

Byley Primary School and Nursery - Newsletter

Friday 17th January 2025



A message from Miss Whittingham: it has been good to get back into more normal routines this week. The children have continued to be settled and are working hard. I have updated the writing display in the corridor this week. It took me longer than I expected to mount the children's work as I was distracted by their wonderful writing and kept reading rather than gluing. Thanks to the help of Logan in Year 6, I was able to get the actual display up quickly!

Byley Busy Buddies: Just a reminder that we run great Breakfast Club (every day) and After School Club (Monday - Thursday) at very reasonable rates.

The times and costs are:

Breakfast Club: 7:45 until start of school - £5.00 (£3.50 per sibling)

After School Club - end of school until 6pm - £9.50 (£8.00 per sibling)

Call into the school office to pick up forms. All bookings to be made/paid for through ParentPay. Lots of exciting activities are planned for the upcoming term.

Thank you to those of you who completed the survey last term. The results have been collated and we will be taking these to the next full governors meeting in February. We will let you know of any outcomes in due course.

Reading: please continue to encourage your child to read at home. Every Monday morning, children's reading diaries are taken in. If a child has read 3 or 4 times in the week, they get 1 spot on their chart. If they have read 5 times or more, they get 2 spots. Once they reach 20 spots, they will receive a certificate in our Friday Celebration Assembly. Reading regularly - or being read to - very much supports children with developing their understanding, confidence, reading fluency and writing

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend; thank you for your continuing support,

Elizabeth Whittingham (Headteacher)

Our Weekly Attendance Figures

Whole School - 96.5%

Reception - 100%

Years 1/2 - 98.2%

Years 3/4 - 94.4%

Years 5/6 - 93.4%

Well done to our Reception class for achieving 100% attendance this week!

School Dinners

Please remember dinner money is now **£2.55** and paid via **PARENTPAY**

3-week menus are on the school website.

Next Week's Lunch Menu: **Week 3**

Cost for the 6 weeks the children are in school - **Spring 1**

Daily £2.55

Weekly: £12.75

Half term £73.95 (29 days)

Important Diary Dates:

Mon 20th Jan Parents information meeting - York Residential - Year 5/6 - 3:30pm

Weds 22nd Jan Nantwich Museum Trip - Year 1&2

Mon 27th Jan Bags 2 School - drop bags of old clothes off at school gate at drop off (8:40am)

3rd - 5th Feb Year 5&6 York Residential

Fri 14th Feb Break for half term - 3:20pm

Mon 24th Feb Return to school

Tues 4th Mar Learn with Me - English - Yr 1/2 - 9am

Mon 10th Mar Learn with Me - English - Yr 3/4 - 9am

17th - 18th Mar Year 3&4 Residential to Castleton

Thurs 20th Mar Learn with Me - English - Yr 5/6 - 9am

Tues 25th Mar Parents Evening - 4pm - 7pm - more info to follow

Thurs 27th Mar Learn with Me - English - EYFS - 9am

Parents Evening - 3:30pm - 5:30pm - more info to follow

Byley Busy Buddies

The booking and payment system (ParentPay) is up and running. Any issues accessing it please contact the school office.

Prices: Breakfast Club £5/£3.50 (sibling) per session
After School Club £9.50/£8 (sibling) per session



FAB (Friends At Byley)

Please help raise funds for our school by checking out through the easy fundraising website. It's easy to do and costs nothing. Go to the link:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleypta/

Click on support cause and then create an account. This means you can then visit thousands of websites through the easyfundraising site and the retailers will make a small donation to the FAB.

You can also set up reminders on your toolbar so that when you visit one of the named sites it will ask you if you want to donate - this will not cost you ANYTHING and saves you visiting easyfundraising to see your chosen shopping site is listed.

Any funds the FaB make go straight back into making our school an even better learning environment for our children, so any help is greatly appreciated.

If you need any more information, please contact: Catherine Peake-Wildman wildmanc19@yahoo.co.uk

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