

Bressingham Primary Newsletter

14th September 2021

Dates

Thursday 16th September **Swimming** starts for a group- Y4 mainly this term

Friday 17th September- Friday 22nd October **Forest Schools** for a group- information sent out separately

Monday 25th-Friday 29th October **Half term**

Wednesday 1st-Friday 3rd
December **Cycle training** for Y5
tbc

Friday 17th December **End of** autumn term

Wednesday 5th January **Start of spring term**

Stars of the week

Year R All of Bumblebees Year 1 Isaac Year 2 Eoin



Year 3 Esme Year 4 George T Year 5 Toby Year 6 Gracie

Well done to all our stars!

Covid19 and safety- this term

Following local authority advice, we want to continue to help keep our school community and those related to it as safe as we can.

Thank you for your ongoing support with these measures.



Thank you also for following the current guidance about when to keep your child at home, which was sent out towards the end of the children's summer holiday.

Welcome to our new Bumblebee children and welcome back to all our children



It has been lovely to have our new Bumblebee children and their

families join us. The children are settling in so well and have really enjoyed having their older buddies, from Year 5 and 6 to help them. Here they are waving goodbye to their big buddies at the end of lunchtime, before they go home...





Our year 1 children also have big buddies to help them, as they didn't have so much experience around the school as usual in Year R, when Covid safety measures were more limiting.

The children are happy to be back in the hall for lunch and enjoying more freedom in mixing with other year groups and moving around at the moment...







Outdoor learning room

Hooray- it's here and we are already enjoying using this lovely room. Thank you FABS, for your wonderful donation and to our Governors, especially Tim Cox, for all their support with this.



Last week, it was used by Year 5 mainly, but increasingly it will be used by different year groups for

wellbeing and outdoor learning activities.



When our risk assessments allow, we will have an official opening, when we can truly thank all those who have made this wonderful resource possible- thank you ©

Uniform

Thank you for helping the children to be smart for school and feeling part of a cohesive community.

There is a new cardigan for someone to claim (unnamed, Tu, age 5) and one of the Year R children has lost an item of clothing which was named, which may well have been taken home by someone else, so please may you make sure all items are named and check the names on items at home frequently. Thank you again...

Operation Exercise

Thank you for continuing to walk and cycle to school, either from home or from the village hall.

Awards for classes walking and cycling the most, in mornings and in afternoons will start again this week.



Keep enjoying the fresh air, the company and the exercise, everyone ©



Please see the office section below for lots of information about Coronavirus, internet safety, support for children and families, and more.



Rosebay willowherb

Thank you all for your support of our wonderful children and school.

Wishing all our families safeplease continue to take care everyone.

Dawn Gudde

Notes from the office...

Car parking and safety outside school- for our children and families and for those living near the school

Thank you- this seems to have been much better.

Please also keep being aware of pedestrians and cyclists, and park only in permitted places. Thank you.

Nut free school



We are a nut free school. Please be aware that children can have nut allergies, so please do not include any items containing nuts in snacks or in lunches; these can include snack bars or spreads, amongst other foods. Thank you.

Coranavirus links:

Information about coronavirus testing available for all: https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/

What parents and carers need to know...

https://www.gov.uk/government/publication s/what-parents-and-carers-need-to-knowabout-early-years-providers-schools-andcolleges-during-the-coronavirus-covid-19outbreak?utm_source=12%20November%2 o2o20%20C19&utm_medium=Daily%20Ema il%20C19&utm_campaign=DfE%20C19

Coronavirus information: General information from the Government continues to be provided at the following web address:

https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus

Internet Safety

The following sites are recommended by the Government for parents to use to keep their children safe online. It is important that parents are aware of keeping their children safe online, and children keep to the sites, pages and clips that they have been told they can go on. Please be aware...

- <u>Internet matters</u> for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- London Grid for Learning for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- <u>Net-aware</u> for support for parents and careers from the NSPCC
- <u>Parent info</u> for support for parents and carers to keep their children safe online
- <u>Thinkuknow</u> for advice from the National Crime Agency to stay safe online
- <u>UK Safer Internet Centre</u> advice for parents and carers

The following sites are also good to look at with children:

For younger children...

https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/grownups/six-tips-teaching-children-

<u>technology?collection=parenthoo</u> d-tips-and-tricks

For older children...

https://www.bbc.com/ownit

Support for mental health

Norfolk has a website and telephone number that may be useful for you or for someone you know of for mental health support: www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/mentalhealth or 0300 300 0123.



Early Help Hub

The Early Help Hub for South Norfolk, in Long Stratton, is a good point of contact for many different services, should you have any urgent needs or worries:

https://www.southnorfolk.gov.uk/residents/southnorfolk-help-hub

See Something, Hear Something, Say Something

Norfolk have launched a campaign for awareness of possible abuse, entitled See something, hear something, say something...



If children are worried about something

Childline 0800 1111 www.childline.org.uk

NSPCC www.nspc.org.uk

CEOP www.ceop.police.uk

Just One Number 0300 300 0123 www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk

Young Minds

www.youngminds.org.uk

Samaritans 116 123 www.samaritans.org

Kids Helpline

www.kidshelpline.com.au

School Uniform

To place an order please follow the link: www.brigade.uk.com