



### Our School Vision

May our lives shine with the light  
and love of Jesus

[https://www.bibury.gloucs.sch.uk/w  
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Our Christian Value for this term is:  
Compassion

What's happening next week?

#### Monday 15<sup>th</sup>

Bibury Oaks  
Singing Club

#### Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup>

Music Lessons  
Bibury Oaks  
Dance Club

#### Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>

Bibury Oaks  
Yoga Club

#### Thursday 18<sup>th</sup>

Breakfast Club 8am  
PE  
Christmas Panto - Beauty & The Beast  
Bibury Oaks  
Sports Club

#### Friday 19<sup>th</sup>

Non-Uniform Day - Bright & Bold  
Theme  
Bibury Oaks

#### Stars of the Week

**Acorns** star of the week is Nirvana for her hard work and perseverance in writing.

**Oaks** star of the week is Freddie B for working hard to challenge himself in Maths and English.

**Mighty Oaks** star of the week is Emily for working independently to produce an imaginative poem.

#### Non-Uniform day and Cake Sale for Romania

Thank you for your donations, we managed to raise £135.20. This money will go to the Charity Scripture Union. As always thank you for your continued support.

<https://scriptureunion.global/>

#### Attendance 8<sup>th</sup> November - 12<sup>th</sup> November 2021

Whole School - 95%  
Acorns - 93%  
Oaks - 90%  
Mighty Oaks - 100%

Bibury Bear will sit with Mighty Oaks next week. Well done!

#### Singing Club

Mrs Davies will be starting her after school singing club on Monday. This is open to KS2 children only, boys and girls!

#### Dance Club

Dance Club has returned and will be every Tuesday 3.15-4.15. This is a free after school club.

#### Anti-bullying Week

Next week is anti-bullying week, members of the School Council will lead a presentation during an assembly on Monday to raise awareness to the rest of the school.

#### November Numeracy Challenge

During the 15<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> November we are asking the children to take part in the November Numeracy challenge. This is a global mathematics challenge focused on using Live Mathletics. Students take part in 60-second races that test the speed and accuracy of their mathematics fluency skills. Prizes are awarded for top performing schools. Please encourage your child to take part at home and let's see if we can win some prizes. Good Luck everyone!

#### Non-Uniform Day

School Council would like to support Children in Need this year with a non-uniform day on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November. Children should wear clothes that are 'bright and bold!' Any suitable clothing that is colourful or patterned will be fine. Please pay your donation through ParentPay, where you will have the option of donating more than £1 if you choose.

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### Bags of Joy

Christmas may seem a long way off, but it will be upon us very soon. Over the last couple of years, Churn Valley Benefice has filled shoe-boxes with gifts for disadvantaged children and needy families across the area as well as Mums and families supported by the Stroud Women's Refuge and women in Gloucester Women's Prison. This year, we will be making this collection using carrier bags - no need to search for, and cover, a shoe-box!

**Children - Age range: New-born - 14 years.**

Soft toys; small games; ball; skipping rope; books (new or vgc); stationery; crayons; colouring books; gloves; woolly hat; toiletries (soap, flannel, nail brush, etc.); jigsaw-puzzles; felt-tips; bags of sweets. What would YOU give to a youngster on Christmas morning? No promotional products and no weapons.

**Mums (Women's Refuge)** *Imagine having to flee from the very place where you should feel safest.*

Toiletries (new only); chocolates/sweets; biscuits - What would YOU like to receive on Christmas morning?

**Women (Gloucester Women's Prison)** *We all make mistakes and compassion is better than condemnation.*

Toiletries (new only); chocolates/sweets; biscuits. No sharp objects or packaging and no foil coverings - remember some chocolate and biscuits have foil wrappers. What would YOU like to receive on Christmas morning?

(CUT OFF DATE FOR DONATIONS: 30TH NOVEMBER, 2021)

For further information, or collection, please contact:

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### Winter Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme

Please find attached information with regards to the upcoming Winter Holiday Activities and Food Programme. These cover both the Holiday Activity and Food Programme (HAF), funded by DfE, which is returning this December for children aged 5-16 years eligible for free school meals, as well as the Holiday Activity Programme (HAP) which is grant funded and is open to children of any age.

### Up Coming Events

#### Flu Immunisation

24<sup>th</sup> November

#### Bibury PTA Christmas Fair - Village Hall

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> November

#### School Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December

#### Last Day of Term

17<sup>th</sup> December

No Bibury Oaks

#### Residential Trips

##### Years 5 & 6

Wilderness - 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> May

More details to follow.

##### Years 2,3 & 4

Braeside - 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> July, please pay your child's deposit which was due last Friday.

#### Holidays and INSET Days - 2021/2022

20/12/21 - 03/01/22 - Dec Half Term

04/01/22 - INSET Day

21/02/22 - 25/02/22 - Feb Half Term

28/03/22 - INSET Day

11/04/22 - 22/04/22 - April Half Term

02/05/22 - Bank Holiday

30/05/22 - 01/06/22 - May Half Term

02/06/22 - Bank Holiday

03/06/22 - Bank Holiday

22/07/22 - INSET Day

25/07/22 - 02/09/22 - Summer Holidays