



Newsletter

18th June 2021

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Nursery to Year 5 Individual Photographs Tuesday 22nd June

Unfortunately, due to Covid restrictions and government guidelines regarding mixing of bubbles we have had to make the decision to not allow sibling group photos this year.

All children will have their own individual photograph.

Please can children wear uniform and a lovely smile!

Nursery

If it is not your child's usual session at Nursery you are welcome to bring your child to school at 8.15am for their picture then take them home afterwards. The staff will ensure children scheduled to attend on Tuesday have their photo taken.

Reception - Forest School

Children in Reception will need to wear school uniform tops, polo shirt and jumper/cardigan with Forest school bottoms.

Year 2 - PE

Children can come to school wearing their uniform tops and PE bottoms.

Year 3 - swimming

Children will still need to be swim ready, but wear their school uniform for the day.

To ensure photos are received before the end of term please order photos online via the Tempest website. Full details will be sent home with your child after Tuesday.



Reception and Year 6 Height and Weight Monday 28th June and Tuesday 29th June

A letter with details has already been sent home with your child.



As we near the end of another unprecedented school year, it is so lovely to be able to announce that we're celebrating in style this year and really ending it with a bang!

We have a whole range of events and opportunities running throughout July and your child's class teacher will give you more information about specific times and plans as we get closer to the date. All of our plans are in accordance with the current Covid guidance, just in case restrictions aren't amended over the next few weeks.

We're kicking off the month with our Walk to Tokyo launch on 1st July; as a school, we're hoping to walk the full 5934 miles to Tokyo before the start of this summer's Olympics!

The 5th of July marks the start of the BPS Carnival Week! We have been so disappointed that we haven't been able to take part in Bewdley Carnival for the last two years so, on Thursday, 8th July we're going to be having our very own parade on the school field! Unfortunately, parents won't be able to watch the fun first-hand but we'll have lots of videos and photos on our Facebook page and website for you to enjoy.

On Friday, 9th July we'll be having transition sessions for all current BPS pupils to find out who their new teacher is, get to know them a little more and spend time with their new classmates. As we haven't been able to meet as a whole school this year, teachers will be popping in to see their new year groups before the 9th, so that the children can meet all of the teachers that they might be having from September.

The plans for this summer's Olympics may still be a little blurry but we still have our Tokyo Olympics Week to look forward to regardless. We have our opening ceremony on Monday 12th July and then a full week of activities including Challenge Walks, Sports Days, Japanese language and art lessons, martial arts displays and a closing ceremony including a whole school parasol dance performance! Again, due to current restrictions, parents will not be able to take part in these events but our Facebook page and website will be full to the brim with photos and videos of the events. The children also have a performance of the Year 6 production, High School Musical, to enjoy this week too.

You might think that after all that we'll be using the last few days of term to start winding down, but that's not how things work at BPS! We have an incredible prize in the pipeline for this half term's 20 Day Challenge and a whole host of other treats, competitions and challenges in the calendar, all before the term ends on Wednesday 21st!

As you can tell, we're very excited about our upcoming plans and we'll be updating parents and carers over the next few weeks with specific dates and requirements for each year group

Bewdley Primary School
Start and end times for September 2021

Having found the staggered start and finish times during the last year very effective in reducing the number of cars parked along the road, we have decided to keep this to a certain extent in the new academic year. We hope these times will keep any waiting times between key stages to the minimum and reduce congestion outside the school.



Morning drop off times

8.25am – 8.35am Reception and Key stage 1

The school gates will open at 8.20am. The classroom doors will close at 8.35am. If you arrive after 8.35am you will have missed the register and will need to enter school via the school office to register your child.

8.35am – 8.45am Key Stage 2

The classroom doors and school gate will close at 8.45am. If you arrive after 8.45 am you will have missed the register and will need to enter school via the school office to register your child.

These are our start and collection times from September 2021. We have taken into consideration our increased number of children and the need to stagger times to limit the number of families arriving at the same time. We also want to avoid a clash with the high school times.

We would encourage families to use the drop facility via the school layby wherever possible and for older siblings to take their younger siblings to their class before going to their class entrance. We will make sure that a member of staff continues to monitor the layby and gate.



End of school day times

3.00pm Reception and Key Stage 1

3.10pm Key Stage 2

Our older children are encouraged to arrange a meeting place outside school to reduce the number of parents on the school grounds,



Reminders

Please remember our restrictions to reduce the spread of Covid have not changed.



Face Masks

Face masks should still be worn when coming onto our school grounds or waiting outside school.



To reduce bubbles mixing

Keep your children next to you when collecting / waiting for your children. Do not let them run around or ride their scooters or bikes until they have left the school premises, this includes the school lay by.



Bottle Tops

Please continue to send in your unwanted plastic bottle tops to your child's class room.

STOP LOOK & LISTEN

Before You Cross The Street
Use Your Eyes, Use Your Ears
Before You Use Your Feet



Safe Walking to School

Please can children be reminded about how to walk to school safely and how to use the pedestrian crossing. We have been informed of children running across the road without stopping, looking or listening.

Spelling Shed Results

Well done to all those who have been on Spelling Shed this week!

Winning class

Blyton



Top Five Spellers

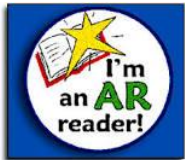
1st – **Isabelle** from Walliams

2nd – **Emily** from Blyton

3rd – **Bobby** from Bond

4th – **Lily-Mae** from Blyton

5th – **Theo L** from Milne



Accelerated Reader Results

Well done to the children who have taken quizzes this week and have been successful.

Class of the week

Dahl are at the top of the leader board this week with 76% success rate! This week's most improved class is **Walliams** who have increased their success rate by 12%!

Girls football prize draw...here are the results, the prizes of **signed Christie Murray footballs** will be given out as soon as they are received.

- Hartlebury
- Cookley
- St Wulstan's
- Holy Trinity
- Bewdley Primary

CONGRATULATIONS!



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Good news! Marks & Spencer will be offering a fantastic 20% off all uniform on the M&S Your School Uniform website. This will run from **29th June 2021 to 3rd August 2021**. Follow the link to their website,

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Your school crest and colours
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Bewdley Cricket Club are offering a DYNAMOS Summer School for any children aged 9 - 11 Years Old

Dynamos programme at:

**Bewdley Cricket Club
Lower Park,
Bewdley,
DY12 2DP**



**Mon 2nd August 10.00am - 2.30pm
Tuesday 3rd August 10.00am - 2.30pm
Wednesday 4th August 10.00am - 12.30pm**

**TO REGISTER FOR THE SUMMER SCHOOL NOW GO TO:
<https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/dynamoscricquet>**

COST: £40.00

**5 sessions of 90 minutes programme
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FURTHER DETAILS WHEN REGISTERED

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