

Barnfield News



Autumn Term Issue 2

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Headteacher's Weekly News

There is a great atmosphere around the school. The children are working hard and really trying their best. Our new Reception children are also now joining the school and are settling really well.

We have had a good turnout for the year group meetings that we have held to date. It is always good to meet with parents and to share with you what your children will be learning this year. We still have Years 5 and 4 to come, so we look forward to meeting with those parents.

Our Year 4 children have had their first swimming session and were a real credit to the school. We had very positive comments from the pool about the behaviour of our children. I'm sure that they will make lots of progress in the pool this year.



Attendance and Punctuality

Well done 2S, 4C & 6J who had the best attendance last week

Attendance is important, every day counts! It is vital children are in school on time



Les amis Means Friends



1L: Gabriele: A super sensible start to the year! You are always doing the right thing on the carpet- listening carefully and ready to learn! Well done!

1S: Whole Class: For an excellent start to Year 1. Well done everyone!

2W: Jack: For always contributing and sharing ideas on the carpet.

2S: Amber: Beautiful, neat handwriting in her handwriting book! Amber took her time and copied the letters really carefully!

3C: Lacey-Mae: Trying her best on her first day in year 3.

3J: Whole Class: for settling in well back at school.

4C: Utsav: For excellent listening in every lesson and a very positive attitude to learning.

4H: Whole Class: For a great start to the new school year

5J: Whole class: For settling into year 5 so well and making their teacher proud.

5G: Jana: For wonderful curiosity and

contributions in class discussions.

6VZahra: For having a positive attitude towards Year 6.

Shay: For shining as a lovely person the minute he stepped into Year 6.

6J: Esther: For being such a polite young lady and having a really mature and positive start to year 6

6H Maryam: For showing an excellent example of behaviour and a mature approach to Year 6.

Jana 5G Ruben 3J Abdirihman 5J Amin RB Stefan RS
Reggie RB Rawaz 4H Bianca RS Yassir 1L Shania 2S



Attendance Fact

A child with a 90% attendance has lost over 18 days of learning in a year. This is over 3 weeks!

Attendance Matters!

Barnfield Children Centre

Barnet College are running a course at the children Centre a Friday group aimed at parent with children under 5 who would like help positive parenting . Please call 02083593510 or 02083593730 registration must be before 22.09.17.the course will start on 28.09.17-015.12.17. a crèche is available.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If you claim any of the following benefits your child is entitled to Free School Meals, Please come into the office to collect or update your forms. We are also able to check on your behalf come to the office to find out how.

IF YOU DO NOT UPDATE YOUR FREE SCHOOL MEAL CLAIM YOU WILL BE CHARGED FOR YOUR CHILDS DINNERS

Income Support, Income-based Jobseekers Allowance, Income-related Employment and Support Allowance, Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999, The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit, Child Tax Credit and not in receipt of working tax credit, Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit, Universal Credit

Autumn Assemblies



2W 10th October 10.00am

5G 13th October 12.10pm

6J 10th November 12.10pm

1L 14th November 10.00am

6V 24th November 12.10pm

1S 28th November 10.00am



The School Office

Parents who want to come to the school office must first drop their children to school and then walk around to the Silkstream Road entrance. To ensure your child's safety parents will no longer be able to walk through the school to access the office

All payments can be made over the phone on 02089526026

LOST GLASSES

We have a large amount of reading glasses in our lost property from last school year. We will be keeping them for the next 4 weeks and then we will be giving them to charity.



Dates for you Diary

22nd September Charity Jeans Day £1.00

2nd October Black History & Poetry Week

13th October Music Day

12th & 17th October Parents Evening by appointment

23rd October 1/2 Term

30th October School Close Inset Day

31st October Children Return to School 8.55am

6th November Creativity Week

6th December Foundation Nativity to Parents 2.00pm

8th December Infant Nativity to Parents 2.00pm

15th December Christmas Production To Parents
1.45pm

18th December Christmas Choir Concert St Alphege
6.30pm