



Swalwell Primary School

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Friday 3rd October 2025

Upcoming events

Monday 20th October – Year 5/6 Visit to Safetyworks

Tuesday 21st October & Wednesday 22nd October – Parents Evening

Thursday 23rd October – Halloween Disco – Further details below

Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October – Half term holidays – school closed

Free School Meals

We hope the information below clarifies how the system works for parents.

Children in Reception and Years 1 and 2 receive free school meals funded by the government. Children in years 3-6 pay for meals unless they are entitled to free school meals if parents meet the criteria. If you would like your child to have school meals, we can provide a menu for you and your child to discuss. If you think you may qualify for free school meals, please contact the office for a form as this also results in extra funding for school.

It costs nothing to apply and if you are unsure, we urge you to complete the paperwork and check. Meals are ordered by 9.10 and made to order by the kitchen. The children see a visual photograph of the meal and make their choice. The kitchen then cooks meals to order. School is charged per meal ordered and cooked. Payment is charged to parents for each meal ordered.

If there is a specific dietary need please inform the office.

🎃 Halloween Disco – Thursday 23rd October 🎃

Get ready for a spooktacular time at our School Halloween Disco!

- EYFS / Key Stage 1: 3:20–4:00pm
- Key Stage 2: 4:15–5:15pm

Tickets are just £2 and include a hot dog and a drink. These can be purchased via ParentPay. Come dressed to impress in your favourite Halloween costume – we can't wait to see your spooky style!

Forest School

Children will be taking part in Forest School sessions regardless of the weather. Please ensure they come dressed appropriately with suitable outdoor clothing, including waterproofs and wellies.