



Bearwood News

Autumn Term 2
Friday 14th January 2022

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Monday 7th February	The Animal man visit for Year 4
Friday 11th February	Year 3 Trip to Guru Nanak Gurdwara in Smethwick
Monday 21st February to Friday 25th February	School closed for half term holidays
Friday 1st April	Year 3 Visit to Aston Hall to be History Detectives Details to follow
Monday 4th to Wednesday 6th April	Year 5 residential visit to Edmond Hall Details to follow
Friday 8th April	Year 4 Visit to Lunt Roman Fort Details to follow
Monday 11th to Friday 22nd April inclusive	Easter Holidays
Monday 2nd May	Bank Holiday Monday School Closed to Pupils
Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June	Half Term holiday School Closed to Pupils
Thursday 21st July	School closed for Summer Holidays

Covid 19

New advice on Covid 19 isolation is on the back of this newsletter.

A very big thank you to all parents who are using lateral flow tests when asked. We do have a higher than usual number of cases in children and staff at the moment, but generally school is operating as normal and children are working hard and enjoying themselves.

Changes to the self-isolation period for those who test positive for COVID-19

From Monday 17 January, people who are self-isolating with COVID-19 can reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a lateral flow device (LFD) test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature. For example, if a child tests negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to school immediately on day 6.

The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period, and the second must be taken the following day. All test results should be [reported to NHS Test and Trace](#).

If the result of either of their tests is positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two LFD tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is earliest.

Anyone who is unable to take LFD tests or anyone who continues to have a temperature will need to complete the full 10 day period of self-isolation

If you are unsure, please check with Mrs Klair at school.



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