

Snapshots of the Week

Week: 05 Sept to 09 Sept 2022

This week...



Reception

Wow! The children have had a fantastic first week at school and we are incredibly proud of them all! We have been getting to know them, and they have been getting used to new routines and learning to become independent. We have enjoyed stories, number songs, nursery rhymes and Phonics games. They have been practicing the carpet rules, so that when they come to the carpet to learn, they are doing their best! Well done learners on a very positive start to school.

Year 1

Wow! What a fantastic start to our new school year. The children have been working so hard and have been extremely excited about using their new Learning Journals and Maths books. They have been taking real care in all their learning and we are excited about what our time in Year 1 will bring. To kickstart our 'Heroes Among Us' module, we will have an exciting visit from the Fire Brigade next week!

Year 2

It's been an incredible week back for our Year 2 learners. Our 'Buddy Meet' module has been a great way for us to practice reading some well-loved stories ahead of next week when we look forward to sharing them with the new year Reception learners. In Maths, we've been recapping numbers to 20, counting in 10s to 100, and identifying tens and ones in a 2-digit number. We've also been impressed with the learner's knowledge of nouns, verbs and adjectives! Keep up the great effort Year 2.

Year 3

Year 3 have been so excited to start writing in pen and have worked very hard on setting up their new books with their best handwriting. We have enjoyed becoming scientists and observing and classifying different types of rocks - ask a Year 3 learner to show you their actions! Our class reading text is Five on a Treasure Island and we can't wait to see what adventure unfolds!

Year 4

We have had an amazing start to the Autumn Term in Year 4! We have been really impressed with the children's attitudes to learning and can't wait to get to know them all more. The learners have come back excited and eager to get involved with our curriculum. In particular, they have enjoyed reading our new class text, 'Letters from the Lighthouse', which tells the story of evacuees in The Second World War. We can't wait to explore the idea of evacuation further next week as we prepare for our trip to Nothe Fort.

Clubs

Painting, Coding, Bench ball and Football are to name but a few of the new after school clubs on offer to our learners during Autumn Term 1 and it has been incredibly rewarding to walk around some of these new clubs and see the enjoyment our learners are getting from what is for some the first time of trying their activity. We look forward to reviewing these clubs and sharing an insight into a different club each week as the term goes on.

Link Provision

This week has been an exciting week in our Link Provision. We have been exploring school and getting to know all the new faces and the friends that we will meet. It has been great to learn in the outside space that we are sharing with Opals and Pearls and to explore the school environment so we are familiar with our surroundings.



Reminders for next year...

Clubs

Morning Clubs and After School Clubs will run as normal.

If payments have not been paid for After School Clubs, please ensure these are paid by Monday 12 September at the latest.

PE Day

Please remember on your child's set PE day to send them in wearing their PE Kit.

Reception – Tuesday and Wednesday

Year 1 – Monday and Tuesday

Year 2 – Monday and Wednesday

Year 3 – Thursday and Friday

Year 4 – Thursday and Friday

Calendar from September 2022

September 2022						
M	Tu	W	Th	F	S	S
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

INSET Day

First Day of School

Reception to start full time

Whole School Attendance

Reception – 100%

Year 1 – 96.5%

Year 2 – 97.4%

Year 3 – 97.9%

Year 4 – 97.7%

Whole School – 97.4%

Clarendon 288	House Points	Ridgeway 293
Tudor 252		Wentworth 182

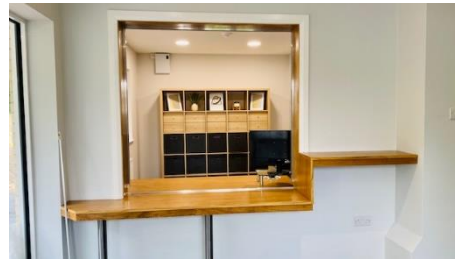
PE

Wow!! what a great first week back we have had in our PE lessons. All our learners have returned with great excitement for their new modules which has seen Year 4 working on their Football Skills, Year 3 being introduced to Hockey and both Year 2 and Year 1 embarking on their Invasion Games Modules. It has been absolutely lovely despite the rain to see how inspired all our learners from Year 1 through to Year 4 have been by the new playground markings not only during our PE lessons but also during their social times, they continue to make us so proud with their enthusiasm for keeping active and the benefits it can have for them.



Office Space and Fencing

We hope you are all as impressed as we are with our new large office and secure entrance to the school. The fencing around the school has improved the layout and security to help safeguard all of our children. We would like to thank you for your patience and understanding last term whilst the work was taking place.



Allergies

We would like to politely remind parents regarding peanut-based products. You may not be aware that we have children in school who are allergic to peanuts. This anaphylactic allergy is potentially life threatening and as a result we ask that parents avoid sending any peanut based products to school for either lunch or break time. As well as nuts we do have other severe allergies, including dairy. With any severe allergies, we manage this carefully through a clear care plan and ensure we carry out good practice such as encouraging children to never share food and washing their hands after eating. We would politely ask that you share these messages with your child to ensure we keep everyone safe at Broadstone First.

Congratulations Mr Ball!

We are delighted to share some exciting news with you. Mr Ball has welcomed his second son to the world this week. We would like you to join us in congratulating Mr Ball and his partner on the arrival of their beautiful baby boy. We cannot wait to meet him.

Paying Tribute to our Queen

Today, we paid tribute to our Queen and her remarkable reign. We came together as a school community in a moment of reflection to celebrate her life, and all she achieved as our longest serving monarch.

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II - 1926 to 2022

