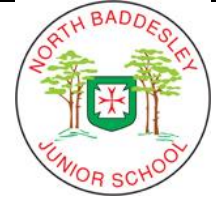


NORTH BADDESLEY JUNIOR SCHOOL



CONTACT – The School Newsletter Autumn Term (3) 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,



Our first full week has been a great week. It has been lovely seeing the children working so hard and they all looked lovely and smart for their photos today. Our gardening club have already started looking after our grounds and planting up pots for later this year.



End of day arrangements

We would like to thank you all for your patience during the transition period of pick up arrangements and the waiver for walking home being introduced (upper school). Every day we wish to ensure that children are safe and our new processes are trying to eliminate any confusion at the end of the school day. If arrangements do change from the usual, please can you inform us so that there is no confusion at the gate. If staff are unsure they will always ask the children to wait with them and then come to reception.

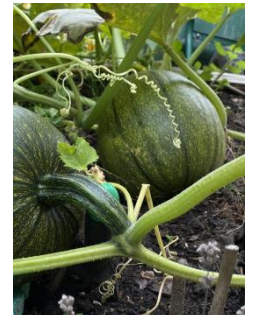
Smart watches

To ensure that children are safeguarded in school the children should not have access to smart watches. Any device that can take photos, text, phone or record **MUST** not be in school. Any child wearing a smart watch will be asked to remove it and it will be placed in the school office for parents to pick up.

School Council



Mrs Bennet, who is running school council this year, has led the introduction assembly. Children that would like to represent their class need to begin preparing their speeches that can explore their passions so that they can present to their class in the next few weeks. The teachers will hold the presentations in their own classes and the school council will be announced in a few weeks.



Google Classroom

Classes in year 4, 5 and 6 will have begun logging onto Google classroom – our home learning platform. We are aware that some children may have struggled to access their Google classroom account this week. Please do not worry, we will ensure that this is all sorted with individual children over the next few days. Year 3 will be receiving their logins very soon but in the meantime we ask that you read and practice with your child their times tables.

Contact with staff

If you cannot speak to members of the team on the school gate and you wish to contact a member of the team please use the e-mail below. The office will pass it onto the relevant member of staff.

school.office@northbaddesley-jun.hants.sch.uk Please ensure that absences are left on the school phone or parent mail.

Reminders

Year 6 parents were sent a parent mail this week advising them of how to apply for a secondary school place. The applications opened on 9th September and they will close on 31st October 2024. To improve your chances of getting into a preferred school, remember to name three schools on your application. Library sessions are being held in the local libraries to support parents who have queries about the process.



Welcome Letters

Year leaders have sent out welcome letters this week and the teachers are looking forward to meeting you at the welcome meetings next week. This is an opportunity to see your child's learning environment, meet the team, look at the year ahead, and discuss home learning expectations. There will be an opportunity for you to ask any questions and address any worries or concerns. There are two slots so that if you have children in more than one year group you can attend both meetings. After the first meeting, the team will assist you in getting to the next one.

Session 1: 3.30pm - 4pm

Session 2: 4pm - 4.30pm

For these meetings parents will be invited through the pupil doors but please wait until you are invited in after the children have been safely dismissed. Children are welcome to attend this meetings. After the meetings, parents are to leave reception as all gates will be locked to safeguard after school clubs.

Flu vaccinations are next Friday and Year 6 Victorian Dress up day.

We wish you all a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Miss L. Wootten

Head Teacher

Attendance
96.6%

Attendance
Aiming for
97%+

Please work in [partnership](#) with us to ensure that your child attends school regularly.



Dates for the Diary

- **Highlighted means it has been added since the original contact and is a new date/event**
- **Highlighted means there has been a change of date from the original date set.**

SEPTEMBER 2024	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	
Wednesday 18th September For this occasion parents will be invited through the pupil entrances.	✓	✓	✓	✓	Parent communication: Year Group Information Meeting and any questions can be answered. Session 1: 3.30pm - 4pm Session 2: 4pm - 4.30pm
Friday 20th September	✓	✓	✓	✓	Flu vaccinations - sign up is through the link sent by parentmail.
Friday 20th September				✓	Victorian Experience Day (Dress Up)
Week commencing 23rd September	✓	✓	✓	✓	Clubs begin (3:20 - 3:20)
Wednesday 25th September	✓				Stone Age trip to Hilliers -Class 3H
Thursday 26th September	✓				Stone Age trip to Hilliers - Class 3A
Thursday 26th September				✓	Open Morning for parents and children @ Mountbatten.
Friday 27th September	✓				Stone Age trip to Hilliers - Class 3S
Monday 30th September					NSPCC assembly - letter sent home via parent mail.
OCTOBER 2024					
Tuesday 1st October				✓	6H class assembly to parents (10:20 -10:45)
Monday 7th October	✓	✓	✓	✓	Harvest Celebrations- donations welcome.
Tuesday 8th October				✓	6C class assembly to parents (10:20 -10:45)
Thursday 10th October	✓	✓	✓	✓	World Mental Health Day (wearing yellow to school).
Monday 21st October	✓	✓	✓	✓	Whole School REF Day (old clothes to be worn).
Tuesday 22nd October				✓	6R class assembly to parents (10:20 -10:45)
Thursday 24th October		✓			Year 4 Celtic topic experience day (Dress up)
Thursday 24th October	✓	✓	✓	✓	School Disco (Yr 3 & 4: 4.30 -5.45) (Yr 5 & 6: 6:00 – 7.15)
28th Oct – 1st November	✓	✓	✓	✓	HALF TERM
Monday 4th November	✓	✓	✓	✓	Autumn Term 2 begins





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OCTOBER HALF TERM 2024

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- Discover how fractions relate to percentages and master finding percentages of a whole amount.
- Learn to relate decimals to place value with ease
- Receive a FREE Maths like Ninja book for attending the session online

Date & time: 27th September 2024, 10:00-12:00hrs

Location: Online via a Teams Link

Eligibility

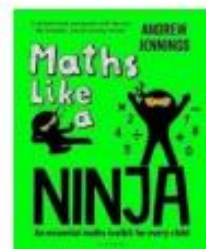
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