



**FRISBY CofE
PRIMARY SCHOOL**



Frisby Friday Flyer

Friday 3rd October 2025

Dear parents/carers,

Collective Worship Take Home

In Collective Worship this week, we have been thinking about how Guinness World Records is celebrating its 70th anniversary this year. The book was first published in 1955 and is now sold in over 100 countries. Each year, it collects unusual and amazing records, from the fastest runners to the tallest buildings and silliest challenges. To mark its birthday, the 'global authority' on record-breaking achievements shared some records that no one has tried yet and is encouraging people to have a go. We have asked our children to think about 'Can anyone break a record if they try hard enough?'



Things you could talk about at home:

- Ask someone at home whether they are familiar with the Guinness World Records. What records can they recall?
- Discuss the skills required to break records. For example, being aspirational and building resilience.
- Think about something you would like to get better at this year. What goal could you set and how might you achieve it?

Attendance



At Frisby, we encourage all pupils to aim for at least 97% attendance throughout the school year. This equates to missing no more than 5 or 6 days in total.

Attendance below 90% is considered persistent absence, which can significantly affect a child's learning, progress, and overall wellbeing. Punctuality is equally important - arriving late not only disrupts your child's start to the day but also impacts the learning of others.

We closely monitor both attendance and punctuality, and where we have concerns about a child, class teachers will raise this in the first instance during our forthcoming parents' evenings. Every minute of the school day counts, and we truly appreciate your support in ensuring children arrive on time and are ready to learn.

Children Due to Start School in September 2026

If your child was born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022, they are eligible to start primary school in September 2026. Applications for first-time admissions are now open and must be submitted by the national deadline of 15 January 2026.

How to Apply: Applications should be made online through the [Leicestershire County Council website](#). You can select up to five school preferences, and it's strongly recommended to include your catchment area school to maximise your chances of securing a place.

School admissions



Key Dates:

- Applications open: 1 September 2025
- Deadline to apply: 15 January 2026
- National Offer Day: 16 April 2026 (you'll receive an email inviting you to log in and view your child's school offer)

Tips for Parents

- Use all five preferences to increase your chances.
- Make sure both parents agree on the school choices if you share parental responsibility.
- Submit your application on time - late applications are processed after all on-time ones.

Relish Gate Taster



We'd like to invite you to join us after school on Friday 10th October for a parent gate taster session, so that you can sample some of the food provided by our school meals provider 'Relish'. We do hope you'll be able to join us!

Ordering School Uniform

Please find below details of how to order school uniform for the dates that Kidzone will be running their pop-up shop at school.

Order via mobile: 07919 564 052

Email: kidzonemelton@gmail.com

Facebook: Kidzone Melton

Please also find below a reminder of the dates that they will be running:

Thursday 16th October

Thursday 18th December

Thursday 12th February

Thursday 26th March

Thursday 21st May

Wednesday 8th July



Presentation Champions



At Frisby, we hold high expectations for all our pupils. We believe that excellent presentation is crucial for academic success. By acknowledging and rewarding students who excel in presentation, we emphasize the importance of striving for excellence in every aspect of their education.

Children who have been recognised for demonstrating outstanding presentation of their learning this week are:

- Class 1 – Inola Raginia
- Class 2 – Oscar Wharton
- Class 3 – Hallie Chapman
- Class 4 – Arianna Fain



Frisby School Values Certificates



This half term's school value is 'Being Aspirational'. Well done to the following children who have been awarded a values certificate in today's Collective Worship:

Class 1- Theo has had a wonderful week in Class 1. I am very proud of him. Theo has come into school this week, happy and ready to learn. In the class he has taken part in lots of activities and has been joining in with others. Well done Theo. Keep up the great work!

Class 2 - This week, Joe has shown great aspiration in class. He has been asking and answering lots of questions. His reading is developing really well, and he is now recognising lots of words without sounding them out. He has written some lovely sentences this week and completed all his maths work! What a week Joe - keep it up!

Class 3 – You have worked unbelievably hard this week Rylee! You kept editing and adding to your scaffolded write to make it the best paragraph you could. It was also fantastic to see you really proud of how many questions you got through in Maths using a new method. Keep up all the brilliant work Rylee, you've settled superbly into Year 3.

Class 4 – Charlie has had a fantastic week. He's consistently shown responsibility for his learning and is working with real determination to improve. His focus on handwriting and presentation is clearly reflected across all of his books, and he should feel very proud of his progress. Great work Charlie, keep it up!

IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 7th October – 2.00pm - New parent sessions for children starting school Sept. 2026

Tuesday 14th October – 3.40pm - 7.00pm – Parents Evening

Wednesday 15th October – 3.40pm – 6.30pm – Parents Evening

Thursday 16th October – Harvest Service (at St Thomas Church – parents/carers welcome)

Friday 17th October – School closed to pupils – Staff INSET Day

Monday 20th October – Friday 24th October – HALF TERM

Friday 14th November – Individual school photos

Friday 5th December – Pupil Charter event – Santa Fun Run for Rainbows

Friday 5th December – 3.30pm – 5.30pm – Christmas Carnival

Monday 8th December – 2.30pm – Nativity performance to parents/carers

Tuesday 9th December – pm- Healthy Living Workshop with Steel from the Gladiators

Wednesday 10th December – 9.30am – Nativity performance to parents/carers

Wednesday 10th December – 5.15pm – 6.15pm - KS1 Disco

Wednesday 10th December – 6.30pm – 7.30pm – KS2 Disco

Thursday 18th December - 2.00pm – Christmas Music Concert

Friday 19th December - 9.30am – Christmas Service (at St Thomas Church – parents/carers welcome)

Monday 5th January 2026 – School reopens for Spring Term

Growing with hope; serving with compassion; transforming with humility.

Rotherby Fireworks 2025

8th Nov

FREE hotdog with your ticket.
Hot drinks available to purchase.

Tickets £12.50
Children 5-10 yrs £7
Under 5s go free

Get your tickets now by contacting Ruth via:

Email: rfrobinson@btinternet.com

Text/Whatsapp: 07890755804.

- ❖ Gates open 5:30pm
- ❖ Bonfire lit 6pm
- ❖ Something special 6:30pm
- ❖ Fireworks display 7pm

(times subject to change due to weather on the night)

The Firework display is by Owen Skeels @Skeels pyrotechnics his 5th year of doing the display. MS Fabrication Services are sponsoring the event. Phone Mark on 07762873817 for a quote for sheds, gates or fabrication work.

Grab your wellies and
come join us for a
spectacular evening.
(No sparklers please)

Entrance next to the church.
What3words ///
union.famous.skidding.
Head over to the barn for
food/drinks.
(Bring your own alcoholic drinks)

