



Bude Primary Academy

Head of School – Mrs Sarah Robinson

Friday 10th September 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back everyone!

I have been so impressed with how everyone returned to school on Wednesday. Our Year 3's have settled in wonderfully and there is a calm and purposeful feeling around school.

Please may we remind you of the **school start and end times**:

We will open the gates from **8.40am** with children going straight into classrooms. School will **start at 8.50am** so we are trying to maintain some sort of staggered start to support parents with drop off and parking. School will finish at **3.10pm** for all pupils and the **two side gates** will remain in use. We are opening the gate nearest the infants at 3pm for parents/carers to stand in the small playground and wait to collect their child. I apologise for the crowds on Wednesday, hopefully things have improved, and I will continue to monitor the situation.

Pupils in **Wanson, Northcott, and Sandymouth** enter and exit via the gate nearest the large **car park and large playground**.

Pupils in **Millook, Crooklets, Duckpool, Summerleaze, Crackington** and **Widemouth**, will enter via the **side gate nearest to the infants**.

Parking

Please respectfully only use the disabled bays for a quick drop and go. Parking in these means those who have a disability cannot use the space. Please also respect the zebra crossing markings. Thank you all for not parking on the double yellow lines; this has really improved the flow of traffic and is better/safer for everyone including other road users.

Trips & visitors

We have lots planned for our pupils this year, including trips out and visitors in. Please see below what we have planned for this term. These are all subject to change. Further details for Spring and Summer to follow soon.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2
Year 3	Birds of prey - visitor	Beach geology walk
Year 4	Viking visitor	Museum exhibits
Year 5	Beach walk	'Night in School'
Year 6	Flambards	Polar expedition visitors

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School dinners – Aspens

Here are some photos showcasing our new look servery counter, displaying the food offering from our caterers Aspens, where they value good food and champion quality produce.



School meals are a great choice with a delicious selection of freshly prepared food available, and a finale of tasty puddings to choose from.

Aspens are working closely with us and will be providing healthy eating workshops for children and parents.

Next week

- School menu week 2
- Brass music lessons start in Year 5 and PE coaches will be in including a gymnastics coach.
- After school clubs are starting again next week. Your child will need to come to school in their PE kit if they are attending an after-school PE club.
Monday Year 6 Netball club 3.15pm-4.00pm
Tuesday Year 5 Tag rugby club 3.15pm-4.00pm
Thursday Year 4 Football club 3.15pm-4.00pm
Please consent on ParentPay, there are only 16 spaces available for each after-school club.

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- We are continuing to ask pupils to attend school in their PE kits on PE days. The class teacher will let you know the days your child has PE.
- Week commencing 11th October science explorer dome will be in school. Further details to follow.

Notes from the office:

- All Year 3 parents can you please fill in the **medical and permissions** form sent home via email so that we can enter these into our system.
- Should you be happy for your child to walk home, or leave school accompanied, please can you telephone the office so we can amend the consent section on their records.
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- Please let the office if you need to change your contact details.
- **Please settle your child's parent pay accounts;** breakfast club, school meals and after school accounts must all be either in credit or have a £0 balance. Unfortunately, some debts have been left over from the last academic year so these need to be cleared immediately please.
- **Year 6 hoodies** have been delivered but are still available to purchase throughout the year via this link: <https://myschoolhoodie.co.uk/bude-primary-school-2022-leavers-hoodies/>
- **ParentPay Year 3** All Year 3 children have had a letter sent home with the new login for Junior ParentPay. Please login as soon as possible to enable you to pay for school dinners and to book breakfast club and after school club if needed.

In general:

- We have a new website. www.budejuniors.org.uk, please clear your cache/browser history to avoid their computer/phone directing them to the old URL www.budeprimary.org (now disabled).
- To contact the school office by email please use juniorsecretary@budeprimary.org
- **The office is open from 8:30 – 3:30pm.** If you phone outside of these hours – please leave a message and a member of staff will respond the next working day.

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- **Inset days 2021/2022:** Friday 22nd October, Friday 18th February, Monday 25th July & Tuesday 26th July. Tuesday 26th is the replacement bank holiday for the Queen's jubilee as this takes place when schools are already off.
- **Attendance is a whole-school priority. Please ensure that your child arrives at school in good time and ready to learn.**
- The Arbor App allows you to receive the latest messages from your child's school, book parent/guardian consultation slots, track your child's attendance and update the information that we hold about both you and your child.

Have a wonderful weekend. See you all on Monday.

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