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Bells Farm Primary School
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Tel: 0121 675 8666
Headteacher: Miss T Williams

Behaviour for Learning: Pride
Value Word: Responsibility

Dear Parent / Carer,

Attendance

Here are our attendance figures for each class:

Swans – 99%

Puffins – 92%

Toucans – 86%

Bluebirds – 96%

Robins – 96%

Kestrels – 95%

Eagles – 98%

Well done Swans! We now owe them two Classopoly rolls when they attend their first Star Assembly. Eagles won a roll for being the next highest attenders.

Star Assembly

This week was our very first star assembly of the year and I really enjoyed seeing the children, families and staff this morning celebrating these wonderful children:

Y6 – Khayri and Isabel

Y5 – Elena and Rohalia

Y4 – Henry and Annie

Y3 – Tina and Freddie

Y2 – Kady and Raphael

Y1 – Mya and Sanav

This week's Star of the School was Jonah from Year 6 for being positive and enthusiastic learner!

Well done to all of these fantastic children for setting excellent examples of our learning behaviours.

Harvest

Year 5 will be delivering a Harvest assembly for the school (and their parents) on Monday 6th October at 3:00. As part of this, we would like to ask that you send in food donations for collection. This will be donated to The Spearhead Trust at Bells Farm Community Centre later in the day. These donations can be brought to school on Monday morning. Anything in date is acceptable – fresh, tinned or packets. Every little helps!

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Parking

I have received further complaints from residents living in Bells Farm close regarding parents blocking the entrance to their road and their personal driveways. One lady explained the close is filled with elderly residents who need to have access to the road ways for potential medical emergencies. She was very concerned that something serious may happen and assistance would not be able to get through. Not only that, it is extremely inconvenient for people who may also be trying to leave their own homes.

I would like to remind you not to park **for any length of time** at the front of school. I would ask that you respect this request and make alternative arrangements if you drive to school. There is ample room to park and drop on Brockworth Road.

I would really appreciate your cooperation with this matter.

Parents' Evening

The letter for parents' evening will be sent home on Monday. This will be a paper letter requiring you to tick a box for your preferred time slot. We will try to accommodate siblings together but would strongly suggest that you fill in these forms as soon as possible if you have more than one child in school. You must complete a form **for each child**.

You will be given the opportunity to look at your child's books before having a conversation with their teacher. This will enable you to see the positive work your child has done and as well as facilitating the conversation. Parents' evening will take place on Wednesday 22nd October from 1:00 – 7:00pm. We look forward to welcoming you into school on this date.

Reminders

- Please remember to return your 'Free school meals' letter.
- Children must not be left to wait in the playground or outside the front of school unattended. Parents must wait with them and supervise until doors open at 8:50.
- Year 6 children who may normally walk home after school, will not be permitted to do so if they attend a club.

Kind regards,
Miss Williams
Headteacher

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Dates for your Diary

* Please note – changes and additions are highlighted

Monday 29 th September	Reception Early Reading and Phonics Workshop	Letter sent
Monday 6 th October	Y1 Early Reading and Phonics Workshop Y5 class assembly	Letter sent 3:00 in school hall
Tuesday 7 th October	Whole school flu (nasal)	Letter sent
Monday 13 th October	Year 6 Maths Workshop	Details to follow
Wednesday 22 nd October	Parents' Evening	Details to follow
Friday 24 th October	Non-uniform day in support of Operation Santa	Details to follow
Thursday 6 th November	New Reception Open Day (2026 cohort)	10:00 and 5:00
Friday 7 th November	New Reception Open Day (2026 cohort)	10:00
Monday 10 th November	Year 4 Maths Workshop	Details to follow
Tuesday 11 th November	Individual photos SEND Coffee Morning	Details to follow
Monday 17 th November	Reception Maths Workshop	Details to follow
Monday 24 th November	Year 3 Maths Workshop	Details to follow
Monday 1 st December	Year 2 Maths Workshop	Details to follow
Monday 8 th December	Year 5 Maths Workshop	Details to follow
Wednesday 17 th December	Pantomime in school	Details to follow

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