





Autum Term 11

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A message from Mr Hodgson

This week, it was out with the old (November) and in with the new (December), Christmas in school has begunyesterday, we decorated our lovely tree with an assortment of suitably themed 'nature' Christmas decorations. We have an exciting (and particularly busy) schedule of events happening — we certainly hope you can join us, as appropriate, to share the festivities.

Christmas Fayre

A big thank you from Friends of Bader and school for those parents/carers and children who attended to support our Christmas Fayre last night, either by attending or by making gratefully accepted donations. We raised an astonishing £1031.82. This will now be used to subsidise experiences like the Christmas Pantomime next week, the EY/KS1 trip to Danby Forest and the transport for the Year 6 residential next year. Obviously, not all of these but by supporting Friends of Bader events like this helps school to do more for your children.

Christmas Cards

Our big red letter box is now in the school hall and children are able to post their Christmas cards. Please make sure the child's name and class are on the envelope.

Christmas Raffle

A reminder that Friends of Bader are organising Christmas hampers to raffle within each year group. Raffle tickets are being sold and drawn in each year group.

Raffle tickets are 20p each – get yours while you can!

•	Nursery/Early Learners	Orange
•	Reception	Yellow
•	Y1	Green or silver
•	Y2	Red or Gold
•	Y3	purple or silver
•	Y4	Blue or silver
•	Y5	Pink
•	Y6	Black or white

Christmas Jumper Day



Next Friday, is 'Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day'. We ask for a donation of £1. Bader Parliament will organise this event and a letter has been posted to class dojo. A reminder will be sent out too. This day is Christmas dinner day in school too.

Dates for your diaries!

Thursday 6th December: Year 2 One Snowy Night Visit Wednesday 7th December: EYFS Nativity 9.30am Thursday 8th December: Year 1 One Snowy Night Visit

Thursday 8th December: EYFS Nativity 2pm

Friday 9th December: Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children

Friday 9th December: Christmas dinner

Monday 12th December: Year 3 Christmas Carols

Tuesday 13th December: Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance 2pm

Tuesday 13th December: Year 4 Christmas Carols

Wednesday 14th December: Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance 9.30am

Wednesday 14th December: Year 5 Christmas Carols Thursday 15th December: Year 6 Christmas Carols

Friday 16th December: School closes at normal time and reopens on Wednesday 4th January 2023.

Hot Chocolate with the Head

Bader Parliament did a fabulous job yesterday at the school Christmas Fayre. They organised their own stalls, did a brilliant job of selling to everyone who attended raising some money for Bader Parliament events. As a reward, they were the recipients of 'hot chocolate with the head' today.



Twitter



Our Twitter followers are currently **2490** 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/

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.

Attendance goal 96%

Week commencing 25th November 2022

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Class	% Attendance	Lates	
REC Mrs Douthwaite/Kirton	90.5%	4	
REC Miss McCall	88.33%	1	
Y1 Mrs Ayre	91.2%	12	
Y1 Miss Teasdale	92.27%	1	
Y2 Mrs Jones	91.18%	1	
Y2 Mrs S Jones	97.22%	4	
Y3 Miss Beckwith	85%	0	
Y3 Miss Weir	90.91%	1	
Y4 Mrs Mudgway	93.33%	1	
Y4 Miss Robson	91.05%	5	
Y5 Mrs Spencer	92.8%	1	
Y5 Miss Dunn	86.15%	2	
Y6 Miss Rider	85.93%	6	
Y6 Miss Horrigan	88.57%	7	

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ATTENDANCE DURING ONE SCHOOL YEAR	EQUALS APPROXIMATE DAYS ABSENCE	WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY WEEKS ABSENCE	WHICH IS APPROXIMATELY LESSONS MISSED
95%	9 days	2 weeks	40 lessons
90%	19 days	4 weeks	80 lessons
85%	29 days	6 weeks	120 lessons
80%	38 days	8 weeks	160 lessons
75%	48 days	10 weeks	200 lessons
70%	57 days	11 ½ weeks	230 lessons
65%	67 days	13 ½ weeks	270 lessons

Attendance Update

Whole school attendance slightly improved at 92% which is heading towards the magic 95% or higher. There has been 45 lates across school (46 last week) 8 unauthorised absence letters and 2 term time leave of absence letters issued. On a positive side, 236 we have pupils with 100% attendance this week and 105 pupils in school with 100% since September which is brilliant!

Please contact Mrs Jatwa or Mr Garbutt for any support or guidance to help with an attendance issue.

Read for the Stars

More books being given out this week to successful children reaching the sun first time this academic year. Well done to Amber Ahmed, Macey Abbey-Saunders, Jake Mylan, Declan Morris, Ralphy Dollard, Thomas Merser, Amira Marghani, Harley Atkins, Lucas Emerson, Lily Simpson, Dakota Matthews, Sophie Bowstead, Evie Chambers, Jorgie Kemp, Tommy Wright, Logan Kean, Ollie Clayton and Scarlett Foster.

Well done to all of these boys and girls!

All 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). Children who are not reading at home now will need to read in school, at playtime, if this is a regular occurrence, and is 'in line with' our home/school agreement.

Thank you for your support.

Rudolph Run

During PE next, week we will be supporting Teesside Hospice Rudolph Run with the children and ask that they make a small donation if possible in exchange for some reindeer antlers.



Curriculum

Final flourishes, P.E competitions, Victorian carousel making, library visits, children challenging industry, a visit to Fuji Film, Christmas tree decoration making were just some of the great learning happening this week in school:



Have a lovely weekend – come on England!

Mr Hodgson