



BARNINGHAM CEVC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Our focus value for our **Collective Worship** this half term is **peace & harmony** and our **Keeping Children Safe in School** theme is **Stay Alert and Stay Safe**.

I am writing from the eerie silence of an empty school as we prepare for some of your children to return today. The staff, governors and I all hope that you have Stayed Safe and kept well so far through the COVID-19 pandemic. It has been a period of change, uncertainty and challenge. We have been open throughout the time, including the Easter holidays, caring for our children of the Key Workers. Teachers have worked hard in preparing home-school packs which we hope that you have found helpful. The work will continue to be set until mid-July. The teachers are also writing the Annual School Reports. These will reflect where the children were in mid-March. This week we welcome the Key Worker children (who will be based in the Badger classroom) alongside our EYFS, Y1 and Y6 children. Some parents and carers have chosen to send their children, others not. The choice is yours. Our responsibility is to continue to offer support and guidance to all of the children. The school looks and feels different: 2m lines; Individual standing spaces; desks not carpet; no collective worship or gatherings as a whole; staggered start, play, lunch and end times; but the staff are positive and prepared; We cannot provide water cups or fruit. Questions that we have been asked include Y6 – hoodies, transition to secondary school, leaving do...? Unknown, but not forgotten? Transition for new children and class teachers? Being discussed as a staff.



Breakfast Club, which opens at 7.45 every morning and costs just £4 per session, payable when you drop off is for Key Worker children only – Monday to Wednesday. **Julie**

After School Club is open for Monday to Wednesday nights a week until 4:30 for Key Worker children only. You pay £4 until 4:30. **Paige**



Lunch and Key Dates for your diary:

Friday 17 July – last day for the children

Tuesday 01 and Wednesday 02 September PD days – no children – staff training.

Thursday 03 Children back ... we hope



<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool/> . Not far away and not forgotten. Sheree Morris, Chair

Julie



A note from the Governors: We hope that you are all keeping well.

Surridge, Chair of Governors. barninghamgovernors+julie@gmail.com.

Why not look on our **school website** (www.barningham.suffolk.sch.uk) for more information, newsletters, policies and some fantastic photos?

Frances Parr Head Teacher

To learn, aspire, believe and hope through our Christian faith.

Barningham CEVC Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all children. The Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mrs Parr, the Alternate

Designated Person is Mrs Pipe and the Governor with responsibility for Safeguarding is Rev Cathy Bladen.

The Online Safety Lead is Mrs Smithson and the Governor with Responsibility for Online Safety is Rev Cathy Bladen.



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