



Newsletter



Summer Term

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Dear Parents/Carers

It is hard to believe that we only have 3 weeks of the summer term left at school. Although all of our end of term tests are over could I please ask you to still remember to listen to your children read on a daily basis, even if it is only for 5 minutes. Please sign the reading records so that we can track the regularity of their reading experiences. Also, each child has been given a Mathletics login which can be used from home to support mathematical concepts school have paid for these so please make good use of them! Thank you.

The children have been very busy over the last couple of weeks. All of Key Stage 2 went to a performance of Peter and the Wolf at Bedford School. They enjoyed listening to and learning about the range of musical instruments in an orchestra as they were being played by professional Bedford musicians.

Badgers class wowed a huge audience at the Corn Exchange this week with their performance at Sing On, when they joined several other schools to sing as part of a huge choir. They all made us very proud!

Rabbits and Hedgehogs will be having a special day in school shortly (more details to be revealed soon) and Squirrels class are looking forward to their trip to Chatham dockyard.

These types of experiences enhance the children's learning opportunities in so many ways thank you for your continued support with these.

We are very sad to be saying goodbye to Mrs Cole today but would like to wish her the very best of luck in her new ventures.

Kind regards

Karen Headland

Diary Dates

4th July—Bags 2 School collection

6th July— Move up morning

12th July— Library Van

13th July—Special day for Hedgehogs & Rabbits (Letter to follow)

14th July—Squirrels class trip to Chatham Dockyard

14th July— Last computer club

14th July— Last swimming lesson for Badgers & Otters

17th July— Roman day for Badgers class (Letter to follow)

18th July—Sports day

19th July— Reserve Sports Day

20th July— End of term assembly parents welcome to come Reception & KS1 in the morning / KS2 in the afternoon

21st July—Hedgehogs graduation assembly 2.00pm for those going to Reception class in September

21st July—Last day of term before the Summer break

1st September—Teacher training day school closed to pupils

4th September—First day back to school



Holidays in term time

Following our letter dated 22nd June 2017 we are making you aware from 1st September 2017 any unauthorised holiday will trigger a fine in line with Bedford Borough Council guidelines. Should your child be absent from school for more than 3 consecutive days the school will need to be provided with medical evidence to support their absence. Many thanks.



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Lunchtime News

This week we have all been having fun at lunchtime with the speed stacks, lego and new board games. Badgers and Otters having been enjoying a game on the MUGA of handball and have also been to the church field a few times to play there. Rabbits class are enjoying playing on the main playground and have settled in well.



School uniform

If you need to order any school uniform for the new term you can order through Tesco embroidery service online www.clothingattesco.com/icat/embschoolwear or Josens in Harpur street in Bedford. Please order as early as you can as they will be very busy over the summer and this may delay your order. Please be aware it can take 3 to 4 weeks for delivery in certain cases sometimes longer.

This Newsletters Values Awards!

This weeks newsletter awards go to : Alfie, Maisie, Ashton, Abigail, Reggie, Efe, Mason and Pere. Well done to you all.

Sports Day

Please turn over for Sports day dates. More information will follow nearer the time. There will be no Sports day for Hedgehogs class. Thank you.

Bags 2 School collection

Reminder that the bags will be collected on 4th July, please can you bring any bags you have filled to school by the 3rd July. Many thanks for your support.



Attendance

Well done to Squirrels this week for their attendance of 96.7% and to Otters last week with 96.7% attendance. Charlie Bear goes to Squirrels this week. Well done.

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