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### **IMPORTANT DATES**

13th October— Flu Vaccinations 19th October—School Photos.

## This Week...

## **WELCOME BACK**

WOW! What an amazing start to the new school year in such different circumstances! It has been such a pleasure to see all the children and yourselves after such a long period time for many. The children have settled back better than we could have ever anticipated and the new drop off system seems to be helping them come into school in a calmer manner, we're tempted to keep it!! They have all taken on the new routines and expectations related to our safety measures in their stride and I couldn't be prouder of them.

I managed our first virtual achievement assembly this morning, which had the children very excited to see the other classes. Unfortunately, we are still not able to sing, but that might be a blessing in disguise for the children and staff, not having me sing on load speaker!!!

I would like to say a big thank you for all your support with your children in the preparation for coming back to school and the new routines. I would also like to say a big thank you to all the staff who have followed my plan meticulously, tweaking where needed to ensure the safety of all, yet keeping a lively and enthusiastic school. I think we will all (children, parents and staff) be enjoying lots of sleep this weekend!

Have a wonderful weekend. I look forward to seeing you all next week.

Mrs Munday

### PE days

Please see below a list of days that your child will be having a PE session. Please be reminded that:

- · Your child will need to come to school in their PE kits on these days.
- · To provide a waterproof jacket in case it is drizzling.

Rainbow - Tuesday

Red - Thursday

Blue - Wednesday and Friday

Purple – Tuesday and Wednesday

Green – Monday and Friday

Orange - Monday and Tuesday

Yellow – Wednesday and Thursday

The children in Rainbow class have started to settle well into school life and have come into school confidently and ready to learn. They have been taking advantage of the sunny weather this week by exploring the outside space and doing lots of busy learning.

As you can see from the photographs, we have been having lots of fun making new friends. The children should all be very proud of themselves as they have worked hard, making 'Listening Ears' and painting self-portraits.







As from next week, we will be having an outside PE lesson every Tuesday morning so, please make sure your child comes to school in their PE kit. Please provide a waterproof coat in case it rains.

A fabulous start, well done everyone!

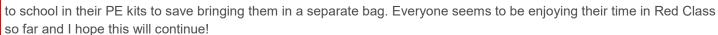
Mrs Eaves, Mrs Maryon and Mrs Pepper

Dear Parents and Families,

I am writing to welcome the children to Red Class! I am delighted to be teaching them this year, alongside Mrs Connell.

The children have all settled in so quickly and have been really pleased to see their friends again. We have enjoyed sharing our news from the summer holidays and it has been lovely getting to know my new Red Class children this week. The children have listened well to the class rules and have picked up new routines and expectations very quickly.

Next week we will be starting our PE sessions which will take place on a Thursday morning. As a gentle reminder, the children will need to come



Miss Brand and Mrs Connell



Blue Class have had a really good start to Year Two. We are so impressed at how well they have come into class each morning and followed our new hand washing routines. All the

children have been working hard with the maths and writing that we have started doing this week and they have really enjoyed reading the story of the colour monster who learns how to use different colours to show how he is feeling. The children have even made their own 'colour monsters' an used them to express how they are feeling each day!

Miss Carpenter, Mrs Raby and Mrs Shinn



Purple Class have settled well back into school life and are working well to adjust to new routines. They have really enjoyed being able to see and play with their friends again after such a while apart. Myself and Mrs Titmarsh have enjoyed getting to know the children this week and are looking forward to the school year ahead.

We will be starting our PE sessions next week and these will be on a Tuesday and a Wednesday. Please be reminded that children should come into school in their PE kits.

Miss Knight and Mrs Titmarsh



A new school year and at last we are all back in school together.

Green Class have made a fabulous start and have settled beautifully into the new routines. We are suitably impressed by the way that the class are able to organise themselves and the impeccable manners that they have demonstrated right from the start. They have shown they are keen to get learning in school again and appear to be enjoying being back with their friends.

Children will have PE outside on Monday and Friday each week. Please look at the weather forecast and make sure that your child has the clothing that they will need to take a full part in PE comfortably.



We are really looking forward to the year ahead and getting to know your children better.

Mr Davies and Mrs Scott

Wow! Already it is like we have never been away.

Orange Class have had a fantastic start to the new academic year and have settled in beautifully with lots of discussion -based learning and laughter. This week we have created an enchanted forest to link to our topic of 'The Vikings' detailing all the aspects of the pandemic that have given us a new perspective, such as being grateful for our family, for quality time but also for the connection of others.

All the children should now have brought home reading records and a school reading book to share with you at home and earn those treats. I would like to take the opportunity to remind parents that as of next week PE will be on Mondays and Tuesdays so please can children come into school dressed in their PE kits. I have no doubt that we are going to have an amazing year and

can't wait to get stuck in and see the children flourish.

Mrs Riley and Miss Heath



On their return to school, the new Year 6 have swiftly met the expectations of being Beaupré's eldest year group by demonstrating that they are mature and responsible role models who have keenly undertaken associated roles. They have enjoyed participating in lots of well-being activities to facilitate a successful start to the year.

I have been very impressed by their enthusiastic attitudes towards their learning and it has been a pleasure to work closely with them and get to know them again.

Mrs Summers, Mrs Calver and Mrs Fey



### **Contact with Class Teachers**

If you need to talk to the class teacher please can you do so through the class emails below. If it is essential that the teacher needs to know the information that day, then please either email or phone the school office so that the information can be passed on. Please be aware that the teachers will not be able to answer your emails during teaching time or outside of working hours.

Rainbow - rainbow@beaupre.cambs.sch.uk

Red - red@beaupre.cambs.sch.uk

Blue - blue@beaupre.cambs.sch.uk

Purple - purple@beaupre.cambs.sch.uk

Green - green@beaupre.cambs.sch.uk

Orange - orange@beaupre.cambs.sch.uk

Yellow - yellow@beaupre.cambs.sch.uk

# Important Information ...

#### **Attendance**

There are 190 school days in a year. This means that there are 175 other days in the year available to use for holidays. Every school day counts!

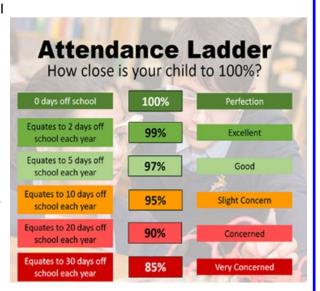
Children of school age who are registered at a school must, by law, attend that school regularly. When a child is absent from school, their learning is affected. They miss the lessons provided, and are less prepared for the lessons after their return to school. Absence also has a negative effect on social relationships and friendships.

Attendance is monitored daily and we create regular reports on individual attendance to monitor patterns and figures.

Please remember that if your child is unable to attend school for any reason it is important for parents to notify the school, by phone, *on each morning of an absence* to confirm why they will not be in.

This important procedure is in place for safeguarding reasons. I am sure you would agree that it is important for everybody to know where the children should be, as soon as possible, on a daily basis.

Please be aware that if your child has 3 or more days' unauthorised absence within 4 weeks the school is expected to refer for a penalty notice. Parents are asked to submit absence forms to the school if they know in advance their children will be away for any reason. Along with all other schools in the Wisbech Schools' Partnership, we do not authorise absence for holidays in term-time.



### **School Meal Provision - Lunchtime Co.**

Lunchtime will start offering hot meals from Monday 21st September. Please see attached the menu. This will also be available on the school website for further reference.

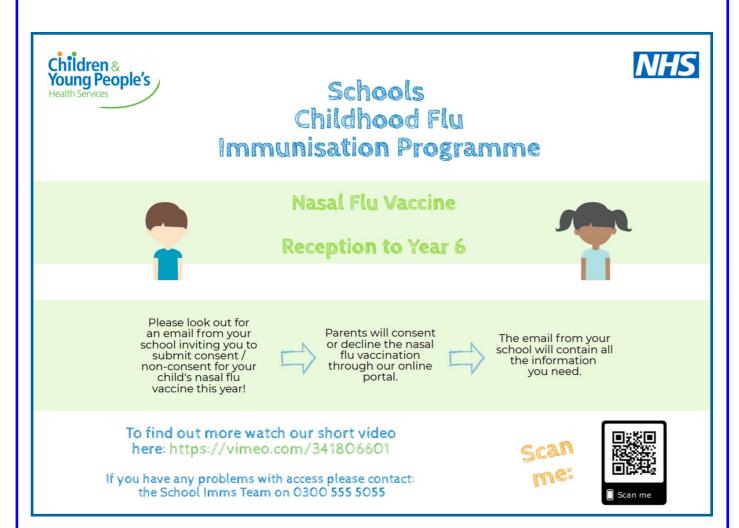
## Coming Up ...

School Immunisation Programme—Flu Nasal Vaccine

Letters will be sent out via ParentMail on Monday, for children in all year groups, regarding the School Immunisation Team visiting school to deliver the Flu Nasal Vaccine.

The letter sent to you will include a link for you to accept or decline your child having the vaccine in school.

Immunisation will take place in school on **13th October 2020**. Children will be seen by the team within their class bubbles.



# Dates for your diary - New events shown in bold

30th September Flu Vaccination Portal closes for parent consent/decline

13th October Flu Vaccinations in school—School Immunisation Team

16th October Last order date for uniform from TL Productions for delivery before half term

19th October Tempest Photography—Individual Photographs

21st October Delivery of uniform from TL Productions to school

23rd October Break for half term

2nd November Return to school

4th December Last order date for uniform from TL Productions for delivery before Christmas break

16th December Delivery of uniform from TL Productions to school

18th December Break for Christmas holiday

5th January Return to school

12th February Break for February half term

22nd February Return to school

12th March Last order date for uniform from TL Productions for delivery before Easter break

24th March Delivery of uniform from TL Productions to school

26th March Break for Easter holiday

13th April Return to school

3rd May Bank Holiday - May Day

28th May Break for half term

8th June Return to school

25th June Last order date for uniform from TL Productions for delivery before end of school year

19th July Delivery of uniform from TL Productions to school

22nd July Last day of term, break for summer holiday.

24th August Last order date for uniform from TL Productions for delivery in September

7th September Delivery of uniform from TL Productions to school