



Bassingbourn
Community Primary School

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19th July 2024

Dear Parents / Carers

We would like to wish you all a relaxing summer break and look forward to seeing you in September. As we come to the end of another year, we would like to wish all our Year 6 pupils all the best as they move forward into their next phase of education.

To staff who are leaving Bassingbourn, we thank them for their contributions to the life of the school and wish them great success in their future.

Ms Luu
Interim Executive Headteacher

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Head Teacher Awards

Hanna, Pippa, Regan, Isabelle, Mason, George, Abishka, Sophie, Armisha, Olivia, Iona,
Priya, Dexter, Isabelle



This Weeks Celebration Awards

George, Katy, Noah, Archie, Malachi, Lillian, Kaitlin, Francheska, Claudia, Ellie, Belle, Jasmine,
Noah, Rella



ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to the following classes who achieved greater than 96% target for attendance:

Week Commencing: 8th July 2024

Orcas 96.08%

Dates For Your Diary

19th July

Last Day of the Academic Year

3rd and 4th September

Inset Days

5th September

First Day of School Year 24/25

PE ROUNDUP

Thank you so much to all the parents/carers who have supported the school with swimming and sports fixtures this academic year. It can't be underestimated how much the students take away from both time in the pool and competitions off site - we really appreciate you offering up your time.

*This academic year has seen Bassingbourn Community Primary school flourish with sporting achievements, please see below **just a few** of our key highlights:*

- *New active lunchtimes in both the KS1 and KS2 playground, providing children with an extremely wide range of new equipment to engage and stimulate them*
- *Three brilliant sports days, which allowed ALL students to showcase their amazing sporting skills*
- *Our whole school Archery Taster sessions*
- *Year 5 receiving a stunt scooter work shop*
- *All students throughout the school accessing the pool in summer term 2, with students making great progress in their aquatic skill and water safety knowledge*
- *Students showing determination, resilience, teamwork and understanding of key PE concepts throughout every PE lesson*
- *Students from Bassingbourn attending over 15 sports competitions across the school academic year*
- *A successful review of our afterschool clubs offer - please refer to the Tapestry messages earlier this week on how to sign your child up*

Yesterday we had an exciting visit to Clip and Climb. The children challenged themselves and overcame many fears.



We look forward to building on all these great sporting achievements next academic year and look forward to continuing the development of the PE provision at Bassingbourn Primary

Thank you for your ongoing support and have a great summer

Mr. Mikelson

Meet the Teacher Sessions

For more information on what to expect in your child's Year Group during the next academic year, we would like to invite parents to attend a 'Meet the Teacher' in person session. We respect that some families will have siblings that may have a clash or will be unable to make these sessions, so PowerPoints and resources shared will be added to Tapestry afterwards.

Year 6 - Wednesday 11th September 3.30-4.15pm (Wiltshire Classroom)

Year 1 - Thursday 12th September 3.30-4.00pm (Van Gogh Classroom)

Year 2 - Thursday 12th September 3.30-4.00pm (Turner Classroom)

Year 3 - Thursday 12th September 3.30-4.00pm (Cassatt Classroom)

Year 4 - Thursday 12th September 4.05pm-4.35pm (Hockney Classroom)

Year 5 - Thursday 12th September 4.05pm-4.35pm (Baldessari Classroom)

FOBS NEWSLETTER ITEMS

We would like to thank you all for your support with another successful year of fundraising, we hope that you and your children have enjoyed our events. Thanks to your support with our events, we have been able to provide our core offer and cover the cost for the additional resources needed for the new Read, Write, and Ink Scheme that the school will be implementing for September 2024.

Our poster highlights what our fundraising has been spent on for this year, we look forward to another successful year in September.

On Tuesday 16th July during the Year 6 leavers assembly the children were given a scientific calculator as their good luck and goodbye gift. FOBS are very thankful to Harris Associates who have very kindly and generously sponsored the cost of the calculators. We wish all the year 6 children all the very best for secondary school.

Photo L-R Katy Cooper (FOBS Chair), Year 6 children, and Caroline Briggs from Harris Associates

