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School News

A message from Mrs. Denham

Welcome back to school. We hope you all managed to have a lovely summer holiday and were able to see family and friends. Now that the majority of COVID restrictions have been lifted we are trying to get school back to as normal as possible. We are so pleased that the Y5/6 residential to St George's House is going ahead in October, gymnastics will be resuming in a couple of weeks and other trips and visits are being organised.

Children will still be hand washing regularly and using hand sanitiser.

Please inform us before 9.15am if you need to keep your child off school if they are poorly.

As we have several children with a severe nut allergy in school, can we please ask that children DO NOT bring any food products containing nuts into school e.g. peanut butter sandwiches, flapjacks containing nuts, Nutella products, cereal bars containing nuts and so on.

At the start of the school day children in Class Bray and Lyn will need to be ready to enter school at 8.50am please. **No later please as registration** is at 8.50am

- Children in Class Bray to line up outside their classroom
- Children in Class Lyn will be met by a member of staff on the bottom playground
- Children in Classes Taw and Torridge will be met on the bottom playground by their class teacher. If possible, please can they now arrive at school at a slightly earlier time of 8.45am, so that the children will be in school ready for registration at 8.50am.

At the end of the day, all children will leave school at 3.15pm as normal. However, if you have a child in Class Bray who have siblings in other classes, they may be collected from Class Bray at 3.10pm, to enable parents to go to the main playground to meet their child/children.

Although we are trying to get back to things as normal as possible, we kindly request that parents still socially distance and to wear a mask should they wish to do so.

PE

Children will still wear PE clothes to school on their allocated PE day.

Bray Class	Wednesday
Lyn Class	Wednesday & Thursday
Taw Class	Wednesday & Thursday
Torridge Class	Wednesday & Thursday

As some of the PE lessons will take place on the school field, please ensure your child has a spare pair of socks in school. The Year 6 children (Class Torridge) may bring in a change of top to change into.

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Now that we are in the Autumn term and the weather is unpredictable. Please can you ensure that your child comes to school with a coat. Can you also please name your child's uniform; this will help tremendously when trying to find the owners of lost uniform.

Appledore Book Festival – Author visit and how to order a book for signing by Joshua Seigal.

Please see the letter attached to the email about the books available to purchase. Books **MUST BE ORDERED** via ParentPay by **midnight on Monday 13th September**.

Gymnastics – Falcons (Taw class)

A letter will be sent home shortly regarding gymnastics for Taw class. These sessions are due to start on Tuesday 21st September.

Bratton Fleming School is a NO NUT Zone

Dates for your diary

5th October 2021
11th to 15th October 2021
22nd October 2021
25th to 29th October 2021
9th November 2021
17th December 2021
20th December to 3rd January 2022
4th January 2022
21st to 25th February 2022
8th April 2022
11th April to 22nd April 2022
25th April 2022
2nd May 2022
30th May to 3rd June 2022
22nd July 2022

Year 3, 4, 5, 6, Pilton Cross Country
Residential St George's House Year 5&6
Non Pupil Day
Half Term
Tempest Photographer
Last day of Autumn Term
Christmas Holidays
Children return to school
Half Term
Last Day of Spring Term
Easter Holidays
Children return to school
Bank Holiday
Half Term
Last day of Summer Term

Community News

Bratton Fleming Pre-School

Welcome back to a brand new term!! We've had a really busy first week back at Pre School welcoming everyone back and meeting some new friends. Everyone has settled in really well and it's been great to see how excited everyone was to join in with the activities too. We've been busy making the most of our outside space playing racing games, making delicious meals with the kitchen and dancing in the rain. Inside we have been busy drawing, practising our scissor skills and building homes for the animals. We've spent time chilling in the book corner and building large train tracks to take people away on their holidays. The children have all been really excited to share their Summer holiday news and it's been great to hear all of their adventures. We are looking forward for a super busy term learning about the Autumn changes along the way!

Some exciting news to share with everyone is that the Baby and Toddler group will return from next week! The group will now run on Thursdays 930am - 1130am!

Bratton Fleming Market

To be held in Bratton Fleming Village Hall on Saturday 25th September, 23rd October, 27th November and 18th December, from 9:00am to 12 noon. Please see flyer attached.