



BARNINGHAM CEVC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Our focus for Collective Worship this half term is **Wisdom**.



Thank you to everybody who has already completed and **returned the Data sheets**. The requirement for up to date contact details is obviously essential in these COVID-19 times. Thank you, too, for the early phone calls re: sick children. We appreciate that the beginning of each term brings new bugs and colds. If anybody is unwell we will be sending them home to recover. Please support us in this process.

For two days we have builders underpinning the Badger wall, so please note that the path will be out of access for Tuesday and Wednesday this week. Please use the staff car park entrance, unless you are using Breakfast or After School Club or wish to visit the school office.

House Points:

Blue 55 Yellow 73 Red 77



Achievement Awards for 21.09.20:

Rabbits – For fantastic participation in PE and his good listening

Squirrels – For trying so hard with her maths

Badgers – For being kind and helping others whilst being dedicated to her work

Owls – For excellent effort in his maths lessons.



Rabbits are talking about what makes us all unique.



The **Squirrel Class** will be creating portraits in the cubist style.



Welcome to **Badger Class**, where we will looking at how well our plants are growing in science.



Owls are studying a new book in English – *The Lion and the Unicorn* – and practising addition and subtraction in maths.



Breakfast Club, which opens at 7.45 every morning and costs just £4 per session, **payable when you drop off** please. Our theme this half term is Rainforests for our crafts. **Julie and Paige**



After School Club is open for five nights a week until 4:30 and it is £4 a session. We provide a snack, games and friendship – all from the safe distance of our class bubbles - and I'd love to see you there! Please book in advance through the school office. **Paige**



Lunch and Key Dates for your diary:

Monday 28 September: Harvest Week in school

Tuesday 06 October: Y6 to TCC for team building activities - **cancelled**

Thursday 15 October: Individual photos

Friday 23 October: PD Day – no children in school

Monday 26 October: Half Term

Mondays 02, 09 & 16 November: 3:30 – 5:00 Parents' Evening

Thursday 05 November: Bonfire lunch

Monday 16 November: 3:30 – 4:15 New to EYFS September 2021 event

Friday 18 December: Last day

Monday 04 January 2021: Children back in school

Friday 12 February: Last day

Monday 15 February: Half Term

Monday 22 February: Children back in school

Wednesday 10 March – Friday 12 March – Owl class Kingswood Outdoor Learning

Friday 26 March: Last day

Monday 12 April: Children back in school

Monday 31 May: Half Term

Monday 07 June: Children back in school

Friday 16 July: Last day for children



This year we are planning to hold a class **Harvest Festival** in each class during the week commencing **Monday 28 September**. We would ask each child to donate some items for the Food Bank please.

This Evening. to reflect October.



term class teaches will ring all parents and carers for a 10 minute discussion for Parents' This will provide an overview of how your child is progressing this year as well as an opportunity on how well they have settled into the new class. Lists will be available from Monday 12



<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool/> . Today in your child(ren)'s book bags there are details of our 5p challenge fundraiser. A bottle has been placed in each classroom and we ask the class to fill it with 5 pence pieces. The first class to fill the bottle will be awarded a prize; the remainder of the money will be put towards fundraising projects the Friends of Barningham School are working on (currently a new bike shed). Children will be allowed time to add their 5p coins when they arrive each morning. A member of the Friends team will check the bottles each week to give everyone an update on how the classes are doing and who might be in the lead. It would be great if you could join us in this challenge and help us raise funds for the school. Sheree Morris



A note from the Governors: Note from the Governors: the selection panel have completed their initial interviews for the Head Teacher position and as a result have decided to re-advertise. We are expecting to interview again in mid-October and will keep you informed. Julie Surridge, Chair of Governors. **We have vacancies for both a foundation governor and a co-opted governor to join our team, so if you have skills you would like to offer to the governing body please get in touch with me at 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? We regularly post news on the blog page and class teachers will let you know what is happening in school.

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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