

Headteacher Weekly Updates

Dear Parents/Carers

I have great pleasure in announcing that our new Early Years playground was successfully completed over the summer holidays.

Thank you to MK Charity and our wonderful staff for their tireless fundraising by running the Reading half Marathon ,our students love their new play environment.



Harmony Belles—Thank you!

Manor Green were delighted to meet with Harmony Belles, a choir based in Marlow, this week. They visited to present us with a cheque for £1500 raised through a concert on the 12th July. This will certainly make a difference to our students as we are hoping to purchase a giant bubble machine shortly.



Tesco Stronger Starts Update—Golden Grant Offer

On Saturday 6th September 2025, Tesco ran a special event at a store where your project was currently in the public vote. This was part of a larger series of events on the same day where Tesco awarded over 100 groups chosen by members of the public.

We are delighted to inform you that your project was chosen by members of the public to receive a Golden Grant for £5,000. Thank you Tesco Stronger Starts.

Thank you for your continued support, it really make a difference.

Helen Hannam
Headteacher



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Lunch Menu

The current lunch menu will continue until the end of September 2025.



	Week One	Week Two	Week Three
Monday	Beef burger in a bun with jacket wedges Tuna pasta bake Veg of the day Banana sponge and custard	Margherita Pizza with Jacket Wedges Tomato Pasta with Garlic Bread Veg of the Day Iced Sponge and Custard	Chicken burger with jacket wedges Macaroni Cheese Veg of the Day Chocolate marble cake and Custard
Tuesday	Sausage & Mash Vegetable chilli with rice Veg of the day Sultana Flapjack with custard	Chicken & vegetable pie Quorn & vegetable stew with Mashed potato and Gravy Veg of the Day Flapjack with custard	Pork sausage cassoulet with mash Vegetable bolognaise Veg of the day Apple flapjack with custard
Wednesday	Roast of the day with roast potatoes And gravy Quorn & vegetable stir fry Veg of the day Strawberry jelly	Roast of the day with roast potatoes and gravy Cauliflower cheese Veg of the day Rice pudding with jam	Roast of the day with roast potatoes and gravy Macaroni Cheese Veg of the day Strawberry jelly
Thursday	Chicken curry with rice Vegetable curry with rice Veg of the day Fruit crumble with custard	Chicken curry with rice Vegetable curry with rice Veg of the day Fruit crumble with custard	Chicken curry with blended rice Vegetable curry with rice Veg of the day Fruit crumble with custard
Friday	Fish fingers with Chips Spicy bean burger in a bap Veg of the Day Vanilla Shortbread	Fish fingers with Chips Vegetarian sausage roll with Veg of the Day Chocolate Shortbread	Fish fingers with Chips Margherita pizza Veg of the Day Sultana Shortbread

Freshly made sandwiches, Tomato pasta, Fresh fruit, Cheese and crackers & salad available daily

Lunch Price Increase—Reminder

Please note that from 1 September 2025 lunch prices will increase. This information was shared through parent mail on 22.7.25

Hot Meal £3.30
Tube Fed/Pureed/Chips/Weaning or small portion £0.75
Sandwich £1.60

Circus Tickets still available

Please contact Nagina Pazir at nagina.pazir@manorgreenschool.co.uk

Key Diary Dates

The Key Diary Dates for 2025-26 are available [Key Diary Dates 2025-26 v3.pdf](#) Please note that items in red are yet to be agreed.

Term Dates

School Term dates for the next academic year can be found here. [THE ROYAL BOROUGH OF WINDSOR & MAIDENHEAD](#)

Website

Our website is updated with some changes happening in the coming weeks. Thank you for your understanding while it is under construction.

Polite Reminders

Changed financial circumstances

If your financial circumstances have changed and you need support or advice, Nagina Pazir may be able to help you at nagina.pazir@manorgreenschool.co.uk or on 01628 513800 extension 2008

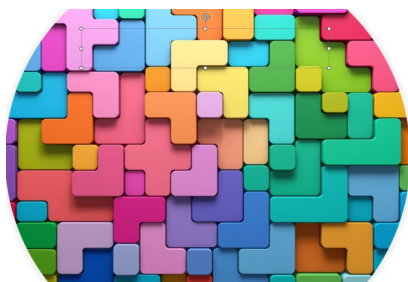
Contact Details

Please remember to advise the school if your contact details have changed: office@manorgreenschool.co.uk

Medication Questionnaire for new students or any change of doctor

Please remember to complete the [student medical and health questionnaire](#) if you are new to school or if you have changed your doctor.

Parent/Carer Social Events



Hum Jolly - School Café 09.30 –11.00

Tuesday 16 Sept 2025
Tuesday 30 October 2025
Tuesday 4 November 23025
Tuesday 18 November 2025



Coffee & Chat—School Café 09.30—11.00

Friday 26 September 2025
Friday 10 October 2025
Friday 14 November 2025
Friday 28 November 2025

Autumn Celebration Stay and Play - First School Only

09.30 to 11.30.

Please notify rection upon arrival. We look forward to seeing you there.

Windsor & Maidenhead Symphony Orchestra

Booking online now open !

Following last year's amazing concerts that took place to capacity audiences each time (thank you audience!), we welcome you to enjoy our next concert on

Saturday 29th November 2025 at 7.30pm at the Baylis Theatre, Braywick Leisure Centre, Maidenhead, SL6 1BN

Tickets are £15 adults, £5 children/ students;

[Autumn 2025 | Windsor & Maidenhead Symphony](#)



WINDSOR & MAIDENHEAD SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
President: Baroness Theresa May

Conductor **Joe Davies** Leader **Susie Henwood**

Saturday 29 November 2025 7:30pm
Baylis Theatre, Braywick Leisure Centre, Maidenhead SL6 1BN

SIBELIUS Finlandia

ELGAR Cello Concerto

SHOSTAKOVICH Symphony No 5



Cello Kiki Skinner
WMSO Young Musician
Concerto Competition
winner 2024

Tickets
£15; student/child £5 from wmsso.org.uk

registered charity
no. 1212732 www.wmsso.org.uk



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Manor Green School Housekeeping

Morning Drop Off

PLEASE NOTE WE WILL NOT ALLOW ANY VEHICLES BRINGING STUDENTS ON THE SCHOOL SITE BEFORE 08:50. ANY VEHICLES ARRIVING EARLY WILL BE TURNED AWAY.

08:50 to 09:00: School transport vehicles arrive on site.

09:00: Staff collect students from school transport.

09:00 to 09:10: Parents arrive on site.

09:10: Staff collect students from parents.

09:20 to 09:30: Link parents and Link school transport arrive on site

09:30: Staff collect all Link students

School staff **must** be at the front of the school at **09:00** ready to collect the students from the vehicles.

Staff will only wait at the front of the school for the delayed students until 09:20. Staff should wait in the reception area to help communication with the receptionist.

Afternoon Pick Up

PLEASE NOTE WE WILL NOT ALLOW ANY VEHICLES COLLECTING MANOR GREEN STUDENTS ON THE SCHOOL SITE BEFORE 14:40. ANY VEHICLES ARRIVING EARLY WILL BE TURNED AWAY.

14:20 to 14:30: Link parents and Link school transport arrive on site

14:30: Link students taken to parents and transport

14:40 to 14:50: School transport vehicles arrive on site

14:50: Students on school transport taken to vehicles

14:50 to 15:00: Parents arrive on site

15:00: Students taken to parents

Staff **must** bring all students to the front of school at **14:50** for collection.

Students will be brought out to vehicles by school staff in the normal way.

Afternoon pick up: escorts should collect the students from the school staff.

First School Playground Drop Off

Parents/carers who drop off in the first school playground area, please ensure that they wait inside the vehicle for their child to be collected and to not use the playground equipment or stand outside the fire exit doors. This will ensure a safer drop off point'

Foundation Park

A polite reminder that parents should not be parking at the entrance to Foundation Park when dropping off or picking up children. This is not a drop-off pickup point for the school and we need to respect our neighbours. Thank you for your co-operation.

Nut Aware School

Please remember that we are a nut-aware school due to the medical needs of some of our students, so please do not send your child into school with food products that contain nuts. Thank you.

Contacting Staff at Manor Green School

If you need to contact staff at school please follow school procedure by contacting the class teacher in the first instance with any concerns. This will then be passed to the relevant assistant headteacher if it cannot be resolved with the teacher.

Arbor Management Information System App

We use Arbor to communicate with parents.

Please contact Nicola Camano at data@manorgreenschool.co.uk If you are experiencing problems with logging in.

Arbor We're using Arbor's free Parent Portal and Arbor App

We've chosen Arbor to help us manage our school.

Arbor is a simple, smart and cloud-based MIS (Management Information System), which helps us work faster, smarter and more collaboratively as a school. The Arbor App and Parent Portal mean we can keep you informed about your child's life at school in a much more accessible way. Log into Arbor to see and update your child's information, get live updates and make payments or bookings on the go!

The Parent Portal works on Google Chrome (computer or laptop) and you can download the Arbor App from the App Store or Google Play Store on your phone (Android 5.0; iOS 10.0 and upwards).

How to get started

1. Wait for your welcome email from us telling you Arbor is ready - you won't be able to log in before
2. Click the link in your welcome email to set up your password
3. Go to the App or Google Play Store on your phone and search 'Arbor'
4. Click 'Install' on Android or 'Get' on iPhone then open the App
5. Enter your email, select the school, then enter your password
6. Accept the Terms & Conditions and enter your child's birthday

Need help using Arbor?

Contact the school office if you have questions about Arbor, the App or Parent Portal. Tell us the type and model of your phone, e.g. an iPhone SE, and include screenshots or screen recordings.

To safeguard student data in line with General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR), Arbor only works directly with schools.

Some tips to try:

1. Ensure your username is the email address you use for Arbor. Ask us to check the email address linked to your account.
2. Reset your password from the login page, or ask us to do this.
3. If the login email was sent to you more than 96 hours ago, the password link will have expired. Ask us to send it again.
4. Ask the school office to check that your email address has not been used twice - e.g. on another guardian or child's profile.
5. Enter the birthday of one of your children to log in.
6. Only relatives who are Primary Guardians of a child can access the Arbor App. Ask us to check you can access Arbor.

Statistics

Attendance (2020/2021)

80.1% 71.4%

Activities

Holly Cook, Clubs

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Community Notices

Post 16 SEND Opportunities Showcase

Wednesday 8 October 2025
3.30pm - 6pm

Buckinghamshire New University
59 Walton Street, Aylesbury HP21 7QG




Buckinghamshire Children & Young People's Partnership
Working together to reach our goals

Come along to find out more about the different programmes offered by a range of Post 16 Specialist Providers for young people with an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP).

Around 14 providers will be showcasing in a calm and spacious environment with a wide range of opportunities on offer including:

- A range of vocational pathways and qualifications
- Personal development and individualised therapeutic programmes
- Supported internships and employability programmes

Suitable for young people from year 9 upwards with an active EHCP.

No need to register – young people, parents/carers and professionals all welcome to drop by and chat to the providers

Free parking available onsite



What Parents & Educators Need to Know about SNAPCHAT

With over 900 million active monthly users and billions of "snaps" sent each month, Snapchat is a popular messaging app among children and young people. It allows users to share fun, spontaneous pictures and videos with friends and family while using playful filters. One of Snapchat's unique features is that pictures, videos and messages are only viewable for a short period of time.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

- ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE**
Snapchat's use of artificial intelligence (AI) to detect and remove harmful content is a double-edged sword. While it can help protect users from harmful content, it can also be used to target and harass users.
- SCREEN ADDICTION**
Snapchat's addictive nature can lead to screen addiction, which can impact a user's mental health and academic performance.
- SEXUATION**
Snapchat's use of filters and stickers can be used to sexualise content, which can be harmful to young people.
- ACCESSIBILITY**
Snapchat's interface is not accessible to users with disabilities, which can limit their ability to use the app.
- INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT**
Snapchat's content moderation policies are not strict enough to prevent the sharing of inappropriate content, which can be harmful to young people.

Advice for Parents & Educators

ACCESS THE SNAPCHAT FAMILY SAFETY HUB
Parents and educators can access the Snapchat Family Safety Hub to learn more about the app's risks and how to protect young people.

ENCOURAGE OPEN DISCUSSIONS
Parents and educators should encourage open discussions with young people about the app's risks and how to protect themselves.

BLOCK AND REPORT
Parents and educators should encourage young people to block and report any users who are harassing them.

USE PRIVACY SETTINGS TOGETHER
Parents and educators should encourage young people to use their privacy settings to control who can see their snaps.

Meet Our Expert
The National College has a team of experts who can provide advice and support to parents and educators.

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The National College

Source: See full reference list on page 10 of the guide. The guide is based on research from 2023. It is not a substitute for professional advice. It is not a substitute for professional advice. It is not a substitute for professional advice.

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SONNING family GLOW RUN

Run the sights of Sonning under torch light and enjoy a BBQ and Silent Disco afterwards

SATURDAY 4TH OCTOBER
BERKSHIRE COUNTY SPORTS CLUB

SONNING GLOW RUN

KIDS FUN RUN (1.5K MIN AGE 4): £5
ADULT GLOW RUN (5K MIN AGE 11): £10
FAMILY TICKET (2 ADULTS & 2 CHILDREN): £50

ALL ENTRANTS WILL RECEIVE A MEDAL AND GLOW STICK

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