

Newsletter



November 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

The children have returned after the half term and have settled back in very well. The learning behaviours and attitudes of the children have been very positive and the amazing project homework which has been produced with you at home has been fantastic to see. Thank you so much for supporting your child with their learning at home and for all your effort in producing outstanding pieces of work.



Thank you for all your support in ensuring that the children are punctual and attending school every day. We have seen an improvement since September and look forward to making this even better as the year goes on.

Please Note: School gates open at 8:30am and children need to be in school by 8.40am. If you arrive after this time, you will be asked to go to the Office and sign your child in and explain why they are late.

Appointments

If your child has an appointment please can you support the school by informing us in advance so we can ensure that your child is ready to be collected on time for the appointment. If it is an emergency appointment on the day, please call the Office on 01274 574544 and let us know you will be coming into school to collect your child. All other appointments please make sure you are bringing the letters / texts as evidence of the appointments.

Car Park

Access to the car park is only allowed for families who require access to the site due to additional needs of their child. Please do not enter the car park if you have not been authorised to do so.

Toast / Milk / After School Clubs

<u>Toast:</u> We have had a few queries and questions about missed deadlines for toast. Please make sure if you wish for your child to have toast for the following half term a payment will need to be made via Parent Pay for £5 for the half term. You will be sent a message a few weeks before the deadline to remind you of the upcoming deadline.

<u>Milk:</u> All children who are entitled to free school meals will be provided with milk every day. However, if your child is not entitled to free milk, you can pay for this by registering with the provider and the details for this can be found on www.coolmilk.com or call on 0800 3213248. If you require any support help with this, please come to the Office and somebody will be available to help you with this.

<u>After School Clubs:</u> As a school we are very fortunate to be able to offer a range of fun and exciting after school clubs every half term. Please note that clubs will not take place on the final week of each half term as this provides time for new clubs to be planned for and to ensure that all health and safety risk assessments are in place before they can start.



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Important Dates

13.11.23 Odd Socks Day

17.11.23 Children In Need Spot-tacular theme

21.11.23 Year 2 Diwali Assembly

05.12.23 Year 4 Hanukkah Assembly

04.12.23 Secret Santa for children

08.12 23 Christmas / Festive Jumper Day

08.12.23 Christmas Lunch

12.12.23 Nativity Performance 9am (1A and RP parents invited)

12.12.23 Winter Fayre 3.30 – 4.30pm

13.12.23 Nativity Performance 9am (1B parents invited)

14.12.23 Winter Concert at 9am (RP, Reception, Y1 and Y2 parents invited)

15.12.23 Winter Concert at 9am (Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 parents invited)

Applications for Primary School September 2024

If your child's date of birth is between **01.09.19** and **31.08.20** you will need to be start the application process for a place at a primary school.

More information about this can be found on the Bradford Council website www.bradford.gov.uk/admissions

<u>Deadline:</u> The online application system deadline is 15th January 2024

If you require any further information about this please contact the Annual Admissions Team on 01274 439200

Parent Courses Information

Better Start Bradford 'Stay and Play' sessions.

Every Wednesday 9am-10am in the Smal Hall.

CECOS ESOL Courses for parents – Starting 10th November 2023. Last day for enrolment is 03.11.23

Mental Health Level 2 course for parents – This has started and is running every Tuesday 9am – 11am

Skills House Workshop – Every fortnight on Tuesday. Ageel is in school to work with parents who are looking for employment and may need support with application forms, CVs or practice interviews.

Parent Coffee Morning – Monday 27th November at 9am in the Small Hall. Please try and attend so we can hear your views and ideas on what you would like to see at our school.

We need your help!

Are you interested in becoming a part of our Parent Ambassador Team?

We believe a community makes our school and your ideas and support would be greatly appreciated.

Upcoming events that we would love you to be a part of include:

Christmas celebrations
Sensory Garden development
Winter Fayre
School fundraising ideas etc

If you are interested, please contact Sabrina Arshad, our Community Involvement Worker in the office.