



Caythorpe Chronicle

Friday 11th September 2026

Neverland's Big Bang

Neverland have had a lovely afternoon on their first day back! To help start their learning in Geography, they went for a walk around the village to find the features in the local area. They spotted the church, school, the shop, the pubs and we even had time to play at the park! A great end to a fantastic first day!

Cedric: That's the doctors where you go if you are poorly.

Joe: This is great – I love the park!

Narnia's Big Bang!

This half term, Narnia Class launched their Geography enquiry, **"How is the land used in Caythorpe, now and in the past?"**

As part of the project, the children took part in a walk around Caythorpe, observing how houses have been changed and added over time. They discussed how the village has developed from having fewer houses and more farmland to having more houses and less farmland.

The children also examined three maps of Caythorpe from different time periods. They compared the maps and identified similarities and differences, noting changes to housing, farmland, roads and other features of the village.

To finish the first day of the project, the children enjoyed a visit to the park with the children from Neverland.



At Caythorpe Primary School

Thursday 24th September
2pm

Special Christmas Crafts Theme

Thursday 3rd December
10am



For Caythorpe and surrounding villages families and children aged 0-5

All welcome

Come and see our provision and meet other families in the local area.



To confirm your interest please call the school on **01400 272600**

We look forward to welcoming you



Books & Biscuits – Friday 18th September

We are delighted to invite parents and carers to our Books & Biscuits afternoon on Friday 18th September, starting at 2.00pm.

Reading for pleasure is something we are passionate about at Caythorpe Primary School. Sharing stories and enjoying books together helps children to develop their vocabulary, imagination, confidence and a lifelong love of reading.

The afternoon will begin with a short reading workshop led by Mr Roberts, including a look at how our Little Wandle approach supports children's reading development. Afterwards, there will be an opportunity for families to share a favourite book together while enjoying some biscuits!

We would love you to join us for this special opportunity to celebrate the joy of reading together. Everyone is very welcome – we look forward to seeing you there!



Wrates Photography will be in school on Tuesday 29th September to take individual and family photographs. If you would like a family photo, younger siblings are welcome to come into school at 8.50am.



Every student. Every day.

Enchanted Forest had the top attendance last week with 100%! What a fantastic start to school life! National expectation is 96%.

If you have to request a leave of absence for your child/ren, please do so by completing a form available at the school office. Annual leave during term time can only be accepted in exceptional circumstances following the [Working together to improve school attendance - GOV.UK](#) statutory guidance.

A copy of our attendance policy is available online at [Attendance - Caythorpe Primary School](#)



Thursday 17th September – Governors' Meeting

Friday 18th September – Developing Reading for Pleasure - Books and Biscuits Event 2pm

Thursday 24th September – Play and Connect – welcoming families of under 5s

Thursday 8th October – Football V Church Lane away

Friday 9th October – Sports Ambassadors event

Tuesday 29th September – Individual Photos

Week beginning 19th October – Careers Week

Tuesday 20th and Wednesday 21st October – Parents' Evening

Wednesday 21st October – Y5/6 "Words Not Deeds" Workshop and performance at 3.20pm – parents welcome.

Friday 23rd October – End of Term 1

Monday 2nd November – Term 2 begins

Thursday 12th, Friday 13th, Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th November – Scholastic Book Fayre

Monday 16th November – Odd Socks Day!

Monday November 16th – Y5/6 swimming begins

Friday 4th December – Christmas Jumper Day and FSA Christmas Fayre

Monday 7th December – EYFS and KS1 Nativity Dress rehearsal

Tuesday 8th December – EYFS and KS1 Nativity Dress Performance at 6pm

Thursday 10th December– EYFS and KS1 Nativity Dress Performance at 9.30am

Monday 14th December – Rock Steady Performance 2.30pm

Tuesday 15th December – Whole School Pantomime - Sleeping Beauty at Grantham Guildhall

Thursday 17th December – Class Christmas parties in the afternoon (no school lunch)

Friday 18th December – Term 2 ends

Monday 4th January – Staff Training

Tuesday 5th January – Term 3 begins

You can subscribe to our online calendar [Caythorpe Primary School](#) – click the subscribe button.

For term dates for the year and 2026-27 are available online. [Term Dates – Caythorpe Primary School](#)

Caythorpe Primary School
Nurture hearts and inspire minds!

Parents & Carers
We need YOU!

Careers Week

Week beginning 19th October

We would like our pupils to discover the wider world opportunities available to them and develop their aspirations and ambitions for the future. To support this we are planning a Careers Week, so we would love to invite parents and carers to come into school and talk to our pupils about their careers.

Whether you are...
a doctor, builder, engineer, artist, chef,
business owner, farmer, designer,
police officer, teacher, or work in a career
our children may never have heard of –
we want to hear from you!

Importantly, our careers week help pupils understand how their learning in school can connect to the world of work as well as meeting inspiring adults from their own local community.

You don't need to give a formal presentation – a short, informal talk about what you do, how you got there and what you enjoy about your job would be fantastic.

If you would be willing to volunteer your time during Careers Week, please contact the school office.
We would love to hear from you!

Together, we can open doors,
broaden horizons and inspire our
children to dream big.