

Bude Primary Academy

Head of Infants: Miss V Holt

Weekly Email Update 20th September 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

Important 2024/2025 dates:

24 th September 24	Nasal Flu Yr R, 1 and 2.
1 st October	Ball Skills Festival for Years 1 and 2. Sign up via Parentpay by Tuesday 24 th September.
22 nd October	Bag2school collection
28 th October-1 st November 2024	Half Term
23 rd December 24 – 3 rd January 2025	Christmas Holiday

School dinners

Next week will be week 1

Free School Meals & Pupil Premium

Not to be confused with the Universal Free School Meals, it is vital that all pupils who are eligible to claim 'Free School Meals' are registered in order for schools to receive their Pupil Premium funding.

The 'Free Schools Meals Application Form' can be completed online via the Cornwall Council website: Apply for free school meals and pupil premium - Cornwall Council

If your child is eligible for Free School Meals it comes with benefits like free access to the infant Breakfast Club and the school may also cover/contribute to clubs/trips. It is a worthwhile thing to apply for, even if you don't think you will be eligible.

After school cubs

There are still a few places left on the Year 2 Trailblazers club which is starting on Thursday 26th September.

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Attendance

Each Friday in assembly we look at the attendance for the week and celebrate the class with the highest attendance and this week the winners are Maple Class who had 96% attendance.

Attending school is so important, both academically and socially. Earlier today a letter was sent to all parents warning that if your child is absent from school without authorisation then we may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued.

If your child arrives at school after 9am then this will be an unauthorised mark. The gates open at 8.30 to give your child plenty of time to be in school for registration at 8.45am.

SPECIAL AWARDS

A reminder that if your child has recently done something special please email: community@budeprimary.org with a photo and a sentence or two about what your child.

These photos will be used on a school display and on Facebook so by sending them you are consenting to this unless otherwise stated. If you don't get a reply from Mrs G within two days, then please send again or contact the office as she may not have received it (e.g. in junk mail). In reply to your email, she will inform you when the award will be given – there will not be a separate text for this.

Message from Emma Thomas, Family Support Advisor

Just a reminder that each Friday morning, I hold a Parent drop in until 10.30am, all welcome, refreshments provided.

The MHST have a free programme for parents/carers, Supporting Parents and Children Emotionally (SPACE programme) – see attached flyer for further details.

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