



Upcoming Dates

February

W/B 3rd – Children's Mental Health Week
National Storytelling week

Tues 4th: Y1 Phonics presentation

Fri 7th: NSPCC Number Day

Thurs 13th: Poetry Assembly Maple Base parents

Fri 14th Last day of term

Mon 24th: INSET Day

Tues 25th SPRING 2

March

W/B 3rd: World Book Week

4th & 6th: Parent Evening Meetings

Thurs 6th: World Book Day

Safeguarding Matters

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, please call the school office on 01202 590703 or email:

school@bearwood.poole.sc.h.uk

We need your views!

Parent Survey

We are seeking the views of all our parents and carers in our school community to help us continue to provide an education for our children where everyone can **'learn, enjoy and succeed together'**. Your views are important to us and we would appreciate if you could complete this survey: <https://forms.office.com/e/Arvf54VXYn>

2025/2026 Term Dates & INSET Dates

Our term dates and INSET dates have now been set for 2025/2026. Please see our school website for the dates.

[Term Dates - Bearwood School](#)

Please note there are 7 INSET days in 2025/2026.

Children's Mental Health Week – next week

The theme for this year's Children's Mental Health week is 'Know yourself, Grow yourself'. Next week, the children will be spending time taking part in discussions, getting outside and enjoying Stormbreak activities. Ask your child about it.

National Storytelling Week – next week

This year, National Storytelling week is based on "re-imagining your world" Children will take part in author workshops to ignite their imagination and inspire them to write their own stories.

NSPCC Number Day – Friday 7th February

Children are invited to take part in Number Day this year by dressing up as ,or wearing a digit. This could include a football / netball shirt etc. During the day, children will take part in different maths activities.

If you would like to support the NSPCC, please follow this link:

[Donate | NSPCC](#)

Willow 1 – Trainee teacher

We are delighted that Mrs Phillips-Kiddle will be joining Willow 1 for a couple of days each week to complete her teacher training. I am sure the children will enjoy telling you about their time with her.

TikTok Online Safety

A reminder that the 'TikTok' app is designed to be used by 13+ years. Please be mindful of this when allowing your child to access this app and put your parental controls in place.

[TikTok App Review | Common Sense Media](#)

Headteacher – Mrs Cheryl Smith

Deputy Headteacher – Mrs Hayley Goodfellow