



Newsletter
26th June 2020
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Dear Parents/Carers

I hope that you have had a good week. The Prime Minister, when outlining the changes in social distancing measures, mentioned that all children who could be in school should be in school. As the guidance for school remains unchanged at this time, we are not in a position to take any more children into school without breaching this guidance. Therefore, we are at capacity at the moment. Today you will also receive further information about the final week in school when we are inviting pupils who have not had the opportunity to come into school to do so. If you do not receive this information it is because you have said that you do not want your child to come into school or you haven't replied.

Please remember that for the children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 who are already in school, the term ends on 10th July 2020. We have allocated places in key worker groups for key worker and vulnerable children who have requested places during the week beginning 13th July 2020 – Mrs. Bennett will contact parents/carers with the details about this.

We are currently finalising the class lists for next year. In the meantime, I am confirming the staff organisation for September. We have appointed two new teachers – Miss. Beth Ward, who will be teaching in Year 1 and Miss. Kate Stevens who will be teaching in year 3. Mr. Smith will be leaving us to begin a new job as a Year 6 teacher – we wish him all the best and are grateful for the fabulous work he has done this year. Following Miss. Bradley's return in the Autumn Term after completion of her current medical treatment, Mrs. Jones will be working across the school developing our art and design curriculum as this is one of our key curriculum developments for next year.

Year Group	Class	Teacher/Lead	TA's	Phase Leader
Nursery 2 - 3	Hungry Caterpillar's	Mrs. J. Walker	Mrs. S. Llewellyn/Miss. A. Ward/ Mrs L. Cooper/Mr. A. Arnold	Mrs. J. Haynes
Nursery 3 - 4	Elmer's	Miss. M. Hinton	Mrs. M. Ferris/Mrs. O. Jennings/Mrs. J. Waterhouse/Miss. S. Millington/Mrs. R. Dent	
Rec	Inkpen	Mrs. J. Haynes/Mrs L. Tench	Mrs. A. Maiden/Mrs. Z. Saunders	
Rec	Dodd	Mrs. K. Trow	Mrs. B. Bibb/Miss. S. Jenkins	
1	Butterworth	Miss. E. Ward	Mrs. S. Davies	Mr. W. Pritchard
1	Donaldson	Mrs. K. Field/Mrs. R. Walter	Miss. L. Gibson	
2	Milne	Mr. J. Morris	Mrs. J. Tolley	
2	Bond	Mr. W. Pritchard	Mrs. S. Samsudin	
3	Dahl	Miss. K. Stevens	Mrs. R. Jackson	Mrs. M. Hares
3	Wilson	Mrs. S. Page/ Mrs. J. Bennett	Mrs. J. Dickenson	
4	Blyton	Mrs. M. Hares/Mrs. J. Bennett	Mrs. Z. Tovey	
4	Morpurgo	Mr. W. Fallows	Mrs. K Thompson	
5	Rowling	Mr. S. Cottrill	Mrs. R. Powell	Miss. A. Bradley
5	Lewis	Miss. C. Jones	Mrs. K. Buckley	
6	Blackman	Mrs. S. Woodward/ Mrs. A. Brazier (currently on maternity leave)	Mrs. R. Stevenson	
6	Walliams	Miss. A. Bradley (Mrs. J. Jones will cover temporarily in first part of term whilst Miss. Bradley completes her current medical treatment)	Mrs. M. Hall	

Additional Support Staff : Mrs. D. Badham, Mrs. E Speller, Miss. K. Yeomans, Mrs. R. Moore
Mrs. J. Bennett will also be continuing her role as Inclusion Manager.



Year 6 Sex and Relationship Education.

Year 6 will be having SRE lessons week beginning 6th July.

Normally we arrange a meeting for parents, which obviously in the current circumstances we cannot do. If you have any questions or concerns please email year6@bewdleyprimary.worcs.sch.uk



Free School Meals

AIP are now able to provide packed lunch meals to all the children in Reception and Year 1 and all the children in the Key Worker groups and Year 6 who are entitled to free school meals and are in school. Please order via ParentPay at least 24 hours in advance.

If your child is not in school and is entitled to free school meals (not universal infant free school meals), we will continue to provide vouchers via Edenred.

We will not be providing vouchers for children who are in school even if you choose to send a packed lunch.

Free School Meal Entitlement

Some of you may find yourself in a different position at the moment. You may be entitled to free school meals but think it is not worth it because it may only be for a couple of weeks or it is something you have never done and you do not want your child 'labelled' in some way. However, it is absolutely worth it!

For now you will receive £15 of supermarket vouchers but it also means that your child (for the next 6 years even if your circumstances change again) generates further substantial income to the school. We can then use this funding to provide additional support/resources, when the children return to school, to fill any gaps that may have arisen due to the current issues.

No one else will know that you have made this claim. Please help us to help your child and make an application if you think you may be entitled to this.

If you are not entitled to Free School Meals but are struggling financially – give us a call at school as we are receiving food donations and are happy to distribute these where there is need.

Residential trips

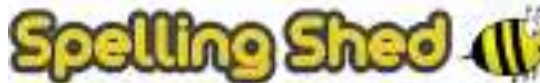
If your child is due to go on one of this year's residential trips to Manor Adventure or to Oaklands, as you are aware both trips are currently scheduled to take place in September. **Please can we ask that you continue to make payments towards these trips via Parent Pay.** We are aware that your circumstances, financially, may have changed lately. Please feel free to contact the school office if you have any queries regarding payment.





Wyre Forest and Hagley Project

Our school WHP Link Worker Luch Plowright is at the end of the phone on this number 07824 512983. They offer help and support through this challenging time and can help with things like putting new routines into place, tips and strategies for managing children's behaviour, ways to help siblings be more co-operative and how parents can work together more effectively. Give our WHP Link Worker a call.



Spelling Shed Results

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Well done to all of those children who have been on Spelling Shed this week.

Winning Class – Blyton

Winning Year – Year 4

Winning House – Severn (Who have reclaimed top spot – well done!)

Top Five Spellers

1st – Daniel from Blyton

2nd – Persephone from Walliams

3rd – Elsie from Rowling

4th – Ollie from Lewis

5th – Henry from Milne

Accelerated Reader Results

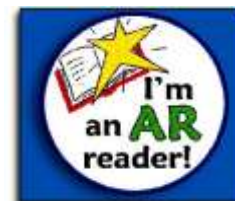
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1st – Wyre

2nd – Severn

3rd – Blackstone

4th – Hawkbatch







AR Classes of the Week

Wilson is at the top of the leaderboard this week with 91% success rate. Well done to the children who have taken quizzes this week and been successful.

AR Millionaires

Well done to Rosie E, Alfie G and Nic J for being the latest recruits to the Millionaire's Club for reading more than a million words since September!

This Weeks Keep Fit challenges

Challenge 1 – Catching	Challenge 2 – Batting	Challenge 3 –Bowling
<p>You will need: 10 pairs of socks or balls A receptacle i.e. bucket, bin or basket Someone to throw (who lives in your household)</p> <p>Aim of game:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Catcher stands 5 big steps away from the thrower, placing the receptacle on the ground beside them Thrower throws the socks/balls to the catcher Catcher has to catch as many pairs of socks/balls as they can out of 10 placing them in the receptacle when successfully caught, to be counted at the end.  <p style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">Video support available here</p> <p>You score one point for each successful catch!</p>	<p>You will need: 10 pairs of socks or balls A bat (or racket/rolling pin/pan/stick of wood) 3 markers i.e. cones, jumpers, tins, etc Someone to throw (who lives in your household)</p> <p>Aim of the Game</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Place a marker where the batter stands. Then taking 4 large paces, lay the other markers to the left and right, creating a triangle shape Bowler bowls to batter. Batter tries to hit the ball/socks through the markers on the ground See how many balls/ socks you can get through the markers out of 10  <p style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">Video support available here</p> <p>You score one point for each successful time you hit the ball/socks between the markers!</p>	<p>You will need: 10 pairs of socks or balls 10 targets i.e. empty toilet rolls, food tins Something that stands above knee height i.e. chair or table</p> <p>Aim of the Game Place 10 target objects on your table/chair Place 7 ½ large steps back See how many throws it takes you to knock all of the toilet rolls/food tins down</p>  <p style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">Video support available here</p> <p>Your score is the number of balls/socks it takes you to knock down all of the target items!</p>
Challenge 4 – Running	Challenge 5 – Keepy Uppy	
<p>You will need: 2 Items i.e. jumpers or cones, to mark the start and end of the distance</p> <p>Aim of the Game: Run as many laps as you can around the markers within 30 seconds (counting only your completed laps for your final score)</p>  <p style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">Video support available here</p> <p>You score one point for each lap completed!</p>	<p>You will need: A bat i.e. rounders bat, book, rolling pin, cricket bat, tennis racket etc. A ball i.e. rounders ball, tennis ball, pair of socks, etc Someone – who lives in your household – to time you for one minute</p> <p>Aim of the Game How many times can you bounce the ball on the bat, consecutively for one minute? When the ball drops to the floor, you have to start again!</p>  <p style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">Video support available here</p> <p>You score one point for each consecutive completed keepy uppy!</p>	



Week 11 Physical Activity Challenges

*Supporting
Rounders England
Virtual Challenges
launched in
conjunction with
National School
Sport Week
#NSSWtogether*



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Don't forget to start thinking ahead to September.

All school uniform and book bags are still available via the M&S your school uniform website.

Please follow the link;

<https://www.mandsyourschooluniform.com/>

and click on the tab, **uniform by school**, then click on **Staffordshire and Worcestershire**, then click on the BPS logo.

Coronavirus Updates, Information and other Support Links

Here is a list of support services that children, young people and families can access whilst they are off school.

<http://www.startingwellworcs.nhs.uk/> Twitter account - @SN_Kidd

<https://www.healthforkids.co.uk//https://youngminds.org.uk/contact-us/>

<https://www.actionforchildren.org.uk/support-for-parents/children-s-mental-health/?utm>

<https://www.samaritans.org/how-we-can-help/contact-samaritan/>

<https://www.childline.org.uk/>

Please do not hesitate to contact school health nurses if you require any telephone advice/support. Or email the generic school health nurses at:

whcnhs.startingwellpublichealthnursingwf@nhs.net

Here2Help

<http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/Here2Help>

The types of additional support available to people through Here2Help is as follows and the aim is to prevent families/households getting to crisis points:

- Food and Supplies - Unable to obtain food and supplies (including specific food and supplies)
- Health and Medication - Help with collecting medicine and prescriptions
- Commitments - Including childcare, pets and transport
- Connectivity and Entertainment - Internet access; Ideas for entertaining children
- Mental Health and Wellbeing - Social isolation and loneliness; Keeping active

Department for Education coronavirus helpline

The Department for Education coronavirus helpline is available to answer questions about COVID-19 relating to education and children's social care. Staff, parents and young people can contact this helpline as follows:

Phone: 0800 046 8687 Opening hours: 8am to 6pm – Monday to Friday 10am to 4pm – Saturday and Sunday

The E Bug Project

<https://e-bug.eu/>

The e-Bug project is led by Public Health England and has a dedicated webpage for learning resources on hand washing and respiratory hygiene.

Resources are currently available for KS1, KS2 and KS3 and can be used in various settings including schools and at home.