

## Beech Primary

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the new academic year at Beech Primary. It was lovely to come outside on the first day and see so many happy smiling faces. We have had some new families join us this year and we hope they will be happy at our school. Also a big welcome to our new nursery children who are joining us over the next few weeks. It is nice to see them settle and begin their learning journey with us. You should have received a curriculum newsletter from your child's class with details about what they are learning this half term. If you have any questions please speak to the class teacher. Finally I would like to welcome Miss Hayley-Lowe who has joined the teaching staff at Beech in Year 4.

Sue Palmer, Head of Beech Primary Phase

### Attendance Figures

Attendance has a direct influence on how your children perform in school and the progress they make. We want to make sure that all children attend school regularly and on time. To show the importance of attendance we award an attendance certificate to the class with the best attendance each week. This is awarded at the Friday assembly.

Our target is to have higher than 97% attendance in every class.

### Contact Numbers

As we are updating our records for our new families and welcoming our new starters now is the perfect time to check your contact numbers.

Please ensure that the office has your current address and contact numbers.

We will only ring these numbers if we need to. But we do use your main mobile number to keep you informed about school events, celebration assemblies etc.

It is vital our records are accurate to keep your children safe.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

W/B 7TH OCTOBER - FAMILY CRAFT COURSE (YEAR 3)

19TH OCTOBER - INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL PHOTOS

WEDNESDAY 21ST OCTOBER  
YEAR 6 PARENTS EVENING

THURSDAY 22ND OCTOBER  
YEAR 5/4/3/2/1/REC PARENTS EVENING

23RD OCTOBER - INSET DAY

2ND NOVEMBER - ROUND THE WORLD DAY

12TH NOVEMBER - CHILDREN IN NEED DAY

### Weekly Celebration

#### Certificates

On a Friday at 10.40 we have a Celebration Assembly. This is when children will receive a certificate for good work, progress or attitude. If your child is receiving an award we will **SECRETLY** text you to invite you to this special assembly.



We hope to see lots of you over the coming year celebrating with us.

### NO CLUBS NEXT WEEK

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| Monday    |  |
| Tuesday   |  |
| Wednesday |  |
| Thursday  |  |
| Friday    |  |

If you are interested in your child attending a sports club please speak to Mrs Peacock or speak to Mrs Liles or Miss Wilson if you are interested in choir. There will be a £1 charge to attend choir as this is self funded.

### UNIFORM LABELS

We are already collecting a number of sweatshirts with no names on around school. Please could you ensure that your child's uniform has their name clearly displayed. Iron on labels are available from Bridge Schoolwear - 10 labels for £1.50.

YOUR NAME

### HAPPY EGGS

We have registered to collect Happy Egg tokens. By collecting these tokens we will be able to use them towards specific school trips.

If you do buy happy eggs you can either enter the code online by selecting our school or if you would like to bring the codes in we can do it in school.

Thank you for your support

