



# BOCKING NEWS

**I am Ambitious, Respectful, Responsible, Engaged and I Persevere.**

Bocking Primary School Weekly Round Up

Friday 6th September 2024

## WHAT'S COMING UP

### September

- 11th - EYFS Change Behaviour Parent Workshop Ms Morrish
- 25th - Pupil & Siblings School Photos
- 24th EYFS/Y1 Phonics Workshop in Hall

### October

- 2nd Parent English Workshop in Hall at 9:05
- 10th Travelling Book Fayre
- 17th Flu Immunisation for whole school
- 21st-23rd Y6 Residential
- 23rd Open Door, Parents into school at 2:45
- 24th Celebration Assembly at 9:05
- 25th - Non Pupil Day
- 28th-1st Nov - Half Term

### November

- 4th Return to School
- 12th Parents Evening at 15:30 - 17:00
- 14th Parents Evening at 15:30 - 19:00

### December

- 16th EYFS School Nativity at 2:30
- 18th Carol Service, Whole School St Mary's Church at 14:00
- 20th Non Pupil Day
- 23rd - 6th Jan Half Term

### January

- 7th Spring Term Starts

## AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we start this exciting new academic year, I wanted to share some wonderful moments and updates from our first days back at school. On our first day back, I had the pleasure of showing a new family around our school. What struck me most was the incredible focus and engagement I witnessed in every single classroom. It was so positive to see our pupils being engaged and ready to learn right from the get-go. This level of focus sets a fantastic tone for the year ahead.

One of the best parts of this term is welcoming our new reception pupils. These little ones have already demonstrated remarkable perseverance and resilience as they begin their Bocking journey with us. I've thoroughly enjoyed spending time in their classroom, getting to know each of their unique personalities. It's been a real pleasure to hear them share their stories and interests with me - their enthusiasm is infectious!

I must also praise all our pupils on their smart appearance. The school looks fantastic with everyone in their crisp uniforms. However, I kindly ask parents to ensure all uniform items are clearly labelled. This simple step can save a lot of time and confusion, especially when it comes to returning misplaced fleeces and jumpers to their rightful owners.

On a related note, I'd like to remind everyone about our commitment to promoting healthy habits. As part of our efforts to encourage good dental care, we ask that pupils only bring water in their bottles to school. This small change can make a big difference in maintaining healthy teeth and gums.

Dates for your diary are shown on the left hand side of our Newsletter so please do read through those, and if you have any questions contact the school office.

Please also find attached your class curriculum maps where you can find out all about what your child will be learning this term. These are also available on our website.

Thank you all for your support. Here's to a fantastic year of learning and growth,

Hannah Cagney  
Headteacher

## Notices

- Unfortunately school toilets will be inaccessible after school due to our cleaning team needing to access these areas.