

# BERROW PRIMARY Church Academy



15/11/2024

Welcome back to term 2 the children have settled back into school life wonderfully. They have been busy being continuing with their learning enquiries and we are looking forward to celebrating our learning with you at the end of this term.

## Remembrance

Thank you to the children attended the Burnham Remembrance Parade with us on Sunday. The children represented our school wonderfully and showed respect throughout. We then held our own Remembrance Circle on Monday where all the children were invited to take part in a 2-minute silence and then create our own respect poppy field in our playground. Thank you to all the families who supported our Poppy Appeal.



## Our PTA

Please can we ask families to support PTA arranged events were possible they work tirelessly behind the scenes to give our children positive experiences and donate money raised back into school projects. With out your support these events cannot happen.



## Year 6 Trip

On Wednesday, our year 6 crew visited the Rural Somerset Museum in Glastonbury. The children got to experience what life as an evacuee at Abbey Farm could have been like. The children had a lovely day and fully engaged with all the activities on offer. Thank you to Mrs Montgomery and all the adults who accompanied them to make it possible.



## Church Visit

On Tuesday, our reception crew visited St Mary's Church. They walked with care and listened well to stay safe when crossing the road. The children explored inside and outside of the Church and even got to enjoy a biscuit in the sunshine. Thank you for our volunteers who went with them and for St Mary's for having us visit.



## Anti Bullying Week

Everyone across the school joined in our odd Sock Tuesday to support the anti-bullying campaign. The children have been doing activities about being different and acceptance this week during PSHE and Parliament.



## Parents Meetings

Thank you to all our families who made an appointment before half term. Please see your child's class teacher on the door and arrange a meeting or a call if you have not yet done so. Thank you for your support!



## Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box

Thank you to our families who took the time to create a shoe box of gifts for the Church to support Samaritan's Purse. This will really help to make someone's Christmas and is a very Kind thing to do. Thank you.

## CashPot for Schools

Cashpot for Schools is a great new donation initiative operated by Asda, whereby Asda will donate 0.5% of qualifying purchases to your school. Each school gets £50 added to their cash pot when they are initially set up and an additional £1 per new user linked to the school [www.asda.com/cashpotforschools](http://www.asda.com/cashpotforschools)



## Little Learners

We currently have availability for 2-, 3- & 4-year-olds for September in our little learner's preschool. Contact us on 01278 783614 to book your space.



## Food Safety

Please remember we are a nut free school to ensure the safety of all our student and staff.

(This includes Nutella)



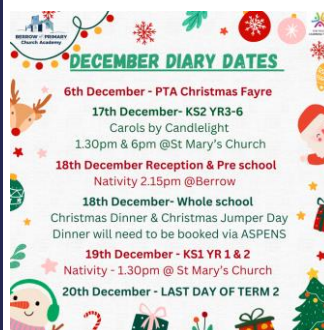
## Attendance

A reminder our gates also open at **8.30** for pre-learning before our day officially starts at 8.45am. If your child is not in when the register is taken, they will be marked as late and any time after 9am is an unauthorised absence. Children must in in class by **8.45am no later**. Learning starts at 8.30am as soon as gates open. If your child has an appointment, please inform the office and if your child is going to be absent for holidays/trips etc please complete a Term time leave request form. We can still request a penalty notice if we have reason to believe you are on holiday and have reported sickness. Thank you for your support.

## Staffing

Today, we say goodbye to Mrs Burnett. We would like to wish her well on her new adventure and thank her for all her hard work while she was with us at Berrow. Mrs Burnett will be in touch as she heads to Burnham Infants who are also joining the Priory Learning Trust. We hope to see Mrs Burnett soon.

We welcome Miss Smith who has successfully been appointment for our HLTA role she will be working across the school. Please say hello if you see her and make her feel welcome. Miss Smith has great experience in teaching and learning and is excited to now be a part of our Berrow staff team.



Be Ready



Be Respectful



Be Safe



SHOW RESPECT TO EVERYONE



Do to others as you would have them do to you. Matthew 7.12

## Dates for the Diary

- 04/11/2024- Start of Term 2
  - 15/11/2024- Children in Need non uniform day
  - 23/11/2024- Choir performing at the light switch on Burnham on Sea
  - 28/11/2024- Year 5 trip
  - 29/11/2024- School Photos
  - 9/12/2024 – Year 5 Family Worship & Celebration of Learning
  - 10/12/2024- KS1 Christmas Journey
  - 10/12/2024- Reception Celebration of Learning
  - 11/12/2024- Year 1 Celebration of Learning
  - 16/12/2024- Year 6 Celebration of Learning
  - 20/12/2024- End of Term 2
  - 06/01/2025- Start of Term 3
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