December : £47.25 (pay by 31st October)

Term 3 - 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th January. 4th and 11th of February. £40.50 (pay by 30th November)

Time: 1.30-2.00pm

Place: Freedom Leisure Centre, Cirencester.

Your child will need:

- Swimming costume/trunks
- Swimming hat
- Towel
- Goggles (if required)

Payments are through the Arbor App and Portal in Club bookings. For further details on how to pay, please visit: [Signing my child up for a Club on the Parent Portal or Parent App - Arbor Help Centre](#)

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EARLY MORNING CLUB

Early Morning Club is open from 8am until 8.30am. Please book and pay through Arbor. Sports Club will be on Friday mornings and is free of charge - please book your child in. Children can come to school in their PE kit, if they are attending this club. School uniform must be brought in to change into later.

Day	Club	Cost
Monday	Early Morning	£2.00
Tuesday	Early Morning	£2.00
Wednesday	Early Morning	£2.00
Thursday	Early Morning	£2.00
Friday	Sport with Mr J	Free

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

All clubs run until 4.15pm. Please collect your child promptly at 4.15pm. If you would like your child to attend a club, please book and pay through Arbor.

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Monday	Bibury Oaks	£2.50
Tuesday	Sports Club with Mr J	Free
Wednesday	Bibury Oaks	£2.50
Thursday	Bibury Oaks	£2.50
Friday	Bibury Oaks	£2.50

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YR6 TRANSFER TO SECONDARY SCHOOL

Year 6 only. Letters have gone out from Gloucestershire County Council to our Year 6 pupils. Please apply for your secondary school place by 31st October.

FLYER



A Halloween-themed flyer for pumpkin picking at Bibury Trout Farm. The background is a dark orange gradient with silhouettes of a haunted house, bare trees, and flying bats. At the top, the text 'CARVING TIME OUT FOR SOME' is arched in a green, slightly distressed font, with a carved jack-o'-lantern face in the center. Below this, 'PUMPKIN PICKING AT BIBURY TROUT FARM' is written in a bold, green, blocky font. The text 'Join us at Bibury Trout Farm for some SPOOK-takular pumpkin picking!' is in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. Below that, 'Kids activities included, with each booking providing maximum of 8 guests each. Simply pay for the pumpkins you pick on the day.' is in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. Further down, 'To book the day & time you would like to come, scan the code below or visit our website for more details.' is in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. The dates '18th, 19th, & 24th to 31st of October' are in a white, sans-serif font, followed by the time '10am - 4pm, GL7 5NL, 01285 740215'. At the bottom left is a QR code, and at the bottom right is the website URL 'https://www.biburytroutfarm.co.uk/pumpkin-picking/'. The bottom of the flyer features silhouettes of several carved jack-o'-lanterns and a path leading towards the haunted house.

CARVING TIME OUT FOR SOME

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AT BIBURY TROUT FARM

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October Half Term fun



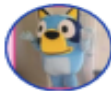
Kids Stuff Cirencester will be hosting **craft tables and activities** throughout the
October Half Term holidays: 27th October - 31st October



Monday 27th October

Crafts with Janet - Autumn Themed | 10:30am-12:30pm

This is a relaxed session held in our play-area, aimed at pre-school children to try their hand at colouring and painting, led by the lovely Janet. No booking required, just drop-in and join-in. Offered Pay-as-you-can.



Meet Bluey - 11am-12pm

Bluey is coming to Town this half term! We have a very special visitor arriving at 11am Monday to meet & greet our little friends in our open Play area. don't miss out on the opportunity to meet Bluey the Mascot from Lauren's Party Characters!



Tuesday 28th October

Kids Stuff Craft - Minecraft & Creepers | 10:30am-12:30pm

Kids Stuff morning craft table. Make and create Minecraft and creeper characters. No booking required, just drop-in and join-in. Aimed at 3-11 years. Offered Pay-as-you-can.



Drama Tots - Halloween themed | 2-2:40pm

Drama Tots are back with a high energy, interactive and fun Halloween themed session aimed at children age 18 months to 5 years. Offered Pay-as-you-can.



Wednesday 29th October

Kids Stuff Craft - Pumpkin Craft | 10:30am-12:30pm

Kids Stuff morning craft table. Pumpkin Craft. No booking required, just drop-in and join-in. Aimed at 3-11 years. Offered Pay-as-you-can.



Thursday 30th October

Kids Stuff Craft - Autumn Wreath | 10am-12:30pm

Kids Stuff morning craft table. Make and create a Autumn Wreath. No booking required, just drop-in and join-in. Aimed at 3-11 years. Offered Pay-as-you-can.



Active Tots by Sportily | 10:30am-12:30pm

Active Tots by Sportily will be hosting a session in our play-area. Get ready for fun and adventure at this active session for 1-4 year old children. Pre-Book at www.bookwhen.com/sportily



Friday 31st October

Kids Stuff Messy Play - Halloween Themed | 10am-12pm

Join this Messy sensory session with our activities lead Rosie. Aimed at 3-8 years. Offered Pay-as-you-can.



Halloween Colouring Competition | Deadline 31st October

Join in our October Halloween Colouring Competition. Simply drop off your spooky A4 drawing to the Kids Stuff Shop by 31st October. Please include Name, Age and Parent/carer contact details on the back. For a chance to win a £5 Kids Stuff Gift Card to use in our circular shop.



Offered: Pay-As-You-Can

Which means if you have enjoyed being with us and you can, please pop a donation in the pot, at the till or online on our donation page. This means we can provide more sessions to support local families. Thank you!

Some events booking required please check full schedule at www.cirencesterkidsstuff.org.uk/activities

*Activities subject to change. *Children must be supervised.

The Long Table will be providing Pay-as-you-can Kids Packed

Lunches throughout the October Half Term Holidays.

Lunchtimes daily, 12-2:30pm

All event details here: www.cirencesterkidsstuff.org.uk

Find us at: 29-35 Market Pl, Cirencester GL7 2NX

