NEWSLETTER

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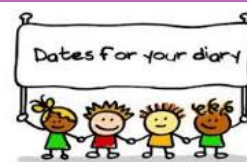**6th January 2023**

Welcome back and happy new year!

Children have come back to school this term ready to learn and already demonstrating our value of determination. As we start the new year, it is a good time to remind children about some of the rules for school. As a school, we aim to encourage the children to follow a healthy lifestyle and ask that the only drink they bring in is water, and that in Key Stage 2 they bring in fruit or vegetables as a healthy snack. There is no need to bring in anything else from home.

There are lots of winter bugs going around at the moment and it can be difficult to know whether to keep your child at home. According to NHS advice, it is fine to send your child to school with a minor cough or common cold. If they have a fever, keep them off school until the fever goes. Encourage your child to throw away any used tissues and to wash their hands regularly.

Before the break, the teachers were busy updating our website with information about what has been happening in each year group. It's incredible to see how much the children have achieved since September, and I would encourage you to have a look at your child's year group page to see what they have been up to. The pages can be found here: https://www.beaversprimaryschool.co.uk/page/?title=Our+School&pid=9

Dates for your diary

January
Spring 1—Determination
3rd   Start of Spring Term
16th   Hearing Clinic—Reception
17th   Hearing Clinic—Reception
18th   Hearing Clinic—Reception
20th   Y5 Lunar New Year Assembly
February
Spring 1—Determination
6th   Nursery—Library visit
8th   Y2 Visit to St Paul's Church
10th   Break up for Half Term (normal time)
20th   Back to school
Spring 2—Co-Operation
21st   Parents Book Look
22nd   Parents Book Look
23rd   Parents Book Look
March
Spring 2—Co-Operation
1st   Parents Evening
2nd   Parents Evening
3rd   World Book Day
W/C 6th Y1 Trips to local church

Reception Admissions

If your child was born between **1 September 2018** and **31 August 2019** they will start in reception in September 2023. Please apply via the LA website: https://www.hounslow.gov.uk/info/20028/primary_admissions/1906/primary_school_admissions

Key dates

- **15 January 2023 –** closing date for applications for reception class
- **17 April 2023 –** National Offer Day.
- **2 May 2023 –** last day to accept or not accept the school place offered.

Nursery Admissions

If your child was born between **1 September 2019** and **31 August 2020** they can start in our nursery class in September 2023. Please note We offer places for 15 hours either Morning (8.30am - 11.30am) or Afternoon (12.30pm - 3.30pm). Application forms are available on the school website. https://www.beaversprimaryschool.co.uk/page/?title=Admissions&pid=16

Key dates:

- **1st January 2023**—applications open
- **10th March 2023**—Closing date
- **11th March—5th May 2023**—Offers made

Spring 1's value is Determination

UNICEF Article 42 – (knowledge of rights) Governments must actively work to make sure children and adults know about the Convention.

Attendance Ladder

Equates to:
4 SCHOOL DAYS «   100%   » PERFECTION
7 SCHOOL DAYS «   98%   » IMPRESSIVE
9 SCHOOL DAYS «   96%   » GOOD
11 SCHOOL DAYS « 95%   » NEARLY THERE
20 SCHOOL DAYS « 94%   » NEEDS TO IMPROVE
30 SCHOOL DAYS « 90%   » CONCERNS
                 85%   » SERIOUS CONCERNS

Attendance

Good attendance is very important for learning!
Classes with 100% attendance earn a mufti-day as a prize. We are tackling low attendance and lateness.
For Years 1 to 6 we operate a soft start; the gates open at 8:30 and will close promptly at 8:40, any child arriving once the gate is closed will be given a late mark.

Parent & Community Partnership

Uniform

Beavers is a uniform wearing school, see list below

Children are not permitted to wear jewellery; this includes earrings, necklaces or bracelets, but excludes items worn for religious reasons, if this is the case please let school know. Should your child come to school wearing earrings we will be phoning asking parents to come to school to remove them.

Our school uniform is:

Emerald green school sweatshirt or cardigan with the Beavers logo, with a white polo shirt. Logoed uniform is available from Gooddies https://www.gooddies.co.uk/

Black or Grey trousers, skirt or dress

Black school shoes

Book Bag

PE Kit   Bottle green school PE T-Shirt, with Beavers logo.
Black shadow stripe shorts or jogging bottoms
Plimsoles for indoor PE and plain trainers for outside PE

Shoes must be sturdy, flat, black school shoes.

We also respectfully ask that Hijabs are plain white, black, grey or bottle/emerald green and have no pins.

Please make sure you clearly name all your child's uniform as they do leave things around the school.

Golden Ticket:

Awarded for: Good Values, Good Behaviour

5th & 6th January 2023

Amber—Tejinder	Lime—Ronnie
Orange—Sulagya	Green—Aizah
Apricot—Frankie	Purple—Azaan
Primrose—Ismail	Lavender—Dayan
Yellow—Iqra	Lilac—Sophia
Lemon—Delilah	Crimson—Hanna
Indigo—Aiza	Ruby—Jaskiran
Blue—Chanidi	Red—Navsukhman
Sky—Chiara	

Hounslow residents have an opportunity to attend free money skills courses (online and face to face) to help with the living crisis. Please visit for more information: https://www.hounslow.gov.uk/news/article/2775/ https://www.themoneycourse.org/join

OHM & Let's Leap Clubs: 3.15PM to 4.30 PM

Teacher Led (TL):   3.15PM to 4.15PM

BEAVERS AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS
SPRING 1 TERM 2023:
9th January to 10th February 2023
(5 weeks)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Football **OHM Sports** Years 2 & 3 (£3 per session)	**Dodgeball** **OHM Sports** KS2 (£3 per session)	**Football** **OHM Sports** Years Reception & 1 (£3 per session)	**Multi Sports** **Let's Leap** All year groups (£3 per session)	**Football** **OHM Sports** Years 4, 5, & 6 (£3 per session)
		Gymnastics **Let's Leap** All year groups (£3 per session)	**Dodgeball** **OHM Sports** KS1 (£3 per session)	
		Art & Craft Club (TL) Mrs Coward & Mrs Hajabi KS1 - *15 Children* (£5 total)	**Mathsletes (TL)** **(Count on us)** Miss Monique Years 4 & 5 *30 Children*	