



Upper Beeding Primary School

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Tuesday 25th May 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

We have had a very exciting couple of weeks - the children in Y5/6 have become the proud parents of baby chicks.

After careful consideration of updated guidance and the low levels of Covid-19 currently, we would like to try some slight changes to the timings and exit points for children at the end of the day after half term. We will also be giving the children more time and space to play at break and lunchtime. Y3/4 and Y5/6 will be able to mix when they are outside during both breaks. KS1 and Reception will have the chance to play together at lunchtime. The year groups will remain in their separate bubbles when inside. All other systems will stay the same for parents.

wb 7.6.21	Y5/6	Year Y3/4	Year 1/2	Reception
Start	8:40 - 8:50	8:40 - 8:50	8:50 - 9:00	8:50 - 9:00
End	15:10	15:10	15:05	15:05

Exit points for classes will remain the same, except Iceland, who will now use the Church Lane exit only.

Class Photos The deadline for orders is **today, Tuesday 25th May**. Orders can be placed at www.smileYellow.com.

Reminders:

- School Uniform and Shoes** Thank you for trying so hard to ensure children have correct uniform and school shoes. Just a gentle reminder that school shoes are preferred over trainers but if you are unable to get school shoes then all black trainers or black/brown sandals with a secure back can be worn. If you are having difficulty getting the correct footwear please let us know.
- Pupil Absence** **Please try to call or email before 9:30am if your child is not going to be in school.**

Near Miss This Morning Unfortunately, a parent and child came into school very shaken this morning due to a car narrowly avoiding hitting the child as she crossed the road. Everyone has been so supportive thinking about parking and walking in and I hope that we can all reflect on our speed when we are driving near the school.



Would you like to be a School Governor? Upper Beeding Primary School currently has vacancies for Parent Governors. This is an exciting opportunity to join our Governing Body and be part of a dynamic team helping to shape and facilitate the strategic future of our school. If you are interested in standing for election as one of the Parent Governors of this school, please request a nomination pack from the school office and hand it back in by **Friday 28th May**.

For more information, please speak to either myself or our lovely clerk, Lou Brown, or email Coralie Willmott, our current Chair of Governors, on cwillmott4.938@lgflmail.org

Intruders on our Premises We are sad to report that we have had intruders on our school grounds after school is closed, particularly later in the evening. Please could we ask anyone who witnesses anything of this nature to report it to the police/local wardens immediately – thank you for your help with this



Class Organisation for September Like last year, we are organising classes for September based on what we know about the children: their friendships, learning styles, abilities and information from parents' evening and communications. If you have any concerns you would like us to consider regarding your child's friendships, please let either myself, Mrs Quigley or Mr Hughes know by **Friday 28th May**. **Whilst we do try to take everything into consideration, unfortunately we cannot accommodate parents asking for their child to be with specific children or teacher in a class together next year.** We look at this information annually so please email us, even if you have done so previously, as we cannot always remember historical information from previous correspondence. The final class lists are always considered very carefully to meet the needs of every child and they cannot be changed once they are published.

FUBS News!

FUBS Pre-Loved School Uniform Sales FUBS will be starting these popular sales again in the car park after half term – see below for dates of proposed sales. Anybody needing any items of uniform before then can email the school office with their requirements. FUBS are looking for volunteers to help with the sales – please use this link if you can help them [VolunteerSignup - Online volunteer signup sheets - FUBS Uniform Sales signup sheet](#)

FUBS Father's Day Surprises This lovely event will be held on 14th/15th June so the children can choose gifts ready for Father's Day on 20th June. Further information and relevant booking form has been issued – closing date for orders is **Thursday 27th May**.



FUBS Summer Fete Save the date! Exciting news! On **Saturday 17th July** 3:00 to 9:00pm FUBS are holding a Summer event for the school community. Not quite as big as previous years, but just as much fun! The event is being planned, and more details will be available soon. FUBS are looking for volunteers to get involved in this exciting event and help out on the day – to sign up just click on this link volunteersignup.org/QYF94



FUBS Summer Online Raffle Could you please help with a prize? Following the success of previous online raffles, FUBS would like to hear from anyone who would be willing to donate a prize for their online Summer Raffle this year. Please contact FUBS on fubsoffice@gmail.com if you can help.

Best wishes

Becky Linford
Head Teacher



Dates for Summer Term 2021

Mon 24th May – Fri 28th May

Mon 31st May – Fri 4th Jun

Tue 8th Jun

Tue 8th Jun

Wed 9th Jun

Fri 11th Jun

Mon 14th Jun – Tue 15th Jun

Tue 15th Jun

Walk to School Week

Half Term Week

Iceland and Italy Visit to Adur Outdoor Activities Centre

3:00 FUBS Pre-Loved Uniform Sale

Morocco and USA Visit to Adur Outdoor Activities Centre

Year 6 National Child Measurement Program

FUBS Father's Day Surprises

7:30 FUBS Meeting



Wed 16th Jun
 Mon 21st Jun – Fri 25th Jun
 Thu 24th Jun
 Thu 24th Jun
 Mon 28th Jun
 Tue 29th Jun
 Thu 1st Jul
 Mon 5th Jul – Tue 6th Jul
 Wed 7th Jul
 Wed 7th Jul
 Thu 8th Jul
 Fri 9th Jul
 Wed 14th Jul
 Wed 14th Jul
 Thu 15th Jul
 Thu 15th Jul
 Sat 17th Jul
 Mon 19th Jul
 Tue 20th Jul
 Wed 21st Jul

3:00 FUBS Pre-Loved Uniform Sale
 Focus Week – The Arts
 Reception Visit to Washbrook Farm
 3:00 FUBS Pre-Loved Uniform Sale
 KS1 Visit to Brighton and Hove
 3:00 FUBS Pre-Loved Uniform Sale
 Sports Day
 Year 5/6 Summer Production
 Year 6 Transition Day
 3:00 FUBS Pre-Loved Uniform Sale
 Fall-back Sports Day
 INSET Day – School Closed
 Transition Morning
 Annual Reports to Parents
 Welcome Meetings
 3:00 FUBS Pre-Loved Uniform Sale
 3:00-9:00 FUBS Summer Fete
 KS1 Seaside Day
 Year 6 Leavers Assembly
 Last Day of Summer Term

Academic Year 2020 to 2021

Term	Dates
Summer Term 2021	Starts: Monday 19 th April Half Term: Tuesday 1 st June to Friday 4 th June Ends: Wednesday 21 st July Bank Holidays: Monday 3 rd May and Monday 31 st May INSET Days: Friday 9 th July, Thursday 22 nd July, Friday 23 rd July

Academic Year 2021 to 2022

Term	Dates
Autumn Term 2021	Starts: Thursday 2 nd September Half Term: Monday 25 th October to Friday 29 th October Ends: Friday 17 th December Bank Holidays: None INSET Days: Thursday 2 nd September, Friday 3 rd September
Christmas Break	Monday 20 th December to Monday 3 rd January
Spring Term 2022	Starts: Tuesday 4 th January Half Term: Monday 21 st February to Friday 25 th February Ends: Friday 8 th April INSET Days: To be confirmed
Easter Break	Monday 11 th April to Friday 22 nd April
Summer Term	Starts: Monday 25 th April



2022

Half Term: Monday 30th May Wednesday 1st June

Ends: Friday 22nd July

Bank Holidays: Monday 2nd May, Thursday 2nd June, and Friday 3rd June

INSET Days: Friday 8th July, Thursday 21st July, Friday 22nd July



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