



BCJS Weekly Update Friday 19th May 2023

Ofsted

As you will be aware, we had Ofsted inspectors in school over the past two days. They observed lessons, interviewed teachers and leaders, scrutinised our curriculum, and - for a great deal of time - they spoke to children. The report will be published in due course, but in the meantime, the lead inspector has asked us to pass on her thanks to our pupils, who were so warm and welcoming.

We would also like to extend our thanks to the children and staff here, at BCJS, who continue to work incredibly hard. And of course, thank you to all the parents and grandparents who came to our Open Morning on Wednesday.

Mr Scott and Miss Bowry

Future Events

Year 6 End of Year Events

On Thursday 20th July, Year 6 will be permitted to get their shirts signed by their friends. The next day, on Friday 21st July, Year 6 are expected to attend their final day in school, wearing their smart school uniform for the last time. They will present their leavers' assembly to their parents (and younger siblings). Year 6 only will leave with their parents at the end of the assembly. If you are unable to attend the assembly but wish to give permission for your child to leave early, please inform the school office or your child's teacher.

We are also organising the Year 6 Leavers' party, which will be on Thursday 20th July between 5:30 and 7:30pm. A huge thanks to Olivia N's mum for supporting us with this!

Reminders

Safeguarding

Our designated safeguarding lead is **Mr Scott**.

Also on the safeguarding team is **Miss Bowry** and **Mrs Danbury**.

Children can contact **Childline: 0800 1111**

Wish List

We are still running the School Fund and any donations would be greatly received. In addition, we have a Wish List, which is on Parentmail. Here you can buy specific items for the school. We thank all those who have donated already and we appreciate your continued support.

After-school Clubs

If your child is due to attend an after-school club but is unable to do so, we ask that you telephone the school to let us know. A register of attendees is taken at the beginning of every session and the office will ring you if your child is not present, unless we have been notified.

Accelerated Reader – <https://ukhosted100.renlearn.co.uk/6710800/>



Merits – Merits are awarded every Wednesday to two children from each class for great choices at school. If your child is awarded a merit, they receive a certificate in our whole school assembly. A list of awards is shared on our website, under the 'Parents' tab.

Attachments

Colin Sutherland Swimming
Colin Sutherland Charity Event
Rosebury Open Evening
St Bede's Open Evening
MSF

Important Dates

Y6 Residential	19 th – 23 rd June
BCJS & BCIS joint Summer Fair	1 st July, 11am – 2pm
Sports Day	Tues 4 th July
Year 6 Play	Tuesday 11 th July
Year 6 Play	Wednesday 12 th July
Y6 Shirt Signing	Thursday 20 th July
Y6 Leavers' Party	Thursday 20 th July, 5:30 – 7:30pm
Y6 Leavers' Assembly (Y6 Parents invited)	Friday 21 st July, 9:15am
Last Day of Summer Term	Friday 21 st July, 1:25 / 1:30pm

You can now find term dates and dates for your diary, under the 'Parents' tab on our website:
www.bcjs.org.uk

The best way to contact us if you have any questions, concerns or queries is by email –
office@bcjs.org.uk . We will endeavour to reply to you as soon as we can.

School website: www.bcjs.org.uk



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