

NEWSLETTER



Issue No. 15

September 2020

Message from the Headteacher

I can't believe that we have already reached the third week of the Autumn term! The children have settled quite happily into their new routines, sitting in rows, staggered breaktimes and lunchtimes and maintaining social distancing around the school.

I do want to once again say a massive thank you to you all for your patience and support with our new lining up procedures which after trying and testing various methods, seems to now be working very well. We really appreciate your understanding and support in order to keep our school community safe.

Well done to those pupils who are coming to school with the correct PE kit on the correct days. Children should continue to come to school with their own pencil cases (which must be left at school) and named water bottles. Please note that children DO NOT need their book bags so please leave these at home.

I would like to give a very warm welcome to our new Nursery and Reception children who will be starting with us over the next couple of weeks. The children came in last week for their Stay and Play sessions and it was lovely to meet them and their parents.

This week also starts with the launch of our new Wraparound Club (Breakfast and After School Club) which we are very excited about. It is important that you register your child by clicking on the following link as children will not be permitted on an ad hoc basis <https://forms.gle/9Sgne8y4xs58GSR56>

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Should a parent or child develop Covid-19 symptoms and are tested over a weekend you MUST contact the school to let them know if you have tested positive. Please use the email address below so the relevant measures can be taken should closure need to take place, and to safeguard the rest of the school community.

covid19response@bushhillpark.enfield.sch.uk

PE DAYS—REMINDER

Year 1	Mondays and Fridays
Year 2	Mondays and Thursdays
Year 3	Tuesdays
Year 4	Thursdays
Year 5	Wednesdays
Year 6	Wednesdays
Reception Classes — from 12th October	
Ruby Class	Mondays and Fridays
Scarlet Class	Wednesdays and Fridays

Year group	Drop-offs and Pick-ups	Start Time	Finish time
Rec.	Annexe Gate in Main Avenue	8.45am	3.00pm
Yr 1	Annexe Gate in Main Avenue	9.00am	3.15pm
Yr 2	Green Gate in Ermine Side	8.45am	3.00pm
Yr 3	Black Gate in Ermine Side	8.45am	3.00pm
Yr 4	Black Gate in Ermine Side	9.00am	3.15pm
Yr 5	Green Gate in Ermine Side	8.30am	2.45pm
Yr 6	Black Gate in Ermine Side	8.30am	2.45pm

YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOU!

Would you like to help make Bush Hill Park School the very best it can be? If so, becoming a parent governor might be something you'd like to do. At the moment we have one vacancy for a Parent Governor. Please write to the Headteacher or email office@bushhillpark.enfield.sch.uk by Friday 25th September.

PLEASE NOTE

On our school website please refer to the section entitled '**WE'RE HERE FOR YOU**' for all relevant information related to COVID-19.

Term Dates for 2020–2021

AUTUMN TERM 2020
INSET Days Thursday 3 rd September Friday 4 th September
School starts Monday 7 th September
Half Term 26 th – 30 th October
Term ends Thursday 17 th December at 1.30pm
INSET Day Friday 18 th December

SPRING TERM 2021
School starts Monday 4 th January
Half Term 15 th – 19 th February
School starts Monday 22 nd February
Term ends Thursday 1 st April at 1.30pm

SUMMER TERM 2021
School starts Monday 19 th April
Bank Holiday Monday 3 rd May
Term ends Thursday 27 th May
Half Term 28 th May – 4 th June
School starts Monday 7 th June
Whole School Sports Day Thursday 24 th June
INSET Day Friday 25 th June
Term ends Friday 23 rd July at 1.30pm