

September 2023

Our Value for this half term: Respect

# Bridport Primary School

Learning today for our tomorrow

St Andrew's Rd, Bridport, Dorset, DT6 3BJ

Dear Parents and Carers,

A very warm welcome back to everyone! The children have made a great start in their new classes, busily working on class charters, values and getting to know each other again. A special welcome to our newest parents (though many of you already know us!).

I'd like to say it was a long, hot summer but the weather is being much kinder to us, now we have all returned! Please could I ask you to remember to pack hats, sun lotion and water while we enjoy the remaining sunshine.

We have a **new school website** that has launched this week. Please bear with us, as we transfer information and ensure all is up to date. We also have a change to our twitter/X feed: we will have one account to follow, rather than separate feeds from each year group. Don't forget to check our facebook page as well.

<https://bridportprimaryschool.co.uk/>

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Please send children in year three upwards in with a healthy snack for breaktime and can I also ask you to double check our school **Uniform** information.

*Please note: stud earrings, watches, religious necklaces may be worn, though this should not be the case on PE days. If children are unable to remove earrings, they must be taped up to avoid injury.*

Thank you for supporting your child in their start to 2023-2024. We look forward to working with you. If you have any questions, concerns or worries, please contact the class teacher in the first instance- you can do this by emailing [office@bridport.dorset.sch.uk](mailto:office@bridport.dorset.sch.uk)

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## Upcoming Events

### September 11

FoBPS New2You Sale @ 3pm

### September 12

Yr 6 WW2 theme day

### September 14

FoBPS AGM - 7pm @ School

### September 22

Yr 6 Cake Stall

### September 27

Beaminster School Open Morning (9-10am)

### October 03

New Parent Tour @ 10am

### October 07

FoBPS BIG GIG

### October 10

New Parent Tour @ 1:45pm

### October 17

New Parent Tour @ 10am

### October 18

Individual Photographs



## More News

### Primary Sports:

It is with sadness that I inform you that Primary Sports are no longer able to trade. Due to significant recruitment issues, they wrote to us last week to give us the bad news. We have enjoyed working with them over the years.

We will look for some alternative solutions, one of which, I am delighted to say, is Lee Cuff joining us for an afternoon a week. You may also see Mr Jackson, as he takes some forest school and cover sessions.

### FOBPS

Our Friend of BPS team do a fantastic job, fundraising for the school. Over the course of the year, they organise cake stalls, discos, New to You second hand uniform sales, fetes and other events. Please do support them if you can. They will be sending out a newsletter with dates on very shortly.

### New School Times

Everyone has adjusted to our new school times brilliantly! School starts at 8.40am and finishes at 3.10pm (gates will open around 10 mins before this). A reminder that if you can park in the Co-op and walk over, this eases congestion around the school considerably.

### Staffing:

We welcome Mr King to our team. Mr King is an experienced teaching assistant, who is very much looking forward to working with our youngest children. Miss Grindley is a student teacher, who will be joining us for the autumn and summer terms.



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### Twitter

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