



# The Bader Bugle



Autum Term 2

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## A Message from Mr Hodgson

We have had a super first full week in school this week, building on the success of the two days, with classroom routines and school rules being re-visited and re-established. A flurry of late summer, humid, warm weather (whilst not complaining), hasn't helped learning, but the children (and staff) have managed really well.

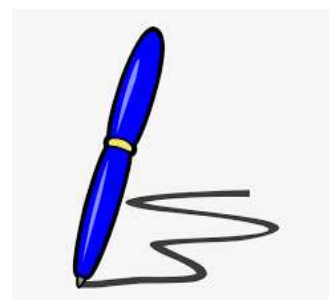
## Home/School Agreement

I have attached our home school agreement for this academic year. This year's agreement has the same commitments as 2019-20 and therefore, we are not asking for these to be returned. These have been discussed with the children this week and if there is any aspect of the agreement that you would like to discuss, please contact school. Thank you for your support.

## Writers of the week

As you are aware, we have lots of awards and rewards in school from 'Best of Bader' to 'Maths Star', 'Sports Star' and individual reward tokens for showing Bader values. We also have 'Writer of the Week' in each class, someone chosen who has demonstrated a particular skill in writing that week. Children receiving the awards this week are:

Harshleen Sidhu	Joshua McCue
Olive Smith	Eva Potts
Teddy Farndale	Lily Mae Thompson
Frankie Maw	Sadie Hitch
Emilia Foster	Joshua Grey
Aylin Sohail	Zak Burton
Scarlett Roberts	Olly Curran



## Summer Reading Challenge



We continue to stress the importance of reading and reading for pleasure. The following children successfully completed the Summer Reading Challenge and were rewarded with a book and certificate in zoom celebration assembly today. A Big Bader well done to:

Lily McNeil, Jude McNeil, Fynn McNeil, George Robinson, Alfie-Jack Crossley, Phoebe Catchpole, Caleb Liddle, Isobel Potter, Holly Fox, Luca Collantine, Dylan Roberts, Ella Johnson, Logan Daniels, Scarlett Roberts, Sadie Carroll, Sam Robinson, Cody Williams, Beatrix Cooper-Gerr, Olivia Dunn, Olivia Burnham, Sophie Elliott, Kianna-Mae Cassey, Tabitha Cassey, Leighton Harper, Nyla Smith, Katie McGrath, Daniel Lithgow, Millie Williams, Marcus Arnett, Finlay Scott, Thomas Meadley, Olivia Radcliffe, Daisy Robinson and Maggie Raine.

### Read For the Stars

We are now well underway again with our reading at home initiative and 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).

This week, the children have visited our new school library (which is still under construction & which the children are going to develop further with their ideas).

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.



### Twitter



We now have an amazing **2320** followers on Twitter. **Don't miss out!** You can catch up on all the exciting learning that has been captured on Twitter in the last week (@BaderPrimary) for postings of the latest news and events going on in school. Please follow us on Twitter. Also, check out our school website:

<http://www.bader.org.uk/>

### Dates for your diaries

**Autum Term:** Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September to Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December.

**Half Term Break:** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October

**Professional Development Day:** School closed to pupils Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November.

### After School Clubs

Our comprehensive range of after school clubs begin next week. You should be aware now if Mr Butters or other staff running clubs has informed you that your child has a place. These clubs will run until half term (22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021).

### Contact details/Medication

If there are any changes to your child's details (medical/contact details etc.), please inform school as soon as possible.

### Class Newsletter

These have now been posted to class dojo and are available too on our school website.

### Breakfast Club

Breakfast club for children in Reception to Year 6 is now available. This is now a cash free system and children need to be booked in prior to attending. The cost of breakfast club is £2 per child. Please contact the school office for more details. We will still continue to provide toast to classes in the morning as this has proved to be a useful start to the school day.

### **COVID-19**

As previously advised, children no longer have to isolate if they are a COVID close contact. However, if they develop COVID-19 symptoms at school, they will be directed to take a PCR test and remain at home until the results arrive. If they test positive, they will be required to isolate. Work will be available via seesaw. In addition to this, children should not attend school if they develop COVID-19 symptoms at home. The same course of action would be required as above.

### **Mr Calum Titley**

Finally, one of our parents, Mr Calum Titley is running the Great North Run this week in memory of his late son, who sadly passed away after 23 weeks in 2019. The run is this Sunday and it's the 40th anniversary so it promises to be a special event. If you would like to support or donate, the link is below:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/joshuajamestitley>



Have a lovely weekend

Mr Hodgson