



Upper Beeding Primary School

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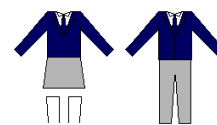
Autumn 1 – Friday 6th September 2019

Dear Parents/Carers



Welcome back! I do hope you all had a lovely Summer break. The children have certainly been keen to tell us all about their adventures and what they have been up to. We have had a super first few days back at school with smiles from everyone. There are lots of exciting activities and events planned for the term - please check dates below or go to our website calendar. We will also be tweeting again over the year so please keep an eye out.

School Uniform It is lovely to see how smart the children look in their new school uniforms. Please could you ensure that all school uniform is **clearly named** so we can return any lost items. Can I also remind you that we encourage black or brown shoes that children can actively play in, navy trousers or skirt/pinafore, gold polo shirt, and navy cardigan or sweatshirt/jumper. Polo shirt sleeves should not be rolled up and if shorts are worn, these should be tailored and navy in colour. Fleece are for outside wear only and not instead of a sweatshirt or cardigan. Children will be asked to take them off inside. We also request that children wear the appropriate coloured socks or tights for school: black, grey, white or navy blue. Yellow or blue summer dresses can still be worn during the mild weather. PE kits of navy shorts and house colour t-shirts should also be clearly named. It is beneficial for children to have a PE t-shirt in their house colour and Year 1 children have been allocated a house this week. Reception children should have a plain white t-shirt for PE.



After School and Lunchtime Clubs Please find attached the lists of after school and lunchtime clubs on offer to your children this term. Please note that the **start dates** for the clubs do vary and some will be dependent on the weather.

Topic Letters and Parent Information Children will be coming home with letters about their topic and what they will be learning about this term. More information about this can be found on our website and VLE class pages.

For parents who were unable to make the Welcome Meetings last term, there are also helpful leaflets about each year group. If you would like one of these, please pop in and ask the class teacher. These will also be available on the VLE.



Healthy Schools If your child would like a snack at morning break-time, we would be grateful if you could ensure that they bring in either fruit or vegetables. Please **do not** send your child to school with **nuts, peanut butter or products containing nuts** for their morning snack or lunch as we do have children in the school who have severe allergies to such items.

We encourage parents to think about **healthy alternatives** to sweets and cakes if their child would like to celebrate their birthday with their class. Thank you for your support with this.

We also ask children to bring in a named, **clear** plastic bottle for drinking water in class. These should not be used for drinking squash or fruit juice. Bottles are available from the school office for £1.00.

Friends of Upper Beeding School (FUBS)

FUBS are holding their first meeting on Tuesday 10th September at 7:30pm at the Rising Sun. They will be discussing future fundraising events and if you have any ideas or would like to be involved, they would love to meet you. They are a great support for the school and children! Every little bit helps and you can see the difference FUBS makes to our school.



Diary Dates Relevant dates for different events that are happening for this year are listed at the end of this newsletter for your information. Additional dates will be added to each newsletter. We also update the website calendar regularly.



Milk If your child is **over 5** you will need to register and pay for your child to receive milk. Please use www.coolmilk.com or contact Cool Milk directly on 0844 8954 2913. If your child is **under 5** we will register your child on your behalf as they are entitled to free milk.

Chartwells - Hot School Meals Children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to free hot school meals under the Government UIFSM scheme. These are ordered by us and any queries relating to meals should be directed to the school office. Meals for children in KS2 can be ordered via www.mealselector.co.uk Please can you ensure your child's details are correct and they are registered in the correct class/year group.

Keeping Your Children Safe Please can all parents not use the main front door to enter and/or leave the building at the start and end of the school day. Please use the side gates and corridor/classroom doors which are opened specifically to enter/leave the school at these times. The security door at the office is there to ensure the safety of your children at all times, and we are unable to monitor them effectively if the door is in constant use. If the side gates are closed, please report to the office. Thank you for your help with this.

Best wishes
Becky Linford
Head Teacher



Dates for Autumn Term 2019

Wed 4th Sept

Thu 5th Sept

Mon 9th Sept

Mon 9th Sept

Tue 10th Sept

Wed 11th Sept

Fri 13th Sept

Fri 13th Sept

Fri 13th Sept

Mon 16th – Fri 20th Sept

Thu 19th Sept

Fri 20th Sept

Fri 20th Sept

Fri 27th Sept

Fri 27th Sept

Fri 27th Sept – Wed 2nd Oct

Tue 1st Oct

Fri 4th Oct

Fri 4th Oct

First Day of Autumn Term

Autumn born Reception children start school

Spring born Reception children start school

Yr 5/6 WOW Day – World War 2

7:30 FUBS Meeting at Rising Sun

Summer born Reception children start school

9:30 Juliet Hindson visiting Kenya Class

Swimming - Morocco and USA classes

USA Class assembly

Year 6 Bikeability Week

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

Swimming - Morocco and USA classes

Canada Class assembly

Swimming - Morocco and USA classes

Kenya Class assembly

3:10 Travelling Book Fair

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

Swimming - Morocco and USA classes

Morocco Class assembly



Thu 10th Oct
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Individual School Photos
 Swimming - Morocco and USA classes
 India Class assembly
 9:15 Yr 3/4 Harvest Festival for Parents
 1:30 Yr 3/4 Harvest Festival for Elderly Community
 Connor Foundation Blue Day
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 KS1 visit to Arundel Castle
 Yr 3/4 WOW Day – Romans
 Swimming - Morocco and USA classes
 Australia Class assembly
 Focus Week – Maths
 9:15 Early Years 6 Weeks In Meeting
 Walk to School Hands Up Travel Survey
 Swimming - Morocco and USA classes
 Italy Class assembly
 FUBS Halloween Disco
 Half Term Week
 Yr 5/6 Newhaven Fort Visit
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 3:30 – 6:30 Parent Teacher Meetings
 3:30 – 5:30 Parent Teacher Meetings
 Swimming - Morocco and USA classes
 France Class assembly
 Yr 3/4 Visit to Fishbourne Roman Palace
 9:00 Early Years Phonics Workshop for Parents
 Children in Need Day
 Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes
 Ireland Class assembly
 Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes
 Iceland Class assembly
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 9:00 Early Years Maths Workshop for Parents
 Yrs R – 5 Flu Vaccinations
 Non-Uniform Day – donations for Christmas Fair
 Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes
 Mexico Class assembly
 Wear Red Day – donations for Christmas Fair
 9:30 China Class Christmas Show Performance for Parents
 Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes
 FUBS Christmas Fair
 2:00 KS1 Christmas Show Performance for Parents
 2:00 KS1 Christmas Show Performance for Parents
 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale
 4:30 – 6:00 KS2 Christmas Disco
 Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes
 2:00 KS2 Christmas Show Performance for Parents
 9:15 KS2 Christmas Show Performance for Parents
 1:30 KS2 Christmas Show Performance for Elderly Community
 Christmas Lunch
 Last Day of Autumn Term





Dates for Spring Term 2020

Mon 6th Jan

Wed 8th Jan

Fri 10th Jan

Fri 17th Jan

Mon 20th Jan

Thu 23rd Jan

Fri 24th Jan

Fri 31st Jan

Fri 7th Feb

Fri 7th Feb

Fri 14th Feb

Mon 17th Feb – Fri 21st Feb

Wed 26th Feb

Thu 27th Feb

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Fri 28th Feb

Mon 2nd Mar – Fri 6th Mar

Thu 5th Mar

Fri 6th Mar

Wed 11th Mar

Thu 12th Mar

Fri 13th Mar

Fri 13th Mar

Fri 20th Mar

Tue 24th Mar

Thu 26th Mar

Fri 27th Mar

Mon 30th Mar – Fri 3rd Apr

Mon 30th Mar

Fri 3rd Apr

Fri 3rd Apr

First Day of Spring Term

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes

Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

Choir at O2 Young Voices

Swimming – Iceland and Italy classes

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

Half Term Week

3:30 – 6:30 Parent Teacher Meetings

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

3:30 – 5:30 Parent Teacher Meetings

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

Focus Week – Book Week

World Book Day

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

2:30 Residential Meeting for Parents

Sport Relief Day

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

Walk to School Hands Up Travel Survey

Class Photographs

Swimming – Canada and Mexico classes

Yr 5/6 Residential Visit to Little Canada, IOW

3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale

Swimming – India and France classes

Last Day of Spring Term



Dates for Summer Term 2020

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| Mon 20th Apr | First Day of Summer Term |
| Fri 24th Apr | Swimming – India and France classes |
| Fri 24th Apr | 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale |
| Fri 1st May | Swimming – India and France classes |
| Tue 5th May | 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale |
| Fri 8th May | Bank Holiday – School Closed |
| Mon 11th May – Fri 15th May | SATs Week |
| Fri 15th May | Swimming – India and France classes |
| Mon 18th May – Fri 22nd May | Walk to School Week |
| Thu 21st May | 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale |
| Fri 22nd May | Swimming – India and France classes |
| Mon 25th May – Fri 29th May | Half Term Week |
| Mon 1st Jun | INSET Day 3 – School Closed |
| Fri 5th Jun | Swimming – India and France classes |
| Wed 10th Jun | 3:00 FUBS Uniform Sale |
| Fri 12th Jun | Swimming – India and France classes |
| Fri 19th Jun | Swimming – India and France classes |
| Sat 20th Jun | FUBS Summer Fete |
| Thu 25th Jun | Sports Day |
| Mon 29th Jun | 5:30 KS2 Summer Show Performance for Parents |
| Tue 30th Jun | 5:30 KS2 Summer Show Performance for Parents |
| Mon 6th Jul | INSET Day 4 – School Closed |
| Wed 8th Jul | Transition Morning |
| Wed 8th Jul | Annual Reports to Parents |
| Thu 9th Jul | Welcome Meetings |
| Fri 10th Jul | 1:00 Year 6 Leavers Swim |
| Fri 17th Jul | Last Day of Term for Children |
| Mon 20th Jul | INSET Day 5 – School Closed |
| Mon 20th Jul | Last Day of Summer Term |

Academic Year 2019 to 2020

| Term | Dates |
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| 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 |



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| 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 |

