

Beechwood Bulletin

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NOTICEBOARD



School Meals

Please be aware that the meal cost has increased to £2.30 for children in Year 3 upwards. All lunch payments should be made via ParentPay. If your child is going to be late in please ensure you order a school meal via the office by 9.30am. The Autumn term menu can be found on our website:

<https://beechwoodprimaryschool.com/parents/school-meals/>

PE Days

Monday—Year 2 & Year 5

Tuesday—Year 1 & Year 6

Wednesday—Year 3 & Year 4

Thursday—Years 1, 2, 4 and 5

Friday— EYFS, Year 3 & Year 6

Please send your child into school wearing their PE kit on these days—Beechwood PE T-shirt, black shorts/leggings or joggers, black hoodie & trainers.

Car park

A reminder that the car park permit form is available from our web-site: <https://beechwoodprimaryschool.com/parents/forms/>

Please park responsibly & respectfully in the local area if you aren't using the car park. Ambleside Close is a no parking road.

Drop off & Pick up times

Morning—8.35—8.45am

Afternoon—3.10-3.20pm

Any child arriving to school after the gates have shut will receive a late mark in the register.

Welcome Back!

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back! We hope you had a relaxing and enjoyable summer break. We were certainly treated to some stunning weather this year.

We have had an excellent start to term. It has been really lovely to welcome you and your children back into school, and to see how well they have all settled and are engaging in their learning. We are looking forward to an exciting term and year ahead.

A very warm welcome to all our new families who have joined us this week. It is lovely to have you with us as part of the Beechwood Family.

This week we have enjoyed coming together for our first whole school assembly of the academic year where we talked about the international sky diving team and the world record they achieved. We talked about the qualities the team needed and how these relate to us in school, such as determination, resilience and pride. We also talked about how many small gestures go a long way such as holding the door open for someone, smiling, saying please and thank you, and picking up items which have fallen on the floor. The children then set themselves a whole school target of 'remembering to always be kind'.

Our new Head Girl, Head Boy and Prefects have got off to a flying start this term and we will be introducing House Captains, Class Ambassadors and School Council over the next couple of weeks.

This academic year our Celebration Assemblies will be taking place on a Friday morning. We are continuing to encourage children to bring in medals, certificates, trophies or tell us about achievements outside of school for us to share with the rest of the school during these assemblies. Please bring these to school on the morning of the assembly.

Please look out for our Termly Curriculum Overviews which will be coming home next week. These outline the learning and activities your child will be engaging in this term.

Kind regards,

Miss S E Hunter,
Headteacher



Star Pupils

Star Pupils will resume next week



Attendance

Thank you for a positive start to term with minimal absences each day so far. We hope to maintain this throughout the Autumn term with your support and aim to be above our percentage target each week when we publish the figures. Just to remind you that if your child is going to be absent to either leave a message on the absence line or email the office by 9am.

