



The Meadows Primary School



Newsletter No.2

27th Sept 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a great 2 weeks since the last newsletter. The children have settled in so well to their new classes. Thank you to those parents who attended the 'back to school' sessions. We will be putting the presentations on the website shortly so that parents who didn't make it can access the information.

The children shared a fantastic Harvest Celebration on Tuesday this week. Thank you for all the kind donations. The gifts will be delivered to the Keynsham Foodbank to help community members in need.



The staff were very pleased to receive iPad training from Chris this week. This has helped the teachers to think about the best way that we can make use of the additional iPads that the PTFA have supplied. We are excited that the PTFA will be supporting the school to improve our IT provision at The Meadows this year.

Joy Mounter Headteacher

Focus, Flourish and Fly

This fortnight we celebrate

Values certificates

Year 1— Freddie Collins

Year 2— Isabelle Irwin-Porter

Year 3— Sonny Chapman

Year 4— Daisy Jones

Year 5— Olivia Lewis

Year 6— Rosalie Chapman

Meadows Promise certificates

EYFS - Erin Derrick-Hayes

Year 1— Zach Morris

Year 2— Ellen Bewes

Year 3—Chloe Hardiman

Year 4— Clayton Blake

Year 5— Alfie Phillips

Year 6 - Gracie Baker

Attendance Awards

Week commencing 16/9/19 – Year R (100%)

Week commencing 23/9/19 – Year R (99.5%)

Meadows Pride Trophy

Week commencing 16/9/19 – Year R

Week commencing 23/9/19 – Year 6

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School Term and INSET Dates click [here](#)

Extra INSET on Friday 25th October 2019

Change to bank holiday from 4th May to 8th May 2020

Friends of the Meadows (PTFA) Update!

Thank you to the school community and PTFA who raised £120 in the bags to school collection. The winning house with bag donations was Foxes. They received extra house points in assembly. Mrs Carver is about to let EYFS parents and children know their houses so look out for communication soon.



Thank you to those who have sent in stickers so far. Don't forget to request a sticker if you spend over £30 in Aldi. A collection box is at the school office for the children to drop stickers in.



Arts Week

On Friday 11th October, we will not be inviting in parents for our usual certificate giving. During week commencing 7th October, for 1 week only, the teachers will be celebrating children's art work. The Arts week is themed around Latin America and we have a Samba music day planned for the whole school. Look out for photos on our Facebook page and the next newsletter.



Sir Bernard Lovell Academy Open Events

Open Evening: Wednesday 2 October 2019 6.00pm – 8.30pm. The Principal will give presentations at 6.15pm and 7.00pm

Open Mornings: Monday 7 October 2019 through to Friday 18 October 2019*

*Tours will take place at 9.15am and 10.15am. Please call the Academy on 0117 4565900 to book an appointment.

Dates for your Diary Term 1 and 2

Thursday 3rd October – Census day lunch – Hot dogs (vegetarian and gluten/dairy free options available)

Tuesday 8th October – 9.15am and 2.30pm – School Tours for Reception Starters September 2020

Tuesday 15th October – 3.45pm – 4.30pm - Stay and Play session for Reception Starters September 2020

Wednesday 16th October – 3.30pm to 6.30pm – Parents evening consultations (booking info to follow)

Thursday 23rd October – 7.30pm at White Hart - PTA meeting

Thursday 24th October - 3.30pm to 6.30pm – Parents evening consultations (booking info to follow)

Thursday 24th October – End of Term 1

Friday 25th October – INSET day for staff training

Monday 4th November - INSET day for WMAT Conference

Tuesday 5th November – Start of Term 2

Monday 11th November – Anti-bullying Week

Friday 22nd November – 9.15am - School Tours for Reception Starters September 2020

Wednesday 27th November - 9.15am and 2.30pm – School Tours for Reception Starters September 2020

Friday 29th November – 9.15am - Christmas craft morning. Parents and carers welcome to join us for craft making and tree decorating.

Tuesday 3rd December – 3.45pm – 4.30pm - Stay and Play session for Reception Starters September 2020

New dates in bold



School Commission code of **23281**