



# Gemstones Club – April Newsletter

## Welcome to our April Gemstones Newsletter

We've had another exciting and active month! The children have continued to enjoy a wide variety of activities, making the most of both indoor and outdoor opportunities as the weather begins to brighten.

This month, pupils have especially loved getting creative with arts and crafts, as well as taking part in group games that encourage teamwork and imagination. We've also spent time following Stickle Bricks instructions to build lots of new and imaginative creations, which the children have really enjoyed.

Outdoors, we've made the most of the warmer weather by going on nature hunts and exploring the environment around us. The children have also taken part in a range of physical activities, including gymnastics, playing on the outdoor climbing frames, as well as enjoying games of football and cricket.

Back indoors, our popular activities like Jenga and LEGO building continue to bring lots of fun and collaboration. We've even done some baking this month, which has been a big hit with everyone! Our cosy reading corner remains a calm and welcoming space, giving children the opportunity to relax and settle into sessions with a good book.

As always, we would greatly appreciate any donations of LEGO or other creative resources to help support our activities.

Thank you for your continued support—we look forward to another fantastic month ahead!

## Breakfast and Afterschool club Session times;

**Breakfast club**

7:30-08.45am & 8.00-08.45am

**Afterschool Club**

3.15pm-4.15pm/3.15pm-5.15pm & 3.15pm-6pm

We would appreciate all parents to stick to these drop off and pick up times.

## April 2026 Photos



**Just to remind you of a few important procedures concerning session management and payments for our club. Please ensure you update your sessions on ParentMail promptly. All payments for sessions must be made through ParentMail. For us to accurately prepare the required staffing ratios and meals, sessions need to be booked for the entire term. We also require that your account balance is at zero at the end of each month. Accounts that are not up to date will incur an additional £30.00 late fee charge. Finally, please note that our club closes strictly at 6:00 PM. If you are late collecting your child, a late fee will be applied via ParentMail. Thank you for your cooperation in adhering to these guidelines**

**Hall Hire:** Please do not forget we offer our school hall for all lettings such as parties, clubs and meeting groups. We have availability for evenings and weekends and also during our school holidays. Please email [office@derehaminfants.dneat.org](mailto:office@derehaminfants.dneat.org)

## Gemstones Events:



Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2026

Epic Science party

£9 per child

15.15-17.15pm- light tea included.

Please book your space via emailing the [office@derehaminfants.dneat.org](mailto:office@derehaminfants.dneat.org)

Payment is to be made on ParentMail.

## Dates for your diary:

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2026- Gemstones Event -  
Epic Science Party - 15.15pm-17.15pm  
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book your space.

## Gem of the month:



Our "Gem" of the month goes to Edith Ulph in Diamond Class - For being kind to others.

If you have any queries about the contents of this newsletter then do not hesitate to contact us.

Everything is possible for one who believes. Mark 9:23