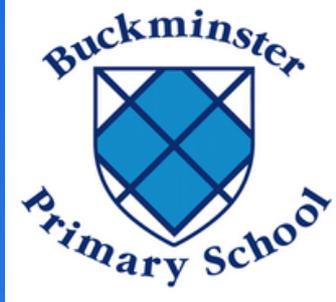




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9TH FEBRUARY 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe we are fast approaching the end of this half term already – the weeks really are flying by!

Whilst we were disappointed that our PGL trip was postponed yesterday, we have had a brilliant half term and still have a few exciting things planned for the last week. On Wednesday 14th, we have Bethany Pownall, from LCC, coming into school to hold some workshops with each class about recycling and on Thursday 15th we have volunteers from the British Red Cross in school to deliver a workshop with the children in Yr5&6 around youth first aid.

Next week, we have a parent meeting after school on Thursday 15th. Myself, members of the MET executive team and Miss Craven, our new EYFS/Yr1 teacher, will be there to give an update about the conversion to MET and answer any questions you may have about the school moving forward. Miss Craven will also be available for a short time after the meeting if you would like to say hello. Everyone is welcome!

Next week, we say goodbye to Miss. Ward, who is leaving us to work at a Pre-School closer to home. Miss. Ward has worked at Buckminster Primary School for just over a year, mainly looking after children in our own Pre-School setting but has worked with many of the children across the school during her time here. I know Mrs. Floyd and the children are going to be really sad to say goodbye next week, but everybody at Buckminster wishes her all the best in her new setting.

Next Friday is the last day of this half term, and we welcome the children back into school on Monday 26th February. Over the next few months, the weather is going to test us! If for any reason the school is closed due to the weather, I will aim to try and inform you ASAP in the morning via Class Dojo and email. I had originally said by 8am, but thinking about our breakfast club, I will try to make this as near to 7.15am as I can.

Thank you,

Mrs. Orridge



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Dates for your diary.

Monday 12th February

- Year 4/5/6 Swimming.
- Year 2/3 Inspire+ Cadets

Tuesday 13th February

- Pancake Day change of lunch menu.

Wednesday 14th February

- Recycling Workshops

Thursday 15th February

- Year 5/6 Red Cross Workshop First Aid.

Monday 19th-Friday 23rd February

- Half Term

Monday 26th February

- Children back to School.
- Year 4/5/6 Inspire+ sports session.
- Wildlife Foundation Workshops

Wednesday 28th February

- Film Night 3.00pm-5.00pm
- PTFA meeting 3.30pm

Thursday 29th February

- Year 2-6 PGL Trip.

Friday 1st March

- Inspire+ Legacy Tour Assembly at Buckminster.

Monday 4th March

- Inspire+ Legacy Tour Assembly at South Witham.
- Year 2/3/6 Swimming
- Year 4/5/6 Inspire+ sports session.

Wednesday 6th March

- Sky Dance performance day/evening.

Thursday 7th March

- World Book Day

Monday 11th March

- Year 4/5/6 Inspire+ sports session

Saturday 16th March

- 10am-2pm PTFA Jumble Sale in School, all welcome.

Tuesday 19th and Wednesday 20th March

- Parents' Evenings

Friday 22nd March

- Inset Day - School closed to children.

Monday 25th March to Friday 5th April

- Easter Holiday.

Monday 8th April 2024

- Children back to School.





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Attendance

The Whole school attendance for this week was 98%.

We aim for our attendance to be 97% so this is brilliant. Thank you for your support.

Weekly Certificates

Star

Mathematician

5Rs

Dinner

R & 1 - Harper

Edie

Edith

2&3 - Henry

Halle

Halle

4, 5 & 6 - Alexander

Charleigh

Louie

Well done to everyone who received a certificate today.

PANCAKE LOUNGE

PANCAKE DAY

Tuesday 13th February
Main Courses

Meatball Sub Roll
(A torpedo roll filled with meatballs)

Vegetarian Meatball Sub Roll
(A torpedo roll filled with vegetarian meatballs)
(VVG)

All Served with Jacket Wedges & Baked Beans

Dessert

American Fluffy Pancake

Served with Sugar & Lemon
Or
Sliced Banana

Leicestershire Traded Services

Change of Lunch Menu Tuesday 13th February

The children are invited to join us for the special Pancake Day menu on Tuesday 13th February.

This is still free for Yr R/1/2 and children in Year 3-6 who are in receipt of free school meals.

Children in Pre-School or Year 3-6 can also join in at a cost of £2.55 per meal.

Please top up their Meals account on Arbor.



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MELTON THEATRE



Sky School's Challenge 2024

6 Mar 2024

Melton Theatre

Sky School's Challenge 2024.

6th March 2024. 6.30pm

Final: 14th March 6:30pm

All tickets £11.00

Snowdrop Walk Buckminster Park

Sunday 18th February 2024
11.00am to 3.00pm

Entrance via the Village Green
£3 per person, under 12s free
(Proceeds to St John the Baptist Church)

Refreshments at Buckminster Barn

Pushchair friendly