

Byley Primary School and Nursery - Newsletter

Friday 9th October 2026



A message from Miss Whittingham: another busy week in school. Although September seemed to go on for a very long time, I can't believe we are at the end of week 6 in school! On Wednesday, we had our Open Evening for new parents. It was great to meet some new families - as well as catch up with some of our current families too. Talking to parents about our school, and showing them around, made me realise what a really lovely place Byley Primary School and Nursery is. As I have said before, I am very lucky to be headteacher at such a wonderful school!

Nut Free School: please be aware that we continue to be a Nut Free School. The policy can be found on the school website. Please refrain from sending your child in with any nut-based food items.

Learn With Me: Year 3/4 had their English Learn With Me on Tuesday morning. It was so lovely to see so many adults working with their children. Thank you for your support. As always, the feedback was very positive. There will be a Maths Learn With Me in the Spring Term and a Science in the Summer Term.

EYFS have their English Learn With Me on Monday @ 9am.

Reading: please continue to encourage your child to read at home. Every Monday morning, children's reading diaries are taken in. If a child has read 3 or 4 times in the week, they get 1 spot on their chart. If they have read 5 times or more, they get 2 spots. Once they reach 20 spots, they will receive a certificate in our Friday Celebration Assembly. Reading regularly - or being read to - very much supports children with developing their understanding, confidence, reading fluency and writing.

School Council Members: Reception - Loretta, Year 1 - Poppy, Year 2 - Max, Year 3 - Rayna, Year 4 - Logan, Year 5 - Bella

Thank you for your continuing support,
Elizabeth Whittingham (Headteacher)

Our Weekly Attendance Figures Whole School -97%

Reception - 91%

Years 1/2 - 99%

Years 3/4 - 99%

Years 5/6 - 97%

Well done to Years 2,4 and 6 for achieving 100% attendance this week!

School Dinners

Please remember dinner money is now **£2.95** and paid via **PARENTPAY**

3-week menus are on the school website.

Next Week's Lunch Menu: **Week 1**

Cost for the 7 weeks the children are in school - **Autumn 1**

Daily £2.95

Weekly £14.75

Half term £109.15

Important Diary Dates:

Mon 12th Oct

EYFS English Learn with Me - 9am

Mon 12th Oct

Open afternoon - prospective parents for Nursery/Reception '27

Tues 13th Oct

Parents' Evenings in school 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Thurs 15th Oct

Parents' Evenings in school 3:30pm - 5:30pm

Fri 16th Oct

FaB Disco - 3:20pm - 4:30pm (non-uniform day)

Tues 20th Oct

Y1/2 English Learn with Me - 9am

Thurs 22nd Oct

Break up for half term

Fri 23rd Oct

INSET DAY 2 - school closed to pupils

Mon 2nd Nov

Return to school

Tues 3rd Nov

Y5/6 English Learn with Me - 9am

FAB (Friends At Byley)

Please help raise funds for our school by checking out through the easy fundraising website. It's easy to do and costs nothing. Go to the link:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleypta/

Click on support cause and then create an account. This means you can then visit the easyfundraising site and the retailers will make a small donation to the FAB.  **easyfundraising** the *feel good shopping*

You can also set up reminders on your toolbar so that when you visit one of the named sites it will ask you if you want to donate - this will not cost you ANYTHING and saves you visiting easyfundraising to see your chosen shopping site is listed.

Any funds the FaB make go straight back into making our school an even better learning environment for our children, so any help is greatly appreciated.

If you need any more information, please contact: Catherine Peake-Wildman wildmanc19@yahoo.co.uk

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