October Half Term Timetable

COVENTRY
BEST START
FAMILY HUBS

26th - 30th October 2026

Find out about the FREE activities, workshops and sessions for children, young people and their families in Coventry during the October half term holidays.

We are looking forward to meeting you.

For more information

Scan the QR code or visit www.coventryfamilies.co.uk

*Activities are correct at the time of print. Please see social media for updates. Follow your local hub on facebook.

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Coventry Best Start Family Hubs

Monday 26th October- Friday 30th October

Day	Time	Activity	Venue	Suitable for	Notes
Monday	10.30am - 12.00pm	**Creative play and games with an Autumn flair.**	Park Edge Family Hub, CV2 1NE	All ages	Come and spend time with the whole family making autumn crafts, decorating biscuits in autumn themes. Under 5's space for the younger children to enjoy.
	1.00pm - 4.00pm	**Go Walks to The People's Patch**	Wood Side Family Hub, CV3 3GL	All ages	Meet us at Wood Side at 1pm for a gentle walk to The People's Patch! Get ready for an afternoon packed with scavenger trails, arts and crafts, pumpkin fun and much more! Bring the family, get outdoors and enjoy a fun filled autumn adventure together.
	1.15pm - 2.45pm	**Bump, Baby and Beyond**	Pathways Family Hub, CV6 1HD	Parents and Babies.	Bump, Baby and Beyond brings together Midwifery, Health Visiting and Family Hub Staff to provide joined up care every step of the way. Come and meet other parents in the baby group whilst visiting your midwife and your health visitor.
	1.30pm - 3.00pm	**Creepy Crawllies and Sensory Surprises**	Mosaic Family Hub, CV4 9PL	All ages	Join us for a Halloween sensory session full of spooky fun for young children and their families. Explore sensory trays, pumpkin play, Hocus Pocus potions, crafts, messy play, and exciting spooky experiences.
Tuesday	9.30am - 11.00am	**Bump, Baby and Beyond**	Harmony Family Hub, CV1 5GR	Parents and Babies.	Bump, Baby and Beyond brings together Midwifery, Health Visiting and Family Hub Staff to provide joined up care every step of the way. Come and meet other parents in the baby group whilst visiting your midwife and your health visitor.
	10.00am - 11.30am	**Baby & Me**	Aspire Family Hub, CV2 1AU	Parents and Babies.	This session offers new experiences for you and your child while giving you both the chance to meet other families and make new friends.
	2.00pm - 3.30pm	**Bump, Baby and Beyond**	Families for All Family Hub, CV6 5LB	Parents and Babies.	Bump, Baby and Beyond brings together Midwifery, Health Visiting and Family Hub Staff to provide joined up care every step of the way. Come and meet other parents in the baby group whilst visiting your midwife and your health visitor.

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Tuesday	1.30pm - 3.30pm	**Coventry Families Portal Relaunch**	Upper Well Street, Coventry CV1 4AG	All ages	Join us for a fun-packed family session with activities for all ages! Come along, make memories, meet other families and discover what's available in your local community. Families will also have the chance to explore the Coventry Family Portal, meet local partners and find out about the support and services available in Coventry.
Wednesday	9.30am - 11.30am	**Bump, Baby and Beyond**	Park Edge Family Hub, CV2 1NE	Parents and Babies.	This session offers new experiences for you and your child while giving you both the chance to meet other families and make new friends.
	10.00am - 11.30am	**Hocus pocus potions**	Aspire Family Hub, CV2 1AU	All ages	Explore a variety of magical potion making stations, where children of all ages can mix, fizz, bubble, stir and create their very own enchanting concoctions! From mysterious bubbling brews to spellbinding sensory potions, there's something for every little potion master to discove
	10.30am - 12.30pm	**Go walks followed by warm refreshments**	The Moat Family Hub, CV2 1EQ	All ages	Come along for a gentle, warm walk around our local community, with plenty to see and explore along the way. Afterwards, head back to The Moat Family Hub for a warm refreshment, a chance to relax, and an opportunity to meet other families.
	1.00pm - 2.30pm	**Hocus Pocus Family Fun**	Pathways Family Hub, CV6 1HD	All ages	Step into a world of Halloween magic and imagination! Families can enjoy hands on crafts, spooky activities, and seasonal fun designed to bring everyone together for a fangtastic time.
	1.30pm - 3.00pm	**Bump, Baby and Beyond**	Wood Side Family Hub, CV3 3GL	Parents and Babies.	Bump, Baby and Beyond brings together Midwifery, Health Visiting and Family Hub Staff to provide joined up care every step of the way. Come and meet other parents in the baby group whilst visiting your midwife and your health visitor.

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Wednesday	2.00pm - 3.30pm	**Little Chefs Pizza Party**	Families for All Family Hub, CV6 5LB	All ages	Join us for a fun filled family session celebrating Halloween and Black History Month! Get creative by designing your own spooky Halloween pizza, then take part in arts and crafts activities inspired by Black History Month. Booking is required, please visit www.coventryfamilies.co.uk
	10.00am - 3:30pm	**The Big Book Bash**	Coventry Transport Museum	All ages	Tied into the National Year of Reading 2026, the Big Book Bash is a free event during the half term holiday, that welcomes children and young families. In recent years, there has been a significant decline in reading and literacy for some segments of the population. To revitalise the love and fun of reading, we have organised this fully packed day.
Thursday	9.30am - 11.00am	**Bump Baby and Beyond.**	Mosaic Family Hub, CV4 9PL	Parents and Babies	Bump, Baby and Beyond brings together Midwifery, Health Visiting and Family Hub Staff to provide joined up care every step of the way. Come and meet other parents in the baby group whilst visiting your midwife and your health visitor.
	9.30am - 11.30am	**Science Explorers**	Harmony Family Hub, CV1 5GR	All ages	Join us for a session celebrating Black History Month through colourful creative projects to splash filled science experiments. Children and adults can explore, learn, and create together by making themed crafts and discovering Black culture. Please bring a change of spare clothes.
	10.00am - 3.30am	**Winter Warmer Community Event**	Wood Side Family Hub, CV3 3GL	All ages	Join us at Wood Side Family Hub at 10am for a community litter pick , everyone is welcome! Afterwards, warm up with a hot refreshment, enjoy activities, discover local support and services, and connect with others in your community. Winter Warmer Packs will be available while stocks last. Come along, get involved and stay warm this winter!
	2.00pm - 3.30pm	**Autumn spooks!**	The Moat Family Hub, CV2 1EQ	All ages	Enjoy a fun filled family event exploring spooky experiments and autumn themed arts and crafts.

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	10.00am - 11:30am	**Feel, Explore and Discover**	Park Edge Family Hub, CV2 1NE	All ages	A fun sensory session for all ages, with messy play, water play, creative crafts, colourful lights and lots of opportunities to explore, discover and have fun
	10.00am - 11.30am	**Spooktacular Creations**	Aspire Family Hub, CV2 1AU	All ages	Pick your pumpkin, grab your carving tools and let your imagination run wild as we transform ordinary pumpkins into spooky, silly and spectacular creations! Booking is required, please visit www.coventryfamilies.co.uk
	10.00am - 11:30am	**Halloween Crafts and Treasure Hunt**	Mosaic Family Hub, CV4 9PL	All ages	Get creative with family fun Halloween themed crafts at the Family Hub, then head out on a fun treasure hunt around the local area! Follow the clues and see if you can find the hidden pumpkins, spiders and friendly ghosts
	11.00am - 2.00pm	**Level Up! Year of Reading for Boys**	Families for All Family Hub, CV6 5LB	Year 5 and Year 6.	A fun packed session for Year 5 and 6 boys, centred around football and designed to inspire a love of reading. Through football themed activities, games and challenges. Boys will have the chance to get active, build confidence and explore reading in a fun and engaging way. This is a drop-off session, Parents/carers will be required to complete a consent form before their child can take part. To find out more please visit: www.coventryfamilies.co.uk

Scan the QR code or visit www.coventryfamilies.co.uk to view the full timetables and to make a booking.

WEEKLY at the Family Hub

Here to help Monday to Friday

There is someone you can phone, email or visit at the Hub who will help you.
0800 887 0545
Earlyhelp@coventry.gov.uk

Services to Help you and your Family

The Family Hubs can connect you to various local community services. Book online by scanning QR code or visit: www.coventryfamilies.co.uk

Help with the cost of living

Family Hubs assist in accessing emergency food, fuel, and toiletries. Each Hub has "warm spaces" for a free hot drink during your visit.
If you require further support contact Citizens Advice who specialise in topics such as benefits, work, debt, housing and more. Visit www.citizensadvice.org.uk or call 0800 144 8848

Emergency Food Access

Family Hubs provide Trussell Trust Food Bank vouchers for use at a Food Bank. They guide you to local Food Hubs/Social Supermarkets, where you can access quality food at affordable prices.

Clothing Rail

Free clothing from Clothing Coventry. Visit www.clothingcoventry.org for more details.

Safe Spaces

In Coventry there are several places and spaces that offer young people security, support, and a sense of belonging. The Family Hub is one of those vital spaces offering young people in the community not only a physical location to visit, but also offering a range of resources such as access to power banks, chargers, first aid kits,informational leaflets, hygiene packs and access to a hot drink and food.

ADVICE at the Family Hub

P3 Coventry Family Housing Support

Help with housing related issues. Come and talk to us about concerns with paying your rent, talking to your landlord, paying bills, budgeting, managing your tenancy or your health and wellbeing in your home.
cov.p3charity.org 0808 196 2660

WELLBEING at the Family Hub

Health Visiting

To speak to a Health Visitor, text Chat Health on 07507 329114 (9am - 4.30pm Monday to Friday) 024 7518 9190 (8.30am - 4.30pm Monday to Friday).
If your child is unwell please see your GP, ring 111 or if it is a medical emergency please ring 999.

Midwifery

Please call your midwife using the number in your red book or call Coventry Community Midwives: 024 7696 7424.

Breast Pump for Hire.

If you would like to hire a breast pump for free please call or drop into your local hub.

50 Things To Do Beofre You're 5

Scan the QR code below to download the app and discover activities for you and your 0-5year old.

Coventry Haven Women's Aid.

Domestic abuse. Are you worried about someone or yourself? The#SafeToTalk helpline is available 0800 111 4998 or email info@coventryhaven.co.uk or drop into your local Family Hub.