

Our Vision
At Bushmead, children are empowered to be active, confident learners where they are
inspired to be creative and excel.



Bushmead Primary School

Newsletter

9th September 2022

Our Value for September is **Co-operation**
Our well-being theme this term is **Connecting with Others**

Dear Parents and Carers,



Monday 19th September is a Bank Holiday and school will be closed as a mark of respect to Queen Elizabeth and to observe her funeral. A book of condolence is available in our reception area. Anyone in our community can come and leave a message.

School will resume on Tuesday 20th September.

This week, our all our Reception children have joined us – they have done fantastically well. It is wonderful to have a full school. Thank you to our parents for preparing them so brilliantly. And thank you to our EYFS team for making sure our youngest children have the best start possible.

We are already thinking about 2023/24 and will hold Open Mornings for our new cohort on Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd November at 9.00am. Please join us if you have a child due to start next year and do let others know.

Due to the Bank Holiday our school lunches have changed slightly. Monday's menu will be served on Tuesday and Tuesday's menu will be served on Wednesday. Thursday and Friday are as planned. Also due to our shorter week we are postponing maths week until later in the half term. We have so much to fit in we need a full five days!

My regular reminder to families to park considerately at drop off and pick up goes out! We have cars on and blocking drives as well as on yellow and zigzagged lines. We are telling our neighbours to photograph offenders and report them to [Fix My Street](#) or, if dangerous, the police. **Please park safely a little further away.**

Upcoming dates - Please see our website [calendar](#)

- Yr 6 to Conover Hall 26th – 30th September
- Yr 5 Wardown Park trips 27th or 28th September
- Parent course – Supporting your Anxious Child 4th & 11th & 18th October
- Flu Vaccinations – 13th October
- Parent Teacher Consultations - 17th & 19th October
- Safeguarding Training Day (school closed to children) – Friday 21st October
- Yr 6 to Conover Hall 26th – 30th September
- Half Term 24th – 28th October

Joanne Travi
Headteacher

