



## School Closure Dates



Bank Holiday - Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2025  
Half Term Holiday - Monday 26<sup>th</sup> - Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2025  
INSET Days - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June and Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2025



## Whole School Information

School and Nursery will be closed for the Bank Holiday on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May. We are fully open again on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May.

### Dates for the Diary

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May - Class Photos (during the school day)

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May - Dress as You Like Day

In exchange for wearing no school uniform this day, we will be collecting prizes to use on our stall at Village Day. We would appreciate the following donations:

- Bags of sweets (not chocolate)
- Bottles of wine
- Soft toys
- Gift sets

Many thanks for your support to raise funds for our school and nursery.

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May - NBIS Mini Festival at NB Village Day

We will be representing our school and nursery by having a mini festival area at the Village Day. This will include games stalls run by parent and carer volunteers from each year group. Please sign up here to volunteer for a one-hour time slot:

<https://volunteersignup.org/39BWT>

We look forward to seeing lots of you there.

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> - Friday 23<sup>th</sup> May 2025 - Walk to School Week

This is a Hampshire initiative, and we are encouraging all children to either walk, cycle, scoot or park and walk where possible.

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May - Sports Day - 9:00am-12:00pm (approx.) - Years R, 1 and 2 only

- Please bring your child into school wearing PE kit on this day. PE kits will be sent home from the night before to support this.
- Gates will be opened as normal in the morning for you to drop off your child. Once your child is dropped off you can make your way to the field and stand behind the tape.
- FoNBIS will be selling refreshments from the hall, so please feel free to stop in on your way to the field.
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- Children will have been told that they must stay with their class and therefore are not encouraged to walk over to the grown up/ grown-ups watching them. Please can you make this easier for your child by reminding them of this before the event. Thank you in advance for supporting our safeguarding procedures.
- The Junior school have requested that spectators do not stand near their building to limit distractions for learners during the morning.
- Both the Willis Avenue and Botley Road gates will reopen to let you out once all the children are back in their classes.

## Nursery

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> May - Teddy Bears' Picnic at the Park

Please see the ParentMail form sent previously for further information.

## Year 1

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May - Hilliers Trip

We are really looking forward to our upcoming trip to Hilliers on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May.

For this trip, your child will need to dress in the following appropriate clothing and bring the items listed:

- School trousers/skirt/shorts or jogging bottoms
- School top and school jumper
- Trainers/wellies
- A waterproof coat (if necessary)
- A water bottle

Your child will not require their book bag on this occasion.

If your child is bringing a packed lunch, please ensure that this is appropriate for them to carry independently.

You will have ordered your child's school lunch for this trip at the start of the year using a ParentMail form. Class teachers will not have access to this information so, if you need to confirm what was ordered, please check your ParentMail form.

## Year 2

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Overnight Residential at School

Please see the ParentMail form sent previously for further information.

## Treetops

Summer Holiday Club Bookings

Reminder to book Holiday Club places for Summer 2025. Please contact the School Office if you have any changes to existing bookings.

## Other Information

### Family Support

Being a parent or carer is certainly not an easy job and sometimes family life can be particularly challenging. Mrs Calder and Mrs Cundy, our Family Support Workers, are here to support you in any way they can. They are available to speak to each morning at drop-off time or we can arrange a convenient time to have a longer private chat. Their confidential email address is: [familysupport@northbaddesley-inf.hants.sch.uk](mailto:familysupport@northbaddesley-inf.hants.sch.uk)

### FoNBIS

#### Baddesley 5k

We're excited to be organising a community running event for 29<sup>th</sup> 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 Baddesley 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, km markers or water station please email: [baddesley5k@gmail.com](mailto:baddesley5k@gmail.com)

All funds raised will go to North Baddesley Infant School and Nursery.

### Other

#### Booster Seat and Seatbelt Safety Information

The Road Safety Team at Hampshire County Council has asked us to share this important message with our school community. The link below outlines information about the use of booster seats as well as seatbelts and reminds parents and carers of the seatbelt laws.

[Seatbelt safety.](#)

#### North Baddesley Parish Council - Neighbourhood Plan

The Parish Council is in the process of creating a Neighbourhood Plan and would like to engage the public in a brief consultation to understand how you feel about green open spaces in the village.

If you would like to help us, please complete our survey by clicking on the link below. It should only take a few minutes. A more detailed consultation will take place at Village Day.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/38GMV37>



#### Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June - Baby Necessities Charity - Pink and Green Day

This local charity is holding a fun-filled Pink and Green Day event on 20<sup>th</sup> June. Baby Necessities provides incredible support to families in our area.

To find out how you can get involved, please visit the following link and see the attached poster: <https://baby necessities.co.uk/pink-and-green-fundraiser>