

Upcoming Events

09.02.2023 - Ofsted Celebration Party
and School closes for half term

19.02.2023 - School opens

23.02.2024 - Coffee Morning for Brian
House.

29.03.2024 Break up for end of term.

15.04.2024 School opens for term.



We would like to wish Mrs Cholmondeley all the best as she starts her maternity leave.

Congratulations

to class 4M for 100% attendance this week.

Whole school attendance is 92.6%



Friday 20th January is the deadline for our cape competition entries. Please make sure your child's entry is returned to school with a £1 entry donation.

Today we raised £256 towards our target of £850. Thank you to everyone who donated.



We would like to welcome Mrs Duckworth who has joined our Family team.

and Miss Kagawala who has joined us as an ATA



We would also like to welcome a new pupil, Tobias in class 2G



**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

ATTENDANCE

It can be tricky deciding whether or not to keep your child off school, nursery or playgroup when they're unwell.

To help you make that choice, please see the government guidelines for schools and nurseries about managing specific infectious diseases at GOV.UK. These say when children should be kept off school and when they shouldn't.

School Uniform

Our Uniform for Primary and Secondary Pupils consists of a

- Navy Jumper or Cardigan with PCA logo,
- Navy polo with PCA logo,
- Black or dark grey trousers, skirt or shorts (Optional for Summer)

It is very useful to have a bag and PCA logo book bags are available to buy from school if your child would like one.

In Year 7 pupils also have the option to wear a black blazer with PCA logo, white shirt and a green and blue tie.

In Year 11 pupils wear a maroon jumper or cardigan.

Sixth Form pupils can wear their own clothes.

Jumpers, cardigans, polos, ties, book bags, and blazer badges can be purchased from the school office. All payments are to be made on Parent pay.

PCA also operate a Uniform Swap Shop where good quality second hand items can be purchased for £1 an item .

Children are expected to wear full school uniform every day. Full PE kits should be in school on PE days. Please check with your child's class teacher when their PE day is.



Shoes

Healthy feet are very important, therefore all children should wear safe, sensible and weather appropriate black shoes. No trainers are to be worn unless it is for a PE lesson. Shoes must be

ALL black.



PE Kits

The PE kit consists of

- A pair of black shorts,
- a red polo shirt with PCA logo,
- a pair of sport socks,
- black pumps or trainers.

Jewellery

Our PCA policy on jewellery is that pupils may wear one single stud in each ear. Necklaces, rings etc should not be worn. Pupils may wear a wristwatch however NOT a apple/smart watches which are linked to a mobile device.

Labeling clothes

Please can all items of uniform are marked with your child's name, using a waterproof pen or sewn-on labels. This is so they can be easily identified.

Swimming

If your child is having swimming lesson or at swimming club they will need a one-piece swimming costume and towel in a named bag.

Star of the Week

1C - Jack for identifying and recognising a flower in Science. Jack, you were even able to repeat the word flower after an adult.

1P - Sterling for completing a fine motor activity with increased attention and engagement.

1S - Sapphire for trying, and enjoying, new experiences outside at lunchtime including the wobbly bridge and trampoline.

1B - Aiden for engaging and focusing on a number of different activities independently.

1H - Jackson for following the PCA Way and settling back into school after the holidays.

2H - Harry for a super week and getting straight back to working hard in lessons.

2M - Leo for a fantastic first swimming lesson.

2B - Leanne for trying really hard in Phonics.

2R - Rio for doing well settling back into school after the holiday.

2G - Charlotte for moving up 3 levels with her reading!

2W - Cameron for having a really settled first week back in school.

2A - Caitlin for teaching her friends new skills and achieving personal goals.



Achiever of the Week

3T - Aamaya for working hard in all of her lessons and being a very kind friend.

3J - Michael for working hard to meet his target this week.

3K - Kelsey for remembering and wearing her glasses all week and for using fantastic adjectives in English.

3S - Kai for his wonderful solo singing in Music this week. We were so proud of his confidence!

3H - Liam for his friendly and positive attitude in class all week!

3R - Rhys for being a brilliant Playground PAL in the Primary department and being helpful in lessons.

3C - Charlie for always going out of her way to help others.

3A - Blake for working super hard and completing his Phonics assessments!

4H - Stuart for his determination and hard work on his Entry Level Writing.

4W - Jordan for great problem solving in D of E.

4S - Mickey for showing more independence when being a class helper this week

4J - All the class for mature attitudes and amazing work the first week back,.

4M - Harry for showing great independence in college this week.

5J - Crystal for trying new foods in home cooking.

5B - Hannah for engaging in lessons with increased confidence.

5I - Aaron for completing his Therapy Dog Training.

5M - Elisha for helping her peers and her enthusiasm for learning.



Classroom News

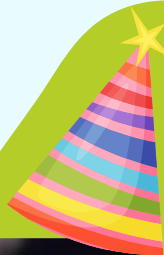
KS1

The pupils in 1P have had a wonderful first week back. Last term we worked really hard on developing our fine motor and mark making skills. Our practice and hard work has really paid off and this week we have seen fantastic progress from all of our pupils when taking part in writing and fine motor activities.



KS2

2G have had a wonderful week back in school with their friends and teachers. They have celebrated a birthday from during the holidays and welcomed a new boy into the class, who has already made lots of new friends. 2G have enjoyed catching up and playing Maths games, as they settled back into the routine of school life. Some children have also completed their physiotherapy exercises.



KS3

As part of their computing work, 3T have been using the Code-a-pillar to experiment with sequences of directions. They had lots of fun watching the Code-a-pillar move how they wanted it to! They had to plan their directions so it did not travel off the table!



KS4



KS5

During Public Services at B&FC we have been exploring different sports & ways to stay fit & healthy. This week we enjoyed learning new hockey skills & ended our session with a game.

