



Upper Beeding Primary School

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Spring 02 – Monday 3rd February 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

We have certainly had a busy few weeks with the children taking part in a variety of events, including sporting competitions, singing at the O2 and participating in WOW days. We do appreciate all your support with the activities we take part in and a special thank you to all the parents who help out with transport.

Next half term, we are looking forward to parents' meetings, trips out, visitors in school and Book Week!

Parents' Communication Box We have a new post box on the wall by the office window/hatch for anything that just needs to be handed in to the office, e.g. permission/reply slips. Whilst we welcome your visits to the office, we are very aware that at busy times parents have to queue just to drop something off. We will be emptying the box at least twice a day to ensure any correspondence is dealt with.



School Clubs We have updated the clubs on offer for the rest of this term to include a new Dance Club. Please contact the person running the club to register interest.



Wet and Cold Weather We have a number of children who appear to not have suitable clothing in school when it is raining or very cold. Just a gentle reminder to ensure that your child has a waterproof coat in school or brings one with them; and when the weather is really cold, gloves and hat as well. Thank you for your support with this. Please make sure all clothing is clearly named.

Internet Safety Day Next week, we will be talking to children further about internet safety and how to keep themselves safe online. We are also holding a **Parents' Online Safety Workshop at 6:00pm on Wednesday 12th February** to help everyone understand the online world our children are entering and what we can do to help them to keep safe. We hope to see as many as you as possible there. The session cannot sadly go ahead if it is under-attended.

To book your place, please follow the Eventbrite Link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/primary-parentcarer-digital-online-safety-awareness-tickets-83954174195>

or contact: cswb.bookings@westsussex.gov.uk Please note these are adult only sessions.

Parents' Meetings 4.3.20 & 5.3.20 You will be able to access our online booking system from **Friday 7th February**. You will need your parent logins to book your parent meeting time. If you have any problems, please speak to the Office for general enquiries or Mrs Wellby (if your child is in KS2) or Mrs McCauley (if your child is in KS1 or Reception).

If you would like to meet with Dr Gwilliam, she will be available on Wednesday 4th March. Please book an appointment through the school office.



Collecting children from school A number of children are beginning to use the adventure trail and structure at the end of the school day without adult supervision. We ask for all children to have an adult with them if they are using the equipment before or after school as we only allow them to use it in school time with an adult present. Can we also remind parents to vacate the school site by 3:30pm as the side gates are locked at this time for safety reasons.

Unwell child When your child is unwell and not into school, please advise the office **before 9:30am**. Thank you.



Chartwells Could we please ask parents of children in Years 3-6 who order meals through Chartwells to check their child is registered in the correct class and year group on their website:-

www.mealselector.co.uk. Thank you.

Healthy Eating A gentle reminder that we are a 'Healthy School' and ask that snacks at break time are fruit or vegetables. If you would like your child to celebrate their birthday at school, we encourage healthy alternatives to bags of sweets and cake, such as stickers, pens and popcorn. Lastly, as a school we do not allow lollipops as they are a potential choking hazard. Thank you for your support with this.



Walking to School Thank you to all parents who continue to walk their children to school and park safely (if you have to bring a car). We have though, had some comments that at times at drop off and pick up it is difficult to walk safely on the pavement due to groups of parents blocking the path and children are having to go on the road to walk round or up on muddy, grassy areas. Thank you for your help with keeping our children safe.

Friday Class Assembly This is always a wonderful occasion "class led" assembly, and the children really enjoy knowing the parents and/or grandparents are coming to watch them. Due to the Reception children joining us very soon for Friday assemblies we will have to limit attendance at these assemblies to **direct family only**, i.e. parents, grandparents; as we will not be able to all fit in the Hall. Thank you for your help with this.

Best wishes
Becky Linford
Head Teacher



Dates for Spring Term 2020

Fri 7th Feb

Fri 7th Feb

Fri 7th Feb

Mon 10th Feb

Wed 12th Feb

Fri 14th Feb

Fri 14th Feb

Mon 17th Feb – Fri 21st Feb

Mon 24th Feb

Wed 26th Feb

Thu 27th Feb

Thu 27th Feb

Fri 28th Feb

Fri 28th Feb

Mon 2nd Mar – Fri 6th Mar

Wed 4th Mar

Wed 4th Mar

Thu 5th Mar

Thu 5th Mar

Thu 5th Mar

Fri 6th Mar

Mon 9th Mar

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

2:45 Ireland Class Assembly

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

Year 3/4 WOW Day

6:00 Online Safety parent workshop

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

2:45 Italy Class Assembly

Half Term Week

Tractor visiting KS1

Yr 5/6 Science Museum Visit

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

7:45 FUBS Meeting at Rising Sun

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

2:45 USA Class Assembly

Focus Week – Book Week

9:00 FUBS Bag2School Collection

3:30 – 6:30 Parent Teacher Meetings **New date**

World Book Day / dress up day

3:30 – 5:30 Parent Teacher Meetings **New date**

2:45 Kenya Class Assembly **New date**

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

Yr 3 Benchball Tournament



Wed 11th Mar
 Thu 12th Mar
 Thu 12th Mar
 Fri 13th Mar
 Fri 13th Mar
 Fri 13th Mar
 Wed 18th Mar
 Fri 20th Mar
 Fri 20th Mar
 Fri 20th Mar
 Mon 23rd Mar
 Mon 23rd Mar
 Tue 24th Mar
 Wed 25th Mar
 Thu 26th Mar
 Fri 27th Mar
 Fri 27th Mar
 Mon 30th Mar – Fri 3rd Apr
 Mon 30th Mar
 Mon 30th Mar
 Wed 1st Apr
 Fri 3rd Apr
 Fri 3rd Apr

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 Yr 3 Benchball Participation
 2:30 Residential 2020 Meeting for Parents
 Sport Relief Day
 Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes
 2:45 Mexico Class Assembly
 FUBS Mother's Day Secrets
 KS1 Visit to Amberley Museum
 Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes
 2:45 Morocco Class Assembly
 Sussex Voices Festival
 Yr 4 Benchball Tournament
 Walk to School Hands Up Travel Survey
 1:30 Yr 4/5/6 Chanctonbury Sports Fest
 Class Photographs
 Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes
 2:45 Canada Class Assembly
 Yr 5/6 Residential Visit to Little Canada, IOW
 Vintage Bus in KS1
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 Yr 5/6 Junior Citizens (children not on residential)
 Swimming – India and France classes
 Last Day of Spring Term



Dates for Summer Term 2020

Mon 20th Apr
 Fri 24th Apr
 Fri 24th Apr
 Thu 30th Apr
 Fri 1st May
 Fri 1st May
 Tue 5th May
 Thu 7th May
 Fri 8th May
 Mon 11th May – Fri 15th May
 Fri 15th May
 Mon 18th May – Fri 22nd May
 Thu 21st May
 Fri 22nd May
 Mon 25th May – Fri 29th May
 Mon 1st Jun
 Tue 2nd Jun
 Wed 3rd Jun
 Fri 5th Jun

First Day of Summer Term
 Swimming – India and France classes
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 2:30 Residential 2021 Meeting for Parents
 1:30 Girls Cricket Tournament
 Swimming – India and France classes
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 1:30 Yr 5/6 Outdoor Athletics Tournament
 Bank Holiday – School Closed
 SATs Week
 Swimming – India and France classes
 Walk to School Week
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 Swimming – India and France classes
 Half Term Week
 INSET Day 3 – School Closed
 1:30 Yr 4 Rounders Tournament
 1:30 Yr 4 Swimming Gala
 Swimming – India and France classes



Mon 8th Jun
 Wed 10th Jun
 Thu 11th Jun
 Fri 12th Jun
 Mon 15th Jun
 Wed 17th Jun
 Fri 19th Jun
 Sat 20th Jun
 Thu 25th Jun
 Fri 26th Jun
 Mon 29th Jun
 Tue 30th Jun
 Fri 3rd Jul
 Mon 6th Jul
 Wed 8th Jul
 Wed 8th Jul
 Thu 9th Jul
 Fri 10th Jul
 Thu 16th Jul
 Thu 16th Jul
 Thu 16th Jul
 Fri 17th Jul
 Mon 20th Jul
 Mon 20th Jul

3:45 Yr 5 Rounders Tournament
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 3:45 Yr 6 Rounders Tournament
 Swimming – India and France classes
 3:45 Yr 3 Rounders Tournament
 3:45 Yr 4 Athletics Tournament
 Swimming – India and France classes
 FUBS Summer Fete
 Sports Day
 10:00 Yr 6 Cricket Tournament
 5:30 KS2 Summer Show Performance for Parents
 5:30 KS2 Summer Show Performance for Parents
 Fall Back Sports Day
 INSET Day 4 – School Closed
 Transition Morning
 Annual Reports to Parents
 Welcome Meetings
 1:00 Year 6 Leavers Swim
 10:00 Yr 6 Leavers Assembly
 4:00 Yr 6 Leavers Party
 4:30 KS2 Summer Disco
 Last Day of Term for Children
 INSET Day 5 – School Closed
 Last Day of Summer Term

Academic Year 2019 to 2020

Term	Dates
Autumn Term 2019	Starts: Monday 2 September – Children start on Wednesday 4th September Half Term: Monday 28 October to Friday 1 November Ends: Friday 20 th December INSET Days: Monday 2 September, Tuesday 3 September
Christmas Break	Monday 23 December to Friday 3 January
Spring Term 2020	Starts: Monday 6 January Half Term: Monday 17 February to Friday 21 February Ends: Friday 3 April INSET Days: None
Easter Break	Monday 6 April to Thursday 17 April
Summer Term 2020	Starts: Monday 20 April Half Term: Tuesday 26 May to Friday 29 May Ends: Monday 20 July Bank Holidays: Friday 8 May and Monday 25 May INSET Days: Monday 1 June, Monday 6 July, Monday 20 July

