

	GOTHAM PRIMARY SORIOL
Academic Year 2024 – 2025 – November Update	
	Hoods Basketball
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> November	Years 4,5 and 6 half term block of lessons begins
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	Gareth Baker Author Visit Whole school event funded by FOGs Author Book Sale at 3.30pm
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	After School Chess club begins for Years 4,5 and 6 (half term block no club on parents' evening week)
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	Remembrance Service in School
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	The Great Project (6 week course) begins in Year 6
Week Beginning 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Anti-Bullying and Maths Week England
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents' Evening Letters to Follow
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Evening
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Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> — Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need Children's Clothes Donations  Donations of clean and good quality used children's clothing welcomed. Please bring to Miss Allen's Office for the Year 6 team to organise.
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Oak and Chestnut Class Gruffalo Theatre Trip
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need Clothes Second Hand Children's Clothes Sale  8.45am in the hall
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need  Children can dress in brightly coloured clothes or Children in Need themed outfits.  Donations through our Just Giving Page — details to follow
Week Beginning 18 <sup>th</sup> November	<u>UK Parliament Week</u>
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Nottingham Hoods after-school club begins for years 4/5/6
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Open Evening for 2025 Prospective families
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	Flu Immunisations for those who have consented. This is not organised through school.
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	James Naish — Rushcliffe MP visiting
Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Gotham Christmas Market 4-7pm School children are all invited to sing to the village — times to be confirmed

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Monday 6th
January School reopens for all
Friday 17th Year 6 Warning Zone trip
January More details to follow
Monday 17th –  21st February  Half Term holiday – 1 week
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Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> School reopens for all
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup>
March World Book Day
Year 3 Bikeability
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> March
FS2 Balance bikes
Friday 14th March
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> Parents' Evening
March Letters to Follow
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Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> – Easter Holidays 2 weeks and 1 day
Monday 21st April
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Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April
Year 3 swimming begins for 10 sessions
Monday 28th April

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May	Key stage 1 SATs  KS1 SATs are now optional and results will no longer be collected by the DFE. We will still complete these assessments for our own use.
May – Friday 14th June	During May and June, all year groups will complete assessments.  It is difficult to give exact timings as they are planned around other school activities and in a way that is most beneficial to the children.
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday — school closed for all
Monday 12 May to Thursday 15 May	Year 6 SATs — DFE statutory tests  Please do not book any form of holiday this week. You are not allowed to take the assessments at another time if you are absent due to a family holiday
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Cedar Class Trip to Beaumanor Hall
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> — Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	<u>Half Term holiday – 1 week</u>
All in June	Year 6 SATs Writing Portfolio's Development for Assessment
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> — Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 5 Bikeability
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	INSET Day — no children  Report writing
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports' Day 9.15 – 11.30 (approximately)  If the weather is inappropriate today there is a backup date on 16.7.24
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Back Up Sports' Day 9.15 – 11.30 (approximately)  If the weather is inappropriate again, we will cancel and rerun the event within school without spectators.
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> July	2.30pm Year 6 leavers' assembly
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> July	School Closes at 2.30pm

We have made every effort to provide you with as much information as possible. We will notify you of any updates or changes via Parentmail and publish them on the website calendar. Thank you.