

Autumn Term Newsletter 10

Dear Parents/Carers,

Another superb week of learning in school with 'Anti-Bullying' week being the main focus in classes this week. The children have been learning all about this and this week and yesterday Mrs Mudgway, our PSHE lead, led an assembly with children sharing their learning. Watch this space, as next week we will be sending an 'Anti-Bullying' leaflet out to all our families.

It is worth noting that the official definition of bullying is 'Bullying is behaviour by an individual or group, repeated over time that intentionally hurts another individual or group either physically or emotionally. The key phrase here is '**repeated over time'** as often people - adults and children alike - misunderstand what bullying actually is. Bader Primary School takes bullying very seriously and takes appropriate action in accordance with our Anti-Bullying policy. Cyber Bullying (using mobile phones or devices) falls into this category too. We would urge parents/carers to be vigilant in terms of monitoring what your child does online as recently there have been one or two incidents of mobile phone 'fall-outs' causing distress.

Read for the Stars

More children have been successful this week and have reached the 'sun.' Well done to; Joseph Elliott Sophie Elliott Lily Cooper-Charlton Well done to these children, keep up the good work!



The majority of our children come to school smartly and respect our uniform policy. Just a reminder about footwear which states 'flat, black shoes or plain black trainers' should be worn. Children will be expected to change into black plimsolls if they repeatedly wear inappropriate footwear.

Beat the Bell

Children should be on the playground at 8:55am as part of our home school agreement. Only five minutes late per day means a loss of learning time and equates to <u>16 hours</u> loss of learning time in a school year. Well done to everyone who is on the yard and ready to roll every day - it does make a big difference to learning and progress. Children should only be brought to school through the main office if the bell has gone and the doors on the playground have closed.



16th November 2018

Fluoride Varnish

Another reminder that Fluoride Varnish day is Wednesday 21st November for children from Reception to Year 6. Can parents/carers return forms as soon as possible back to school or ask for a new one from the school office.

Sweets/Gum

Children should not be bringing sweets or chewing gum into school as these are not allowed. Sometimes, in school, the children might get some sweets as a reward but that is the only time we would expect children to have them in school and we would never give gum as a reward. Your support with this is greatly appreciated.

Good Attendance/Hot choc

Bikes

Please can we ask Parents/Carers to set a good example and if an adult rides a bike to school that they do exactly as the children do and get off and walk as soon as they are on the school site. It is very dangerous to do otherwise and can cause distress to our younger children.

Writers of the week!

'Writers of the week' were presented with a fabulous certificate in our celebration assembly last week. Children are chosen by their class teacher for impressive writing over that particular week.

Well done to:

Miss Beckwith's Writer of the Week was Archie Theakston Miss O'Keeffe's Writer of the Week was Poppy Gibson Mrs Jones' Writer of the Week was Thomas Smith Miss Bryson's Writer of the Week was Scarlett Foster Mrs Jatwa's Writer of the Week was Blake Johnson Mrs Mudgway's Writer of the Week was Isabelle Hildreth Mrs Ayre's Writer of the Week was Megan Wilkes Miss Adams' Writer of the Week was Ryley Vickers Miss Robson's Writer of the Week was Kaden Nolan Miss Weir's Writer of the Week was Cassidy Green Mrs McLean's Writer of the Week was Cai Graham Miss Logan's Writer of the Week was Josh Fletcher-Hill Mr Brown's Writer of the Week was Lauren Nellist

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Twitter /School website

Remember; please follow us on twitter for postings of the latest news and events going on in school. Also, check out our school website: <u>http://www.bader.org.uk/</u> Here, you will find lots of useful information including the latest class and school newsletters.

Thank you for your continued support.

Have a lovely weekend.