

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a good start to the term, last week a number of our Year 6 children went to London with Miss Lumb and Mr Jamal to visit the Houses of Parliament. They all seemed to have a good day, please read more over the page. We have introduced Early Years and KS1, and KS2 assemblies this year. It was lovely to see our youngest children enjoying assembly yesterday and they sat beautifully.

One way which you could help to keep the children settled is to stop children bringing items from home. We have had an increase in the number of toys and pencil cases being brought in from home. Children have access to all they need at school and unfortunately items from home often cause jealousy and arguments. Thank you for your support .

Sue Palmer, Head of Beech Primary Phase

Attendance Figures

Rec	1L	2M	3W	4N	5R	6C
95.1	97.7	98.2	98.8	96	96.1	94.9

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

Well done Year 3



Year 1 and 2 Flu Vaccination

If your child is in Y1 or Y2 they should have brought home a letter about the national flu immunisation programme. The vaccine is given as a simple spray up the nose.

All parents must send letters back to school by Friday 18th September. **We must receive a letter from every parent.** If you don't wish your child to have the vaccine, please state this on the letter.

PACKED LUNCHES

Please ensure your child's lunch is in an appropriate box or bag. We have had a number of lunches being damaged this year.

Nursery Parent Pay

If you have a child in Nursery who is attending lunch or attending extra hours, this will need to be paid for by Parent Pay. Mrs Humphries in the office is dealing with the accounts and they should be set up next week.



Weekly Celebration

Certificates

Rec	
1L	Alfie / Aaisha
2M	Alfie / Leah
3W	Lano / Maggie
4N	Amy / Joshua W / Libby
5R	Kyron / Gretchen
6C	Megan / Aneisha

Well done to the above children for receiving the certificates of achievement in the Celebration Assembly



NO CLUBS NEXT WEEK

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.

Nursery and Reception Parents

If you have a child in Nursery or Reception please collect them first before collecting you older children. The nursery and reception doors open at 3.10pm to give you time to do this before the older children come out at 3.15pm. It can be up-setting for young children to see their friends go home and have to wait to be collected.

PE Kit

All children in school from Nursery to Year 6 need a PE kit. If your child is in Nursery please provide a white t-shirt and plain black shorts to a member of staff and they will be kept in a named bag. If your child is in Reception to Year 6 please provide plain black shorts, plain white t-shirt, plain black tracksuit and black pumps or trainers in a bag on their peg

My trip to London

Last week, I had to get up at 5:50 am, because I got chosen to go on a trip with Miss Lumb and Mr Jamal to explore the city of London.

First, we caught the minibus taxi to Brighouse railway station, and then we set off on the Grand Central train to London Kings Cross. It took us 2 and a half hours to get there! We had to take a snack and a drink for the train and a packed lunch. On the train I sat with three year 9's and we talked about what we thought London would be like. I was amazed at how busy London was!

Our first part of the trip to London was the Houses of Parliament; I didn't expect it to be so big. We went to the House of Lords first and all the chairs and carpets were dark red. At the front was a very big shiny gold throne where the queen sits. Next we went into the House of Commons; this room was all emerald green and in there was a green chair for the speaker. The only place where we could sit down was a corridor which has lots of books about the laws and debates, and in every room there was a camera to film the debates so that you can see them on television. After that we had a workshop with some quizzes and then all of the schools and us had to make a campaign. Eventually we ate our lunch outside the houses of parliament and looked over to see the river Thames and London eye.



Later we walked and saw Buckingham palace and all some statues and Miss Lumb took a photo of us near some. All of us went to Tesco's for our tea (I got mangos and creamy cheese and tomato pasta). Next we went to the souvenir shop and finally we set off to the train station, I had a picture with Harry Potter's scarf on and his owl.

Finally we set off on the black grand central train; we got back at 7. 00 pm and met our parents. I would like to go back there soon with my family.

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