



Bearwood News

Autumn Term 1

Friday 10th September 2021

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Welcome Back

What a wonderful start to the term we have had. It has been absolutely brilliant to have all the children back. They have loved playing, singing, dancing, swimming, doing art activities and of course reading, writing and maths.

New Reception and Nursery children are settling in so well. They really are amazing.

Thank you for your co operation in helping make new arrangements work. Obviously, the playground is now very busy at the end of the day without a staggered finish. Please be patient, stand back from the line and allow a few gaps for the children to be able to leave.

I can't emphasise how important it is to arrive on time. Gates are open from 8.40am until 8.50am. Lessons do start straight away. Nurse morning door is open at 8.30am and shuts at 8.40am.

School Lunches

If you would like your child to have a school lunch, please book on Parent Pay. I apologise for the problems at the start of term in doing this, but it is now working.

Reception Parents are being sent their logins today so that you can activate your accounts. Once accounts are activated, please book your child in for a school lunch on ParentPay.

The school menus are available on the school website under the Parents' Tab

Parent Pay

It is really important that all parents activate Parent Pay accounts for each child. Because this is how you:

- ⇒ Book school lunches
- ⇒ Pay for Breakfast Club and After School Club
- ⇒ Pay for School trips
- ⇒ Receive the weekly school Newsletter

- ⇒ If you need help activating your Parent Pay Account, please contact Mrs Klair. Thank you to those who have registered.

School Newsletter

This newsletter will be emailed to all parents who have set up Parent Pay accounts and is also on the school website under the Parents Tab. **This is the only week that you will receive a printed copy.**

Contact Details

Please make sure that the school office has your up to date telephone numbers. Texts & emails are regularly sent out to remind you of important events.

Admissions to Secondary School 2022

We have sent home letters with your child regarding applying for a secondary school place for September 2022.

Mrs Klair is available to offer help and support in school if you need help to fill in your on-line application, or go to www.sandwell.gov.uk/schooladmissins

The closing date for applications for Secondary School places is 31st October 2021. When you have completed your on-line form please ensure you inform Mrs Klair.

P.E and Swimming

For pe, children should continue to come to school in their p.e uniform

This is dark green tracksuit bottoms or bright green shorts and a yellow t-shirt. All available from Bearwood Indoor Market.

PE timetable

Year 1	Mondays and Thursdays
Year 2	Tuesdays and Wednesdays
Year 3	Mondays and Tuesdays
4P	PE on Wednesdays Swimming on Thursdays
4K	PE on Wednesdays Swimming on Fridays
5S	Swimming on Thursdays PE on Fridays
5B	P.E on Thursdays and Fridays
Year 6	P.E on Mondays and Fridays