

#### Dear Parents

Welcome back! We hope that everyone has had a good Christmas and we would like to wish a happy New Year to the whole school community. -----**Reception Admissions -**Ш ш ш 111 September 2019 ш ш The online application process ш 111 to register your child for ш Reception 2019 can be found III. at: ш. www.birmingham.gov.uk/school ш admissions. The deadline is ш 15<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Year Two Parents Transfer from Year 2 to Year 3 September 2019 The transfer from year 2 to year 3 online application form

can be found by visiting: www.birmingham.gov.uk/schoola

### <u>dmissions</u>

Letters have been sent home giving information. The deadline is 15th January 2019.

Up to Date MAT information Information can be found at: <u>https://www.boldmere.bham.sch.u</u> <u>k/parents/mat-information</u>



Lunch Time Clubs **Reception - Multiskills** Starts Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks. Year One - Tennis Starts Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks. (Spaces are still available) **Year One- Gymnastics** Starts Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks. Year Two - Tennis Starts Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks. (Spaces are still available) **Year Two- Gymnastics** Starts Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks.

Out of School/Holiday clubs Information about our out of school and holiday clubs and activities can be found in the letter rack by the office.

# DIARY DATES Spring Term 2019: 7<sup>th</sup> January - Professional Development Day- School closed to all pupils 8<sup>th</sup> January - School re-opens

to pupils 13th & 14th February- 4.00-6.30 Parents Evening 15<sup>th</sup> February - Break up for half term 25th February - School reopens to all pupils 6<sup>th</sup> March- 1,30-3,00 Year 1 Inspire Afternoon 7<sup>th</sup> March- 1.30-3.00 Year 2 Inspire Afternoon 12th April- 9.15 Easter Bonnet parade 12<sup>th</sup> April – Break up for Easter holidays Summer Term 2019: 29<sup>th</sup> April - School re-opens to all pupils 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Break up for half term 19<sup>th</sup> July – Break up for

summer holiday

### New Arrival!

- Congratulations to Riley
- (Nursery) and family on the
- birth of Ariella. Welcome to
  - our school family Ariella.



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## Heating Failure/ Severe Weather and School Closure

In the unlikely event of a Local Authority decision to close Birmingham schools, a message will be broadcast through Radio WM, Free Radio and will also be put on the City Council disruption website and social media. In the case of a specific problem such as a heating failure at our school, a decision will be taken in consultation with the Chair of Governors and announced on the aforementioned radio stations. We will also contact parents who are registered with Parentmail via text message and email and information will be displayed on the school website.

# **Busy Bodies**

Welcome back to all our families, we hope you have had a great holiday and looking forward to a bright new term. January fees.

Let us start this New Year off with a great start; January form and fees are due in this FRIDAY 11<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Please ensure your form is handed in on time, so that we can book your children in ready for next week.

## December payments.

If you have not already done so, please ensure that payments for extra December sessions are paid in full by the end of this week, should you have any queries about your child's account please inform the manager.

# 'Come dine with us'

Invitations will be sent out this week to all children who usually have a packed lunch. If your child would like to try a school dinner on Thursday 17th January (Census day), please could you return the form to the school office by Wednesday 16th January. We would like to have the absolute maximum number of children possible having a free school dinner on this day. The funding of dinners for the rest of the year is based on the number of dinners provided on that day and it is really important that we claim all possible funding for Boldmere Infant School, We completely understand that some children and families prefer a packed lunch but would ask for as much support as possible.

## A new addition to our Boldmere School

This week we are pleased to announce the opening of our 'Boldmere Inclusion Base'. We have 4 new children joining the BIB and have already welcomed them into school during lunchtime today.

Miss Parsons has taken on the role of their BIB class teacher and has some lovely activities planned.

Welcome to our school family everyone.

Savantha Kening

Mrs S Kenny Head of School 08/01/2019



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