



Autum Term 3

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A message from Mr Hodgson

Another busy week in school with children finally having the opportunity to compete and play sport with other trust primaries, namely TAG Rugby at Conyers. Mr Gunn, our sports coach, was absolutely thrilled with the effort, application and perhaps most importantly, their sporting behaviour, as the boys and girls from Year 5 and 6 did Bader proud!

Next week, we are looking forward to welcoming parents and carers into school for our first whole school event, of this academic year, namely 'Meet my Teacher' and Macmillan coffee afternoon. See below for more details.

Come to Meet my Teacher

Next Wednesday 28th September, we are inviting you to come into school to meet your child's class teacher. We will also be hosting a Macmillan coffee afternoon from 3.30pm until 5.30pm.

This will be an opportunity to pop into class, meet your child's new teacher, see how well they have settled in and then have a tea/coffee in the hall, raising funds for this worthwhile charity.

There will also be a raffle, and if you would like to donate any prizes, please drop them into the school office. Any donations will be greatly appreciated.

As part of our continued drive with reading, we will also be selling a range of quality books for only £1 each.

Best at Bader

For our focus last week, I asked the staff to focus on our value of 'determination' particularly in terms of <u>independence</u>. Children being able to work independently, especially as they get older, is vital and is something else that we are trying to improve this year. The 'independent' recipients of 'Best at Bader' in each year group were as follows:

Reception: Hazel Millward, Oliver Jackson Year 1: Elsie Hutchinson, Archie Johnson Year 2: Joshua McKnight, Nancy McGough Year 3: Willow Blackburn, Kendall Durham Year 4: Jonas Tyers, Preston Lenighan

Year 5: Isla Bowe, Oliver Nolan

Year 6: Thomas Meadley, Lily Simpson Well done to them and for their efforts.

Dates for your diaries

Autum Term: Monday 5th September to Friday 16th December. **Half Term Break:** Monday 24th October to Friday 28th October.

Professional Development Days Friday 21st October, Monday 19th December and Tuesday 20th December.

Read for the Stars

Week three of our reading at home initiative and again 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). We have calculated that on November 3rd if a child reads everyday, they will have reached the sun on the blue (1st) rocket and obviously get to choose a book from the machine or the book case in my office.

Attendance

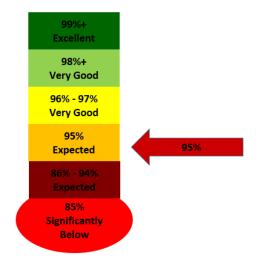
Good Attendance and Punctuality = Good Learning

The importance of being punctual and coming to school can never be underestimated, in terms of contributing massively to children's learning. We have started slowly with attendance and cannot stress how important it is that children are in school. (Covid excepted.)

Attendance goal 96%

Week commencing 12th September 2022

| Class | % Attendance | Lates |
|------------------------------|--------------|-------|
| REC Mrs Douthwaite/Kirton | 83.16% | 0 |
| REC Miss McCall | 89.44% | 1 |
| Y1 Mrs Ayre | 92.4% | 7 |
| Y1 Miss Teasdale | 87.27% | 1 |
| Y2 Miss Jones | 95.29% | 2 |
| Y2 Mrs Jatwa | 93.33% | 2 |
| Y3 Miss Beckwith | 89.09% | 2 |
| Y3 Miss Weir | 93.64% | 0 🍿 |
| Y4 Mrs Mudgway | 97.14% | 0 |
| Y4 Miss Robson | 98.42% | 5 |
| Y5 Mrs Spencer | 92.8% | 0 |
| Y5 Miss Dunn | 90% | 2 |
| Y6 Miss Rider | 82.14% | 1 |
| Y6 Miss Horrigan | 98.21% | 1 |



Attendance Update

Attendance at school (including nursery), from an early age, is really important to us. The routines and good learning habits are vital in a childs development. This is why we place such an importance on attendance at school including being punctual and on time everyday. Please can you report any absences to school as soon as possible to help us to help you and prevent Mr Garbutt from contacting home. Thank you for your support with this.

Twitter



Our Twitter followers are currently **2462** which is amazing. **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/

We will be reposting again next week with lots of photographs to celebrate our curriculum and their learning.

Flu Immunisation

Flu immunisation are being held in school Wednesday 12th October. If you want your child to receive the immunisation you will need to register your child via the following link hdftsais.co.uk and imputing the schools code hd143623. You have until the 30th September to give your consent after this time you will have to attend a catch up clinic. If you require any help with this please contact the school office.

Curriculum

We continue to teach as ambitious broad and balanced curriculum as possible in all subjects. Here is a selection of twitter posts this week

Nursery: it's all about the letter 'a'



Year 1 children observed different types of Animals by watching live cams at San Diego Zoo



Year 3 have been drawing pre-historic Animals in art.



Year 5 have been doing some mono painting



Reception enjoyed their first session with Sc.out.Ed



Year 2 stumbled upon a map representing The Great Fire of London



Year 4 went on a parade around school to showcase Their Mayan masks.



Year 6 enjoyed their hook day for their history topic The Victorians.



Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Hodgson