



The Bader Bugle



Autumn Term 4

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A message from Mr Hodgson

Another day, another dollar, as the saying goes. In this case, another week in school, meaning we have had the opportunity to educate your children for 4 full weeks now. It is so pleasing that this is happening and we are beginning to make a difference, socially, emotionally and academically. I hope this continues and I thank you again for your support.

Maths Star

Last week, we identified our 'Writer of the Week' award as one of the many rewards we have in school. This week, we thought it was a good idea to share who were this week's Maths Stars.

Maths stars are children in school, that week, who have particularly shone in Maths. It might be knowing times tables, number bonds or developing their ability to solve problems etc.

This week's Maths Stars are:

Fynn McNeil

Logan Daniels

Marcus Arnett

Leo Frost

Oscar-George Turnbull

Lacie Frost

Leighton Harper

Caleb Liddle

Alara Durmus

Dakota Matthews

Isabelle Potter

Leon Marshall

Leon Littler

Home School Agreement

We have sent out the home school agreement for this academic year today.

This year, school is not asking for these to be returned. I have signed them on behalf of school & the agreement has been discussed with the children today. Please contact school if there is any aspect of this agreement you would like to discuss.

Thank you for your support.

Read for the Stars

To reinforce our home reading initiative, we ask that children read a minimum of 4 times a week in Early Years and Key Stage 1 and 5 times a week in Key Stage 2 (up to the maximum of seven times a week). We would love children to read more than 1 book/chapter a night at home but they will only have 1 stamp a day recorded in their reading rocket card.

They work their way through the planets until they reach the sun and then as a reward for their enjoyment of books (and their work), they will receive a certificate and book of their choice in assembly (and their star on our display).

Last week, Mrs Mudgway's children used Seesaw to share their reading, in order to earn the stamp on their 'rockets'.

Please support school and read with your child or encourage them to read aloud to you or to find a quiet place and lose themselves in a really good book.



Dates for your diaries

Autumn term:- Tuesday 1st September to Friday 18th December 2020

Half term break: Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October 2020

Professional Development Day: School closed Friday 27th November

Hide N Seek

A concerned parent has identified the above 'app' available to download as being particularly explicit for children to use. We have no experience of this app and obviously, with our robust safeguarding in school, it is not possible to download onto a school iPad. However, there have been some concerns expressed about its suitability for children, which we thought important to make you aware.

Warm Kit

As the autumnal weather starts becoming chilly, can we ask that children come to school in clothes that will keep them warm please. We seem to have had a lot of children come to school this week without coats, for example. As the months progress and the need for classrooms to be well ventilated with windows and doors open, the need for children to wear warm clothing is really important. Please support us with this.

Twitter



We now have an amazing 2,198 followers on Twitter. Please follow us @BaderPrimary to see the latest.

Come to meet my Teacher

Tonight, you will be receiving a brief overview of how your child has settled since September. If you need to speak to your child's class teacher about anything on this mini-report, please indicate on the sheet provided. If staff need to speak to you, they will do the same. We are sorry that we are unable to hold the normal 'Meet my Teacher' event this year but are generally very pleased how the children have returned to school after lockdown.

Curriculum

We are continuing to teach an ambitious a broad and balanced curriculum, post lockdown, in all subjects. Here is a selection of Twitter posts this week



Have a lovely weekend!
Mr Hodgson