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Weekly Newsletter

A message from Mrs Hodge...

As much as everyone loves the summer holidays, it is so very nice to see all of your faces again in September! The children have settled into their new classrooms and routines really well - I have no doubt that it is going to be a great year! Thank you to parents and carers for getting here on time and for kitting out your little ones in the correct uniform. Your children are amazing; they take such pride in following school rules and it gives them a real boost when these things are right. I look forward to seeing all that this term will bring!



The Department for Education's blog provides lots of useful information for families of children attending early years and school settings. You can access a recent message from the Prime Minister to parents and carers [here](#).

Blog

The Education Hub

Dinner money is now £2.65/day, £13.25/week .

If you believe you may be entitled to free school meals, click [here](#) to read the criteria and find out how to apply. Ms Handley, in the school office, can help with your application.

There are drop-in sessions In the annexe next week, where staff will be on hand to support you in a free school meal application:

Monday 8 September @ 3:30pm
Wednesday 10 September @ 8:30am

Did you know?

The school receives additional funding for every child who is entitled to a free school meal, this is a great financial support and allows us to provide additional staff and resources.

Families receive a free school sweatshirt, cardigan or hoodie and also up to £120 holiday supermarket vouchers!

School Dinners

Designated Safeguarding Leads and Safeguarding Links



Emergency Duty Team

(01204) 337777

Mrs Hodge Mr Abraham Mrs Abraham Mrs Hall

Bolton Safeguarding Children
Keeping children safe in Bolton

BOLTON SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN
CONTACT BOARD 01204 337479

REFERRAL & ASSESSMENT
01204 331500 (9AM-5PM)

Welcome to Reception

This week we welcomed 28 children to our EYFS unit. It has been wonderful to see the children settle in to school life so well. We look forward to welcoming the remaining children to Devonshire Road.



We also welcome two children to other year groups, Whitney and Chiagoziem have joined Y4AT, we hope you have settled in well.





Dates for your Diary

Autumn Term 1

Tuesday 9 September 1pm
Tuesday 9 September pm
Wednesday 10 September pm
Thursday 11 September pm
Thursday 11 September 3:30pm
Friday 12 September pm
Monday 15 September pm
Tuesday 16 September am
Wednesday 17 September am
Wednesday 17 September 4pm
Friday 19 September am
W/C 22 September 2 weeks
Monday 22 September am
Monday 22 September 9am
Tuesday 23 September 9am
Wednesday 24 September 4pm
Thursday 25 September 9am
Friday 26 September am
W/C 29 September all week

Monday 29 September all day
Tuesday 30 September am
Wednesday 1 October all day
Wednesday 1 October 4pm
Thursday 2 October all day
Thursday 2 October pm
Monday 6 October am
Monday 6 October all day
Monday 6 October am
Thursday 9 October 9:00am
Thursday 9 October 1:00pm
Friday 10 October 9:00am
Monday 13 October all day
Monday 13 October am
Tuesday 14 October all day
Wednesday 15 October all day
Wednesday 15 October am
Thursday 16 October all day
Thursday 16 October am
W/C 20 October all week
Wednesday 22 October 3:30pm
Thursday 23 October all day
Thursday 23 October 3:30pm
Friday 24 October 3:30pm
Monday 3 November 8:45am

Rocksteady sessions begin
Y4 Rugby session #1
Y6 Rugby session #1
Y5 Rugby session #1
Y5 Parents/Carers swimming meeting
Y6 set off for PGL
Clubs start
Y5/6 Aspire Football Tournament
KS1 Gymnastic taster session
Cross Country Moss Bank Park (selected children)
Y5/6 Dodgeball tournament
Fairtrade Fortnight
Y4 Geography Trip to Burrs Country Park
Y1 & 2 Meet the Teacher Coffee Morning
Y3 & 4 Meet the Teacher Coffee Morning
Cross Country Moss Bank Park (selected children)
Y5 & 6 Meet the Teacher Coffee Morning
Fair Trade Assembly
Poetry Week
(performances to parents/carers to be confirmed)
Y4 & 5 Poetry Workshop
Y6 Poetry Writing session
Y1 & 2 Poetry Workshop
Cross Country Moss Bank Park (selected children)
Dommy B in school for National Poetry Day
Y3 Poetry Workshop
Harvest donation begin
Great Big Clean Up
Y1 Bolton Library Service History lesson
LKS2 Big Foot Arts Education Assembly
UKS2 Big Foot Arts Education Assembly
Harvest Assembly
Y5C Bikeability
Walk to School Scheme launch
Y5C Bikeability
Y5H Bikeability
Y5 & 6 Wrestling Competition
Y5H Bikeability
KS2 Pentathlon Tournament
Scholastic Book Fair in Hall
Parent/Carer Evening
Individual and Sibling Photographs
Parent/Carer Evening
School closes for half term break
School re-opens for autumn term #2

Click the icon for term dates



Click the icon for more events



Roza (Y5C) wanted to share her picture from the reading challenge over the summer, she received the medal and certificate for the Bolton Library reading challenge. Well done Roza, you clearly love to read!





Notices

If you are looking for a dentist for your child, click the graphic:



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READY!
Eat, Play, Learn.



Welcome to the Devonshire Road Breakfast Club!

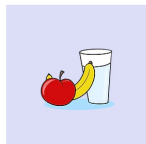


If you are the parent/carer of an autistic child and are looking for advice and support to guide with their oral care, click the hyper link below. This is a really useful website, created by families, professionals and researchers, which offers tips and advice on brushing teeth, visiting the dentist and healthy eating and drinking.

[Home | toothPASTE Study](#)



Eating and drinking



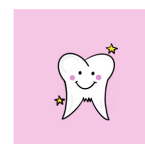
Toothbrushing



Going to the Dentist



One step at a time



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Free registration (worth £45) when you join Kumon Bolton and receive a **£20 voucher** for your school.

Referral code: **KPNWJ3**.

Just mention this offer to the Instructor when enrolling your child.
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*Terms and Conditions apply**

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Learning Links



Digimap®



The School Reading List

Suggested reading books for primary & secondary aged children in the UK



Curriculum Links

