

School Communication 5th July 2024

School Closure Dates

Summer Holidays - Wednesday 24th July - Friday 30th August
School closure for INSET - Monday 2nd September 2024

Whole School

The children have welcomed the opportunity to meet their new teachers this week. A process where the children have been able to demonstrate all 3 of our school values: Respect, Resilience, and Independence. We are incredibly proud of each and every one of them.

Full staff info for academic year 2024 - 2025 can be found below.

Saturday 6th July - Summer Festival - 12:30pm - 3:30pm

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at the festival tomorrow. A huge amount of work has been put into putting on the festival by FoNBIS and we are all incredibly grateful.

Thank you for all of your donations of tombola prizes today.

If you would like to donate cakes and bakes on Saturday, please could you bring them to the Willis Avenue gate at 10:30am.

Reminder - please can you return any unsold raffle tickets to the office by 6pm today or directly to the festival tomorrow.

Please also note that, in addition to cash and card payments, FoNBIS are running a token system this year. This will help stall holders to carry less cash. Please feel free to exchange some cash or make card payment in exchange for tokens.

Monday 8th July - Major drainage project at the Recreation Ground will commence - Change of Date

Works will be commencing at 7:30am on Monday 8th July and will take 4 to 6 weeks to complete. Please avoid using the Recreation Ground on this morning due to heavy machinery arriving on site. Although the works will be carried out in the field, there may be some heavy machinery going up and down Sandy Lane which could cause delays for other vehicles accessing the area.

Nursery

Wednesday 10th July 9:30am - Ready Steady School Workshop

Hampshire Healthy Families are running a free workshop at school on Wednesday 10th July at 9:30am for parents and carers of children aged 3-5 years old. Your children are welcome to come along too!

Are you wondering about what you can do to prepare your child for school?

The thought of your child starting school might be daunting. This big milestone can be an emotional time not only for them, but for you and the rest of your family.

Whether you are feeling excited, or worried (or both!), you may be wondering...

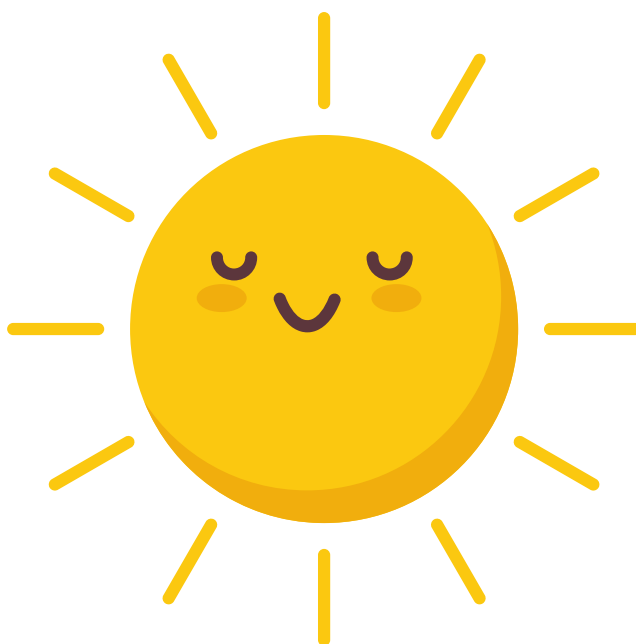
- Will my child be ready for school when the time comes, physically and emotionally?
- What will I need to do to make sure my child and the family are prepared?
- What does school readiness actually mean?
- What resources will my child need for starting school?
- How will I cope when my child starts school?
- How will the school help me and my family to settle and feel included?

To book a place, please use the Eventbrite link below:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/ready-steady-school-100724-north-baddesley-infant-school-tickets-902325258137?aff=oddtcreator>

Thursday 18th July - Afternoon at Arthur's Play Space (for Rising 5 children only) - 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Please see the ParentMail form sent for full details



Year 2

Blue Peter Badges

The children have taken home their Charlie and the Chocolate Factory sweets this week and will write a news report in class about what happened to them when they came to the factory. If you and your child are interested, we encourage you to put your child's work forward for a Blue Peter badge. Blue Peter badges provide free entry for your child at over 200 different attractions. They are simple to apply for. Please follow the link for more information Blue Peter Blue badge: [Blue Peter Blue badge: Find out how to earn the most iconic badge in the world! - CBBC - BBC](#)

If your child is eligible for pupil premium, they will have support to send this application in school and you will receive further communication.

Thursday 18th July - Year 2 Leavers' Show and Assembly

Year 2 have been rehearsing for their end of year show and are very excited! We will be performing this in the school hall at 9:00am followed by an assembly for children to collect their leavers certificates and gifts. There will be space for 2 adults per family and we encourage younger siblings not attend on this occasion. Please drop your child to their class as normal and make your way to the school hall for a 9:00am start. We look forward to seeing you there.

Friday 19th July - Leavers' Celebration

The children will be involved with a range of games and activities on this day to celebrate their three years at the Infant School. This event is only for the children; they will need to bring a change of clothes and a plastic bag. Children can wear trainers on this day if they wish but should remain in school uniform.



Staffing 2024 - 2025

EYFS Leader – Mrs Thompson

Nursery			
Class Teacher/Lead	Miss Kilcoyne		
EYP L3+	Miss Vince	Miss Kersley	
EYP L2	Miss Bailiff	Mrs Foster	

Year R	Birch	Oak	Elm
Class Teacher	Miss Stacey	Mrs Thompson	Miss Mahoney
1:1/Teaching Assistant	Mrs Stone	Mrs Gelling (nee Miss Ford)	Mrs Glasspool
1:1/Teaching Assistant	Miss Stratton / Mrs Clark	Mr Pritt	Miss Pinner
1:1/Teaching Assistant	Miss Moore	Mrs Hunt	

Year 1 Leader – Miss Welch

Year 1	Maple	Pine	Willow
Class Teacher	Miss Welch	Miss Waterhouse	Mrs Shuttleworth
1:1/Teaching Assistant	Mrs O'Shea	Mrs Young *	Mrs West
1:1/Teaching Assistant	Miss Bennett	Mr Holloway	Miss Jana

Year 2 Leader – Mrs Waters/Mrs Young

Year 2	Hazel	Beech	Hawthorn
Class Teacher	Mrs Waters	Miss Mill	Mrs Young (W-F) Miss Tiley (M-W)
1:1/Teaching Assistant	Mrs Goodman	Miss Fisher	Miss Davies

Social and Emotional Team

Strategic Teacher	Mr Stuart	
Pastoral Leader	Mrs Calder	
Teaching Assistant / SEL Practitioners	Mrs Phippen	Mrs Owens

PPA cover	Mrs Jessop – Sports Coach	Mrs Gelling (nee Miss Ford) – HLTA	Mrs O'Shea – HLTA
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Treetops			
Lead	Mrs Calder	Mrs Jessop (Sport)	
Playworker am	Mrs Young	Mrs Phippen	Mrs Goodman
	Miss Fisher		
Playworker pm	Mr Holloway	Mrs Foster	Miss Fisher
	Miss Bennett	Miss Davies	Miss Shuttleworth
	Mr Pritt	Miss Pinner	Miss Bailiff

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Treetops

Mrs Calder will be leading Treetops, including Holiday Club during Miss Horn's maternity leave. Mrs Calder is incredibly experienced, and we are delighted to welcome her back formally to the Treetops team.

Other Information

Reading books

Please ensure all school reading books and library books are returned to school over the next two weeks. We are missing a number of phonics reading books from our packs and would appreciate a quick check at home to see if you have any unreturned books.

Lost Property

At this point in the year we are overwhelmed with lost property. You will notice on different days over the coming weeks that a table will be placed on the playground for families to check and take-home items belonging to your child(ren). All lost property that has not been collected by Friday 14th July will be thrown away or recycled accordingly. Please take the time to check whenever you pass.

Skills for Life - Multiply- Adult Workshop and Free Family Ticket to Manor Farm or Staunton Farm

Multiply, a government adult numeracy project to build confidence, is running a free online session for parents/carers to explore how maths is developed throughout a child's time in school from Early Years through to year 6.

Spaces are limited to the first 100 participants, and each family will receive a ticket to either Manor Farm or Staunton Farm. You will need to select the farm and date of your visit prior to the online session. If you register your interest and attend the online session, you will be given free entrance to the farm of your choice, and a family fun maths quiz to complete on the day of your visit.

To be eligible, adults MUST attend the online session, be over 19 years old and have not previously attended a Multiply family fun event.

Please see the attached poster for further details.

Southampton City Council - Summer Fun Activities

Southampton City Council have a wide range of activities for children and their families to keep everyone entertained this Summer!

They have a programme of history and art workshops cover everything from fun family walking tours to hands on workshops and all day wrap around care. Workshops are engaging, accessible and designed to promote family learning.

Temporary School Crossing Patrol - Rownhams Road

We have been notified that Kirsty Dean, the temporary School Crossing Patrol (SCP) on Rownhams Road, will be continuing this half term. However, there are some dates that Kirsty will be unavailable, as follows:

Thursday 18th July

Friday 19th July

We wanted to let you know so that you can make alternative arrangements, as appropriate.