



BEARWOOD Primary and Nursery School

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Maple 2 @PGL, Osmington Bay

We have just waved our Year 6 children off to PGL at Osmington Bay – we hope they have an excellent time away!

Home School Agreement

Watch out on your MCAS app for a notification asking you to read and sign a 'Home School Agreement' for your child.

This document is very important as it outlines our procedures ensuring that every child is safe and ready to learn at Bearwood. Please make sure you read this with your child so that they know what they are agreeing to.

Pupil Mobile Phone Policy 2024 - 2025

We have updated our Pupil Mobile Phone Policy for this year. All mobile phones which have been agreed are to be handed into the **SCHOOL OFFICE** first thing in the morning. Children must not have their phone in their bag.

Children may only bring mobile phones to school in EXCEPTIONAL circumstances. Parents/carers must have completed and returned a request form, outlining the exceptional circumstances, prior to the phone coming into school. This will be authorised only at the discretion of the Headteacher.

Level 2 TA recruitment

WE WANT YOU! An exciting opportunity has arisen for **two** Level 2 Teaching Assistants to join our team on a Fixed Term Contract to cover the special needs of individual pupils at our School. If you feel that you have the skills that we are looking for and you want to be a part of an amazing team who always strive to put the child at the centre of everything we do to make a difference, then click [here](#) now for further information and to apply. We can't wait to have the successful applicants working with us and contributing to our School.

The closing date for applications will be Monday 30th September 2024 and interviews on Monday 7th October 2024.

VIPs

Last term, our school council, after discussion with their classes, voted to change the VIP red jumpers. This term we have now introduced a red VIP badge instead that the chosen VIP for the week gets to proudly wear. VIP children will still be invited to a VIP event each term in recognition of being a VIP and going above and beyond in their learning and attitude in school.



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Meet the teacher slides

In this week's communication you will receive a copy of the slides shared as part of our Meet the Teacher information session earlier this month. Please take some time to look through this important information. Thank you.

Harvest Festival – Tuesday 1st October 2024

The whole school will be walking to St Barnabas Church on the afternoon of Tuesday 1st October for our Harvest Festival Service. We are looking for parent volunteers to help walk with us to and from church. Please see the letter about the Harvest Festival sent out today for more information about what the children need to bring.

Cycle to School Week – 23rd – 27th September

Next week is cycle to school week. Why not encourage your child to cycle or scoot to school next week and get active on your way to school!

Safeguarding Team

At Bearwood Primary & Nursery School we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. We are fully committed to ensuring that consistent effective safeguarding procedures are in place to support families, children and staff in the school community.

If you are worried about a child or need to contact a member of the Safeguarding Team then please call the school office on 01202 590703 or email: school@bearwood.poole.sch.uk

Our Safeguarding Team

Mrs Smith - Headteacher / Designated Safeguarding Lead

Mrs Goodfellow – Acting Deputy Head / Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



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