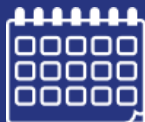




Sun Academy Bradwell

Dates for Your

DIARY



16th January

Time4Sport well-being sessions start

6th February

Internet Safety Day

7th February

Whole school pancake day

9th February

INSET Day— school closed to pupils

12th—16th February

Half Term

20th February

Year 5 Chesterton High Taster Day

21st February

Valentine's Disco

7th March

World Book Day

8th March 2:00pm-3:00pm

Mother's Day Events— parents welcome

11th March 1:00pm-7:00pm

Parents' Evening

11th - 15th March

Science Week

15th March 2:45pm

Rocksteady concert

18th March 9:00am-10:15am

Maths day workshops— parents welcome

22nd March— 2:00pm-3:00pm

Easter crafts— parents welcome

NEWSLETTER

A message from the

PRINCIPAL



Dear Parents,

2024 has brought some amazing things to the academy already with the children settling back to a routine well. I have seen many children over the past few weeks for fantastic learning and showing positive behaviour in line with our Sun 5. We have given out so many positive points and certificates, this makes us very proud.

We have welcomed Mrs Haywood to our academy team in her role within our Office. I would like to thank everyone for making her feel so welcome and supported as part of our community.

At the end of the half term, Miss Tweats will be leaving us to continue her journey as a class teacher. We wish her well in her next school and will miss

her a lot.

This half term, we have had a push on uniform throughout the week which includes P.E kit. We have noticed that lots of children are wearing trainers and incorrect P.E kit. Having a school uniform supports children to feel part of our academy community and build a sense of belonging. We do offer a uniform swap shop to support parents and wider support can be accessed. Please speak to a member of staff if needed.

We look forward to seeing more amazing learning as 2024 continues.

Laura Niemczyk

Principal

2024

PARKING



Over the past few weeks, we have had several complaints from residents and parents within our academy about the parking, especially within Cauldon Avenue. Cars are parking on our school crossing zig-zags, with 4 wheels on the pavement and blocking residents drives. We have also had a very near miss since coming back to school in January.

The safety of our pupils and families holds the highest priority for us. PLEASE help us to keep everyone safe by parking appropriately and safely.

As a result, there will be increased patrols from PCSOs and Staffordshire traffic and travel team.



Safeguarding



Live streaming

Livestreaming is broadcasting to an audience in 'real time'. The audience can leave comments, give likes to the person who is streaming and, in some cases, 'gift' the streamer. Some platforms let several people livestream at the same time. Children are likely to have spent more time on livestreaming and video apps in the last few years. While many children will be using these apps to talk to friends or family, some children may be talking to people they don't know, or sharing personal information without realising.

Whilst there may be some positives of livestreaming, as with lots of things children do there can be negatives too. For example children may feel less inhibited online and more vulnerable to being pressured. They may receive or engage in bullying comments or have pictures or videos taken of them without their consent. They may also see upsetting comments or content. One of the most important things you can do is to talk to your child about what they do online. The NSPCC has more information and guidance on livestreaming below

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/livestreaming-online-video-apps/>



Club Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunchtime	Construction/Lego – by invite		Construction/Lego– by invite	Netball– Y5/6	
After School	Forest schools Football– KS1 Football– KS2		Dance– all years Choir– Rec-Y6		Construction/Lego– All (max 15)



A sunny trip to the post office to post our letters. More photos can be found on class dojo



ATTENDANCE

Public Health Guidance

The DfE have released a statutory document to support schools with attendance. This includes the reasons when attendance will be authorised. the attached link contains the guidance that schools will follow. If pupils are not absent regularly, there will be minimal impact on their attendance .

<https://www.publichealth.hscni.net/sites/default/files/2022-11/A2%20Schools%20poster%201122%20FINAL.pdf>

Current attendance– 95.9%



Lunch Menu

MONDAY

Week 1—Pizza, Stir Fried Vegetable Rice

Week 2— Pizza, Vegetarian Cottage Pie

Week 3— Pizza, Chilli No Carne with crispy tortilla

TUESDAY

Week 1— Classic beef burger, Vegetarian burger

Week 2— Turkey Con Chilli, Macaroni Cheese,

Week 3— Cottage Pie, Cauliflower Macaroni Cheese

WEDNESDAY

Week 1— Chicken, Vegetable and Mash Pie, Vegetable Pastry Roll

Week 2— Roast Beef, Cheesy Leek and Carrot Crumble

Week 3— Roast Pork, Sweet Potato Chickpea Roast

THURSDAY

Week 1— Beef Bolognese, Vegetarian Bolognese

Week 2— Sausage Pasta Bake, Vegetarian Sausage Pasta Bake

Week 3— Chicken and Vegetable Korma, Sweet and Sour Vegetables

FRIDAY

Week 1— Breaded Fish, Quorn Dippers

Week 2— Breaded Fish, Quorn Dippers

Week 3— Southern Fried Chicken, Quorn Dippers

Tomato pasta, jacket potatoes and sandwiches are also available each day

Week 1— 20/11, 11/12, 22/01, 04/03, 15/04

Week 2— 06/11, 27/11, 18/12, 08/01, 29/01, 19/02, 11/03

Week 3— 13/11, 04/12, 15/01, 05/02, 26/02, 18/03

Volunteers

For the remainder of the academic year, we are looking to see if any parents or extended family members are able to provide any time with the school day to support our children and wider curriculum offer.

If you are interested in volunteering to hear readers or to have any skills (gardening, art etc) and have any time to support the academy, we want to hear from you!

Within the role of a volunteer, there will be a short application form and checks that will need to take place before coming into school.

If anyone would like to find out more information about this, please contact Mrs Niemczyk via dojo.



Communication

Classroom teacher work hard to build relationships with children and get to know them really well. They are your first point of contact if you want to discuss anything about your child's school day.

Daily messages can be passed through the Senior Leader that is on the door each morning. If a more detailed conversation is needed, please make an appointment with your child's class teacher via the school office.

The communication with the teacher means that accurate information can be shared based on their learning and well-being. Actions can be agreed if needed.

If you feel that your conversation with the class teacher has not followed your agreed actions, Mrs Niemczyk or Mrs Evenson can be contacted to discuss this further.

If you have safeguarding concerns about a child, Mrs Evenson is the first point of contact.

Uniform

A reminder of our uniform expectations:

- Shirt and tie for Y5/6 only
- White polo shirt for N-Y4
- Grey trousers, shorts, pinafore, skirt
- Grey tights or white/grey socks
- School jumper/cardigan with logo
- Black shoes (no trainers)

P.E kit

- School hoodie, jumper or cardigan
- Black shorts or joggers (plain)
- Trainers

This has been posted on dojo and emailed out.

Incorrect uniform will result in a change of clothing or footwear from the academy uniform bank.



Attendance

Attendance holds a high priority within our academy and the children are receiving multiple awards for arriving to school on time and having high attendance.

If your child will be absent from school, please ring the academy office to report this absence rather than messaging via class dojo.

If by the end of the year, the whole school target of 97% is achieved, that whole academy will have a special treat.

Please note that children must be in school by 8:50am when the main doors close. If your child arrives after this time, they are marked as late which can effect their overall attendance. They are also missing learning as learning starts as soon as the children come into school.

Current attendance is 95.9%



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