



The Bader Bugle



Summer Term 6

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A message from Mr Hodgson

As another half term draws to a close, can I thank you once again for all your support. We have had an exciting few weeks and with better weather, been able to get outside more as an extension to classroom learning.

Parent/carer Questionnaire results

I did advise that I would share the comments/suggestions with you over the coming weeks. Here is a selection of things that you have said we do well:

Keeping the children happy and safe always support my child's learning always there for me as a parent to offer support in relation to my child

Responsiveness and dealing with issues Communication between parents and school is amazing

Lovely teachers and assistants finding fun ways to teach the children

Pushes my child to be the best they can be good variety of clubs keeping parents informed of child's learning

Teaching children to highest standard the scope of learning is excellent, outdoor learning, visiting authors, afterschool clubs etc

Reading scheme is very good- encourages my child to read each night reward children

My child enjoys coming to school and is learning well Bader is an amazing school with great teachers

Teachers understand and manage any issues raised or problems encountered Encouragement for afterschool club enrichment

Listen to concerns about my child and helps with them striving for improvement, read for the stars, spelling awards and the rest

Encouragement of learning through parental participation the outdoor classroom is a lovely addition

Staff are friendly and approachable

Dates

Summer Term 1: Monday 17th April – Friday 26th May 2023

(May half term week commencing 29th May 2023)

Summer Term 2: Monday 5th June – Thursday 20th July 2023


Twitter



Our Twitter followers are currently **2529** 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/> Check out today's photographs too!

Rights Respecting School

As a silver accredited, Rights Respecting School, we look at an article every 2 weeks. For the next two weeks:

	Right of the fortnight
	<p>Article 13 Sharing Thoughts Freely</p> <p>Key phrases</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Our views matter ■ Free expression helps good conversation and discussion■ Many thoughts and ideas can lead to a better world ■ Child have some great ideas that adults may never think of ■ It helps to prepare you for adulthood ■ Adults have this right so children should have it too ■ It helps children and young people to feel valued ■ Involving young people means there are more people to make a difference ■ We all have different views and experiences, so including everyone means we get lots of perspectives ■ It can help you to learn about politics and democracy ■ We have rights

Miss Weir, our RRS lead in school, delivers an assembly every 2 weeks to introduce the latest article we are looking at.

Staff outside on a morning: on the door

In the next half term, there will be only one staff member on the door, on a morning. This person will still be able to take messages, of course, should you need anything passing on to your child's class teacher.

The reason for this change is to give staff the opportunity to undertake some pre-teaching work with groups of children, in order to help them with their transitioning into their next year group.

Teaching staff, of course, will still be outside on an evening if you have any specific queries or can be contacted via class dojo.

School dinner: Price increase

Unfortunately, we have been informed by the council school meals service that the price of a school dinner will be increased to £2.50 effective from Monday 5th June.

Read for the Stars

More children reaching the sun for the 3rd time **Meg Fletcher-Hill, Finley Lewis, Macey Abbey-Saunders, Jackson Charlton, Sadie Carroll, Rhia Grey, Bobby Leeson, Isla Bowe, Holly Fox and Leon Callen**. A brilliant achievement by these children!

Second time at the sun for: **James Chambers, Serenity Colmer, Maya Cuthbert, Lucas Emerson, Maggie Raine, Kayden Kirton, Aahria Iqbal, Dakota Matthews, Ivy Rathbone and Luc Lithgow**. Well done to them!

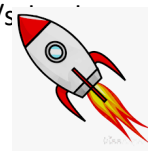
And first time: **Alfie McMahon, Fearn Palin and Jacob Church**. Keep on reading!

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.

Please encourage your child to read over half term.

Coming soon: An out of this world reader!

Thank you for your support.







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 15th May 2023

Class	% Attendance	Lates
REC Mrs Douthwaite/Kirton	93.16%	5
REC Miss McCall	94.44%	1
Y1 Mrs Ayre	94%	7
Y1 Miss Teasdale	97.27%	0 
Y2 Mrs Jones	99.41% 	3
Y2 Mrs S Jones	92.63%	2
Y3 Miss Beckwith	93.68%	3
Y3 Miss Weir	96.82%	1
Y4 Mrs Mudgway	99.09%	2
Y4 Miss Robson	95.24%	4
Y5 Mrs Spencer	95.2%	0 
Y5 Miss Dunn	90.77%	4
Y6 Mr Robinson	93.85%	4
Y6 Miss Horrigan	94.81%	0 



Attendance Update

Week 5 attendance, slightly improved last week at just over 95% (our target is 96% or better). Mr Garbutt, our attendance officer issued 7 letters for unauthorised absence and 2 letters for unauthorised term time leave of absence. Punctuality was better again than the previous week though with 36 lates being recorded.

Good news too, we had 262 pupils with 100% attendance in week 5 of summer term so a big well done to them! Also, we still have 18 Children with 100% attendance since September. Well done to these children too!

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

Super Spellers

We continue to push with spelling in school this year. The class Spelling Bee is a weekly class reward for the class with the best spellings scores and an individual reward of a 'Super Speller' certificate and a pencil are earned by any of our children who achieve full marks in spelling test consistently.

The latest recipients are as follows: **Amelia Warters.**



Class Photographs

Class photographs will be taken for all children (Reception - Year 6) on the first Tuesday after half term (Tuesday 6th June 2023).

Please ensure that your child comes to school in full school uniform for their photograph. Proofs will be sent home the same day with order forms to purchase the photos.

Curriculum

We continue to teach as ambitious a broad and balanced curriculum as possible in all subjects. Here is a selection of Twitter posts this week: You will notice that we have included the Rights Respecting School's Articles too.

Nursery are using 2D shapes to create robots in the message centre #BaderNursery #RRSArticle29



Year 1 have learnt the names of different parts of a strawberry plant and compared them. #BaderScience #RRSArticle6



Year 3 created faces in clay using natural objects and identifying trees then doing some leaf rubbings #Outdoorlearning #RRSArticle31



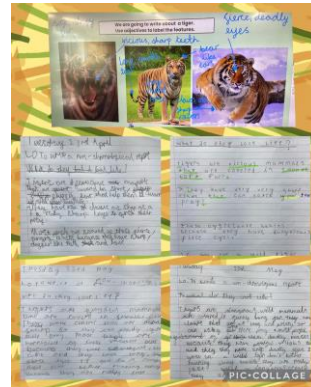
Year 5 have been sketching Anglo Saxon jewellery with different mediums outside. #RRSArticle3



Reception have had an active start by joining in with some African themed dancing #RRSArticle28



Year 2 have started writing a non-chronological report about tigers. #BaderWriting #RRSArticle2



Year 4 have been working in pairs to estimate with money. #BaderMaths #RRSArticle6



Year 5 played amazingly well at a hockey festival. #RRSArticle31



Have a lovely half term break. **We return to school on Monday 5th June.**

Mr Hodgson