



Benwick Primary School

Newsletter No 1 9th September 2022



Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome back to the new school year. Its been a fantastic first week and the children have been absolute stars in the way they have adjusted to new classrooms, teachers and year groups; they have already settled into routines and are working hard. We have welcomed all our new Reception children into Robins and they have had a brilliant week – well done everyone!

Queen Elizabeth II

We are all deeply saddened by the death of our Queen. What an amazing role model she has been for us all; her legacy will live on. Today children have talked about this in circle time and in our celebration assembly. We will be having a dedicated assembly to commemorate the Queen's life and achievements on Monday. God bless our gracious Queen, may she rest in peace.

Class Share & Shine:

We will be offering you an opportunity to come in to school to share in your child's learning in week 5 of the term. Children really relish this opportunity to show and tell you about their learning in their classrooms.

Monday 3rd Oct – Owls 2.30pm

Tuesday 4th Oct – Swans 2.30pm

Wednesday 5th Oct – Doves 2.30pm

Thursday 6th Oct - Robins 2.30pm

Year 6 Secondary School Applications:

The deadline for secondary school applications (31st October) will approach very quickly, despite children only having just started in Year 6. Parents must apply for their chosen school themselves, this does not happen automatically and this is done via the Cambridgeshire Admissions Portal which opens on Monday 12th September. <https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/residents/children-and-families/schools-learning/apply-for-a-school-place>

Class Letters and Curriculum Overviews:

Information about what classes are learning this term as well as other information regarding homework, PE etc was send out by email on Tuesday. If you have any queries please see teachers on the playground before or after school, please note once the whistle has been blown adults will need to go straight in to class.

Have a lovely weekend,

Best wishes

Mrs Clare Talbot – Headteacher

Diary Dates

Monday 26th September
Monday 3rd October
Tuesday 4th October
Wednesday 5th October
Thursday 6th October
w/b 10th October 2022
Monday 10th October
Tuesday 11th October
Friday 21st October
Monday 24th October
Monday 31st October
Friday 18th November
Tuesday 21st December

Individual School Photos
Owls 2.30pm Share & Shine
Swans 2.30pm Share & Shine
Doves 2.30pm Share & Shine
Robins 2.30pm Share & Shine
Y5/6 Bikeability this week
Parents' Meetings 3-6pm
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Harvest Assembly – Parents invited 2.30pm Village Hall
Half-term Holiday
School re-opens for 2nd half-term
Children In Need Day
End of Term – Christmas Holidays

Together We Can: Staff-Pupils-Family