



Important Dates

- 30th Sept BFG AGM Meeting 6.30pm School Hall. All Welcome.
- 3rd Oct DMA Yr 6 Open Evening
- 3rd Oct Special Lunch "FREE TASTER MEAL".
- 14th Oct Individual Photographs—Tempest
- 15th Oct Botanical Garden, Cambridge—Trip Year 3. No charge. Letter to follow
- 16th Oct Skipping Workshop - Whole School. Trainers to be worn by all pupils.
- 17th Oct Harvest Festival assembly and foodbank collection
- 23rd Oct Oak Class Parent Assembly and visit to the class 9:00am
- 25th Oct School breaks up for half term
- 4th Nov Pupils return to school
- 7th Nov Oak Class Swimming wk 1 of 6
- 8th Nov Oak Class Forest session at 1pm
- 10th Dec Greek Day (Year 5 only) Please pay by 29th November on Parent Pay.
- 14th Nov New Reception 2025 Open Day. 9.30-10.00am & 3.30-4.00pm. Please book this with the school office
- 15th Nov Children In Need
- 20th Dec School closes for Christmas holiday

Week 3

Welcome to this week's newsletter.

I have managed to spend some time in Chestnut Class, it was lovely to see how our new children have settled in. I have seen more amazing learning taking place across the school. Teachers are beginning to look and plan out some exciting opportunities for the year ahead. We have already booked in a 'Skipping Workshop' for this half term and a 'Diwali Dance Workshop' for after half term. Please keep checking the dates at the end of the newsletter for updates.

Please can I ask that you check the outside classroom for lost property as we have a large number of items building up and we are only in the third week of being back.

Wishing you all a wonderful, relaxing weekend.

Mrs Munday (Headteacher)

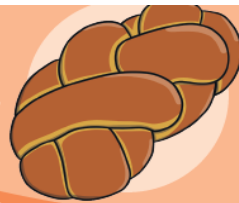


Cedar Class

On Friday, Cedar Class made bread. This was part of their RE topic of Judaism. They made Challah Bread, which is traditionally eaten as part of the Shabbat celebration. The children enjoyed taking part in the whole process; mixing, kneading, shaping and eating!



Challah Bread



Ingredients

- 125ml lukewarm water
- 3.5g dry active yeast
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon honey
- $\frac{1}{2}$ dessert spoon honey
- 285g plain flour (plus extra for dusting the work surface)
- Pinch of salt
- 3 large eggs
- Vegetable oil

Equipment

- Weighing scales
- Large mixing bowl
- Measuring jug
- 2 clean tea towels
- 2 bowls
- Knife and fork
- Wooden spoon
- Pastry brush
- Baking paper and baking tray

A Jewish bread eaten on the Sabbath - a holy day of rest and celebration for Jewish people. The Sabbath begins at nightfall on Friday and lasts until nightfall on Saturday.

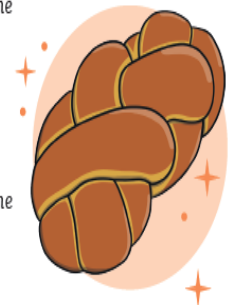
Method

First wash your hands and put on an apron. Ask an adult to sanitise the work surface. Remember to wash your hands after handling raw egg and yeast.

- 1 Pour the warm water into the jug.
- 2 Add the yeast and $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon of honey to the water.
- 3 Cover the jug with a tea towel and leave to one side.
- 4 Crack two eggs into a bowl. Add $\frac{1}{2}$ dessert spoon of honey, a pinch of salt and whisk with a fork.
- 5 Check your yeast mixture. Once it has gone bubbly, add it to the plain flour in a large mixing bowl.
- 6 Add the egg mixture and mix with the wooden spoon until a dough is formed.

Method

- 7 Tip the dough onto a floured surface and knead until smooth.
- 8 Brush the large bowl with the oil and then put the dough in the bowl. Cover with a clean tea towel and leave it to rise in a warm place until it has doubled in size.
- 9 Once the dough has risen, dust the work surface with flour. Then, knead the bread again to remove the air.
- 10 Roll the dough into a thick sausage and then cut into three equal pieces.
- 11 Roll each piece into a thin sausage and then plait the three pieces - you may need an adult to help with this bit. Tuck both ends underneath the loaf to round the ends off neatly.
- 12 Place the dough on the baking paper and put this on a baking tray.
- 13 Crack the last egg into a bowl and use the pastry brush to coat the dough with egg wash. Don't add too much or the dough will become too wet and soggy.
- 14 Ask an adult to put the dough in the oven. It needs to go in at 180° (gas mark 6) for 25-30 minutes.
- 15 An adult must remove the bread from the oven. Let it cool before eating.
- 16 Enjoy!



Roles and Responsibilities – Elder Class

Recent writing opportunities in Elder Class have focused on thinking about how they can lead, inspire and support younger children in the school as excellent role models. Following, peer mediator training, the children had the opportunity to apply, in writing, for this role. Additionally, they were tasked with producing manifestos, which they chose to share with the rest of their house, to encourage them to vote for them as house captains. I was absolutely thrilled with the mature and dedicated attitudes of our new Year 6 children! Very well done



I am delighted to inform that our new Peer Mediators are:

Alice, Lily, Tahlia, Mia, Imogen, Jamarie, Abi, Ella, Laura, Alfie, Harry, Ronnie, Kadie, Peter, Zak & Cheyanne



I'm sure that they will assist the younger children at Beaupre with resolving conflict excellently and will be instrumental in continuing to create a harmonious school environment.

House Captains – The following children, following the sharing of their excellent manifestos, were elected to lead their house teams this year:

Marsh Harriers - House Captains

Lily and Jamarie



Kingfishers - House Captains

Abi and Seth



Cranes – House Captains

Cheyenne and Oscar



Swans – House Captains

Alice and Reggie



Please watch this space with regard to which Year 5 and 6 children will be our librarians for this year.

Keep up the excellent great start, Year 6! I'm very proud of you all!

Mrs Summers

Awards & Celebrations



Attendance

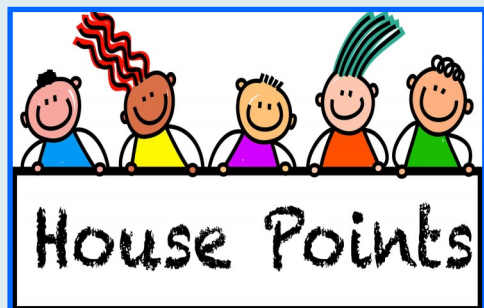
For the week ending Friday 20th September, Chestnut, Cedar and Laurel Class attendances were over 96% and they have all received a star.

Chestnut	★ ★
Cedar	★ ★
Laurel	★ ★
Maple	★
Oak	★
Elder	★

The winner of the 100% attendance prize for week ending 20th of September is Sidney in Oak Class.

Above and Beyond

This week's Above and Beyond goes to Mia-Lou in Elder Class for dedication and perseverance in Maths, resulting in efficiency, independence and accelerated progress.



- 1st **Kingfishers**
- 2nd **Cranes**
- 3rd **Marsh Harriers**
- 4th **Swans**

Parent Information

Updated P.E Timetable

		AM	PM	
		9:30 10:30	1:10 - 2:15	2:15-3:15
Monday	Hall		Cedar	
	Outside			Maple
	Forest		Chestnut	Chestnut
Tuesday	Hall	Under 5s		Chestnut
	Outside			Oak
Wednesday	Hall			
	Outside			
Thursday	Hall		Oak	Elder
	Outside		Laurel	
Friday	Hall	Laurel		Maple
	Outside	Elder	Cedar	

School Photographs

Tempest Photography will be in school on Monday 14th October 2024 to take individual photos of the children.

If your child has P.E on a Monday please ensure they have a school top and jumper on and P.E kit on below the waist for the photo's.



Parent Information - Attendance

We expect that all children will achieve 100% attendance, but we recognise that there maybe exceptional or unavoidable reasons for absence. We have the same expectations as other schools in the area that our attendance target is a minimum of 96%. (This equates to 7 full days off school each academic year).

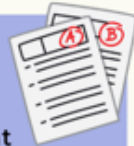
ATTENDANCE

WHAT DO THE NEW RULES MEAN FOR ME?

THE EFFECT

Figures published by the **UK Government** show that as attendance lowers, so does attainment.

Data from 2019 shows that **84%** of **KS2 pupils** who had **100% attendance** achieved the expected standard, compared to **40%** of pupils who were **persistently absent** the key stage.



TERM TIME HOLIDAY

You must report any holidays you intend to take during term to the school office. Term time holiday will not be authorised unless under **exceptional circumstances**.

A week of unauthorised holiday will cause your child to miss **5 days** of school, equalling **10 sessions** missed, and will incur a penalty notice fine.



PARENT AND CHILD

Fines are given for each parent and each child. A penalty notice fine for **one parent with one child** is

£160

Reduced to **£80** if paid within **21 days**.

EVERY CHILD COUNTS

A penalty is given for **every child**. Each parent can be fined separately.



Reduced to **£320** if paid within **21 days**.

IRREGULAR ATTENDANCE

The **10 in 10** Rule

If your child is **unauthorised absent** for at least **10 sessions** in **10 weeks** the school may consider prosecution. **1 day** equals **2 sessions**.



IS IT A PATTERN?

If your child shows a **pattern** of **irregular attendance**, fees will increase and measures may escalate.

If **3rd** unauthorised leave of absence is taken within a **3 year** period, you may be **prosecuted**.

A magistrate can fine up to **£2500** for each child, issue a parenting order, a community order, or in extreme circumstances, up to **3 months** in jail.



SO, WHAT CAN HAPPEN?

Fines can build up quickly. This is a possible outcome of a **1 week holiday** for **2 parents and 3 children**, every year for **3 years**.

A fine of

£480

If paid within 21 days.

A fine of

£960

No discounted early payment

A fine of up to

£15,000

Given via prosecution



Apply now



for a Secondary school place for September 2025

If your child will be aged 11 by **31st August 2025**

You need to apply **NOW** for a School place



SCAN ME

For further information please visit www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/admissions or contact your local School

**Apply by
31st
October
2024**

Contact the Admissions Team by telephone 0345 045 1370
ALC2605, New Shire Hall, Emery Crescent, Enterprise Campus,
Alconbury Weald, PE28 4YE
or email admissions@cambridgeshire.gov.uk



Aspens

FREE Taster Lunch

Thursday 3rd October 2024

Free taster meal for every child!

Hotdog or Burger in a Bun
with Tomato Ketchup, Chips and Beans



Veggie Hotdog or Veggie Burger in a Bun
with Tomato Ketchup, Chips and Beans



Jacket Potato and Pasta



Ice Cream Factory
with an assortment of flavoured toppings



Harvest festival



Assembly/collection date

17th October 2024

Once again this year we are donating to the Wisbech Foodbank. Please can we have donations to school from Monday 14th to 17th October.

Please see below the shopping list of non-perishable food items they require:-

Tinned Fish

Tea bags 80's

Tinned Rice Pudding

Cereal

Tinned Soup

Chocolate treats (Mars etc)

Tinned Tomatoes

Thank you for your help

Dates for your diary - New events shown in bold

2024-2025	
30th Sept	BFG AGM Meeting 6.30pm
3rd Oct	DMA Yr 6 Open Evening 5:00– 7:30pm
3rd Oct	Special Lunch “FREE TASTER MEAL”.
14th Oct	Individual Photographs—Tempest
14th & 15th Oct	Art Days
15th Oct	Botanical Garden, Cambridge—Trip for Laurel Class (Letter to follow)
16th Oct	Skipping Workshop - Whole School. Trainers to be worn
17th Oct	Harvest Festival Assembly/collection
21st & 22nd Oct	Parents Evening TBC
23rd Oct	Full Governors Meeting 7:00-9:00pm
25th Oct	School breaks up for half term
31st Oct	Closing date to apply online for a secondary school place
4th Nov	Pupils return to school
5th Nov	Special Meal ‘Sparkle Spectacular’
6th Nov	Diwali Dance Workshop - Whole School
7th Nov	Oak Class Swimming wk 1 of 6
8th Nov	Oak Class Forest Session 1pm
14th Nov	New Reception 2025 Open Day. 9.30-10.00 & 3.30-4.00pm. Book in with the School Office
15th Nov	Children In Need
25th Nov	Flu Vaccinations - All Year Groups
10th Dec	Greek Day - Oak Class Only
13th Dec	Flu Vaccinations - Mop Up Session
19th Dec	Panto Whole School (School Hall). Christmas Lunch
20th Dec	School closes for Christmas holiday

2025	
6th Jan 2025	Inset Day - School Closed
7th Jan 2025	Pupils return to school
16th Jan 2025	Special Lunch
3rd Feb 2025	National Storytelling Week
13th Feb 2025	Special Lunch - Power Hero's
6th March 2025	World Book Day - Special Lunch
21st March 2025	Comic Relief
15th May 2025	Out of the World - Special Lunch
19th June 2025	Dive - Special Lunch