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Diocese of Norwich Education and Academies Trust

Castle Acre Diary Dates for week ending 13th November 2026

The Nar Valley Federation of Church Academies

Executive Headteacher: Mrs Anne Neary
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Please note we will update this as more events come on the calendar and send these with the newsletter when there is a new event added. There will always be two weeks' notice given.

Events coming up.....

Date	Time	Event	Year Group	Information
Mon 16th Nov	All Day	Odd Socks Day	Whole School	In support of Anti-Bullying week - no donations requested. Children invited to wear odd socks to school.
Tues 17th Nov	PM	National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP) plus vision/hearing for Rec only	Rec and Y6	NHS height and weight measurement of Reception and Year 6 pupils. Plus vision and hearing screening for Rec.
Tues 17th Nov	2.30 - 3.30pm	Schools and Communities Team Workshop		Workshop at school for Parents & Carers regarding children understanding and managing their emotions and feelings.
18th Nov to 16th Dec	AM	Swimming at Dereham Leisure Centre on Wednesdays	Y4/5/6	5 weeks left of swimming this half term for Oak Class . Please remember swim kit/towel.
Mon 23rd Nov		Flu Vaccinations (Catch up Session)	Whole School	For those who want the flu vaccine but missed the first session.
Thurs 26th Nov		Musical Day	Whole School	Musical workshops for each class through the day with with Xenia Horne and Hattie Bennett, kindly funded by The Friends of School.
Fri 4th Dec	1.30pm	Christmas Crafts Cafe	Whole School	Parents/Carers invited to join us for Christmas crafts with their children.
Fri 4th Dec	2.45pm	Carol singing round the tree	Whole School	Parents/Carers invited to join us for carol singing round the tree.

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Mon 7th Dec		Sportshall Athletics at The Nicholas Hamond Academy	KS2	Further information will be emailed to parents/carers of participants.
Mon 7th Dec	2 - 3pm	Nativity Performance by Rowan and Maple	Rowan & Maple	Afternoon performance, further information to follow.
Tues 8th Dec		Trip to Panto	Whole School	10am show of Sleeping Beauty at The Corn Exchange, King's Lynn. Please give consent and make payment via Arbor, thank you.
Wed 9th Dec	6 - 7pm	Nativity Performance by Rowan and Maple		Evening performance, further information to follow.
Thurs 10th Dec		Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day		Children invited to wear their Christmas jumpers to school on this day (no donations).
Fri 18th Dec	9.30am	Christmas and End of Term Service		To be held at Castle Acre church. Refreshments available at church prior to the service.
Tues 5th Jan		School Re-opens for Spring Term 2027		

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ICS After school clubs.....



- **Tuesdays from 3rd November for 7 weeks - Football Club with ICS for Rec - Y6**
- **Wednesdays from 4th November for 7 weeks - Multi-Sports Club with ICS for Rec - Y6**

Bookings and payment to be made directly with ICS using the link emailed to Parents/Carers.

Babies & Toddlers Group.....

Castle Acre Primary - every Friday 9am - 11am. **NB: This group is currently paused as we are looking for someone else to run the group. If anyone is interested in running it, please see Miss Howman (School Secretary), thank you.**

Regular After School Clubs

Day	Club	Year Group	Taken by...
Mondays 3.15 - 4.15pm	Tamion's Super Challenge Time Club for 6 weeks 9/11/26 - 14/12/26	Rec to Y6	ICS Coaching
Tuesdays 3.15 - 4.15pm	Football Club for 7 weeks 3/11/26 - 15/12/26	Rec to Y6	ICS Coaching
Wednesdays 3.15 - 4.15pm	Multi-Sports Club for 7 weeks 4/11/26 - 16/12/26	Rec to Y6	ICS Coaching