

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a busy fortnight we have had here at Burfield! Reception and Year 3 have recently been on their school trips and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the experiences the days offered. We want to thank all the parents and carers who have supported us and been able to attend these trips with us. The Year 1 and Year 2 trips are due to take place in July and we know everyone is looking forward to these.

Many of you have been asking about our orchard and allotment project and the plans we have for these areas. We are currently in the process of getting the area cut back and maintained so that the fantastic work carried out so far this year can continue as we had planned. Next year we would love all the children to be able to access this regularly and take pride in cultivating and looking after a range of plants and foods. If you have any time available to support with this please speak to Miss Hadfield. We are hoping to organise another ground force day before the summer holidays and any help that you can offer would be greatly appreciated as always.

As you know we have a drop in session planned for Monday 24th June at 8.45am to discuss the issues we are facing in our drop off zone as the school continues to grow. We look forward to seeing you there and hearing your feedback. Please can we remind you that children should dismount from bikes and scooters as they enter the school grounds and walk these to the allocated parking bays.

Have a great weekend,
Mrs Hughes

Job vacancies

We are currently advertising roles for Teaching Assistants and Midday Supervisors at Burfield Academy.
Both roles are advertised on the academy website
<https://burfieldacademy.org/vacancies/> so please take a look.
If you would like more information please contact the school office.

Celebrations!

Platinum Awards: Phoebe, Evie, Darcey G, Gracie, Jessica, Alfie, Mason, Charlotte, Damian

Gold Awards

Nursery: Bronagh, Maisie, Koba

Reception:

Year 1: Jack S, Peyton, Grace, Ruby, Jacob

Year 2: Poppi-Mai, Riley D-H, Ashton, Hunee-Rose, Bella, Finley, Billy

Year 3: Paris, Mason, Alfie, Tia, Justin, Alistair, Zac, Charlie H, Caitlin, Jack O

This term we will be holding our Celebration Assembly on Friday mornings at 9am. Parents and carers of the children who achieve the platinum award are invited to celebrate with us at the next Celebration Assembly.

Each week we also welcome parents/ carers into our weekly celebration assembly to share a special celebration with the children who are chosen to receive a certificate for their effort/ attainment in maths, English, subject work or for the demonstration of one of our PUPAC values.



Diary Dates

Term 5

Monday 24th June— 8.45am Parking drop-in session with Mrs Hughes

Friday 5th July—Sports Day afternoon— a letter with all the details will be coming home shortly

Tuesday 9th July 2019— Year 2 trip to the Amex Stadium in Brighton

Friday 12th July—Summer Fair

Wednesday 17th July—Year 1 trip to Towner Art Gallery in Eastbourne

Tuesday 23rd July—Last day of the school year

2019-2020

Term 1

Wednesday 4th September—INSET Day

Thursday 5th September—Term 1 starts

Friday 25th October— Last day of term 1

Monday 28th October—Friday 1st November HALF TERM

Monday 4th November - Term 2 starts

Friday 20th December—Last day term 2

Monday 6th January 2020—INSET day

Tuesday 7th January—Term 3 starts

2019-2020 term dates are also available on the school website

Attendance updates

Whole school academy target: 96%

Whole school attendance Monday 3rd June—Friday 14th June: 94.92%

Whole school attendance this year to date: 94.37%

Nursery: 93.23%

Reception: 92.59%

Year 1: 95.59%

Year 2: 94.87%

Year 3: 97.74%

Friends of Burfield Academy updates



Our Summer Fair will be taking place on Friday 12th July.

We would be very grateful if anyone is willing to help with manning a stall.

We would also be grateful for donations for our raffle.

We look forward to seeing you there!