



School Closure Dates

School Closure for Easter Holidays:
Monday 7th April - Monday 21st April 2025



Whole School Information

Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 1st April - Family Nurturing Programme Drop In Information Evening

We will be running our 10 week Nurturing Programme, created by the Centre for Emotional Health charity, on Tuesday evenings (5:30pm-7:30pm) during the Summer Term, starting on Tuesday 29th April.

We are holding a drop-in information evening next Tuesday 1st April from 5:00pm, to give you the opportunity to meet us, find out more about the programme and complete a registration form to secure a place on our Summer Term course. There are 10 places available on this successful programme. Parents who have attended previously say:

"Everyone should do this course!"

"The atmosphere was really relaxed. No-one judged anyone and everyone was listened to and respected."

Please complete the ParentMail form sent to you so that we can gauge the number of parents and carers who are interested in joining our Summer Term programme. If you are unable to come along next Tuesday but would like to join the programme after the Easter break, please also let us know.

Don't hesitate to email us or catch us on the playground at the start of the school day if you have any questions: familylinks@northbaddesley-inf.hants.sch.uk.

We look forward to seeing you next Tuesday evening for a cuppa and chat.

Thursday 3rd and Friday 4th April - No crossing patrol on these days

Tuesday 8th April - Thursday 10th April and Tuesday 15th - Thursday 17th April - Easter Holiday Club

Please contact the office for availability and further details.



Other Information

Chickenpox in School

We currently have a few confirmed cases of chickenpox within our school community. Please note that if your child contracts chickenpox, they should be kept at home for at least five days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over. This is to ensure the health and wellbeing of the whole school community.

Please see the attached NHS poster for further guidance around infectious diseases.

Start and End of the Day - School and Nursery

A polite reminder to all our families that our staff car park is not available to parents or carers when arriving with children in the morning or at the end of the day. Please use one of the local public parking areas, including the recreation ground on Castle Lane. To ensure the safety of all our school community, please do not walk through the staff car park to access the school site. Please only use the pedestrian gate.

We would also like to remind everyone that dogs are not permitted on the school site.

Please see the attached parking information and thank you for your understanding and co-operation with this.

Small World Play

If you're having a Spring clean at home and have any small world play items which are no longer wanted, our children will very much enjoy playing with them here at school!

They would love:

- Unicorns
- Superheroes
- Princesses/Princes
- Animals
- Cars
- Sonic the Hedgehog



FoNBIS

Do you work for ASDA or Nationwide Building Society?

Both of these employers currently have colleague funding available. This funding gives employees opportunities to match fundraising for UK registered charities and also apply for grants of up to £10,000 for a charity close to their heart.

FoNBIS is a registered charity and would, of course, greatly appreciate any support from this source to support projects for our school and nursery.

Please use the links below to find out more:

<https://asdafoundation.org/our-grants/colleague-match-funding-for-local-causes/>

<https://www.nationwide.co.uk/about-us/for-the-good-of-society/>

NEW Baby and Toddler Group

What a great morning we had meeting some new faces and enjoying fun play time with lots of babies and toddlers. We had a lovely time with toys, drinks and sweet treats. We will share future dates soon. Watch this space!



Comic Relief

We are delighted that we raised a total of £287.95 for this fantastic charity whilst having lots of fun at the same time!

Baddesley 5k

We're excited to be organising a community running event for 29th June. Please see the attached poster for more information, including how to enter. There will be a 5km mixed terrain run for adults and young people aged 11 and up. There will also be a 1km run for children on the recreation ground. It would be amazing to have as many pupils from the North Baddesley Schools as possible participating on the recreation ground. Find the Baddeley 5k on Facebook to keep up to date.

We are also looking for sponsors for the event. If you would like to promote your business by sponsoring our finishers' medals or water station please email: baddesley5k@gmail.com

All funds raised will go to North Baddesley Infant School.

Study Smart - Free Online Courses - Education & Skills Funding Agency

Study Smart offers specifically designed courses to aid parents and carers with their learning. Their live webinar online sessions are run within school hours and within term times only to allow parents and cares to fit their learning in with school drop off and collection.

There are spaces available on their next course starting on 22nd April (after the Easter school holidays). Places are limited and will be accepted on a first come first serve basis. Please see the attached poster for further information.