



LATEST NEWS

20TH OCTOBER 2023

REMINDERS

Half Term

Monday 23rd - Friday 27th October



Individual Photographs

Wednesday 15th November



ENVIRONMENT WEEK



This week, we have been exploring different environmental issues. Thank you to all the staff for planning some fantastic activities for the children. It has been great seeing and hearing how passionate the children are when talking about how we can all help to make a change. Today, we came together for a series of 'Sharing Assemblies', where classes spoke about their work and the changes they would like to see happen. The work produced was excellent and included posters, pledges, acrostic poems, rhymes and reusable bags made from old t-shirts. All the assemblies ended with an environment song that the classes had learnt during the week. Well done everybody!



YEAR 6 SCHOOL JOURNEY



A large group of our Year 6 children will soon be heading off on their residential trip to a PGL activity centre. They are all getting very excited about their week away and are looking forward to taking part in a range of outdoor adventurous activities. Fingers crossed for good weather!

We will aim to have a daily update, including photos, for you through the news section of the Bowes website. Our X (formerly Twitter) account will also be updated throughout the week. If you were unable to attend the Year 6 School Journey parent meetings last week, the presentation can be viewed here.



BIKEABILITY

Well done to all the children who took part in Bikeability training this week. This is a nationally recognised cycle training programme designed to support children in becoming more competent cyclists. They all had great fun cycling around the playground and have a better understanding of how to cycle safely. Thank you to the Enfield Cycle Confident instructors for delivering this valuable training.



SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

A reminder that the deadline for Secondary School applications is 31st October 2023. All applications must be submitted online at eAdmissions.



Applications received after this date will be treated as late applications. Please visit our Secondary Transfer 2024 section on the Bowes website for lots of useful information.



FOOTBALL NEWS



Well done to the Girls Football Team who played their first two games of their campaign this week. The girls played good attacking football and were unlucky to draw both of their games (1-1 with Hazelwood and 0-0 with St Monica's) as they created lots of chances to score. A big thank you to everyone who went along to support and thank you to Sam.K for coaching the girls and to Andreas and Pareen for accompanying the girls to the fixtures.

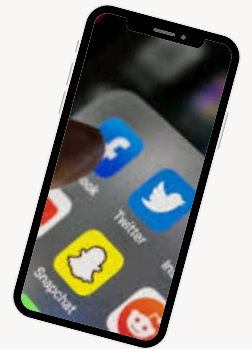


KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE



The internet is an amazing source of information. Children can play, learn, create and connect - opening up a whole world of exciting possibilities. But how do you keep track of what they are doing online and make sure they are staying safe?

The NSPCC has an [Online Safety: top tips](#) flyer which has lots of information and advice to help support you and your child. Please take a look [here!](#)



DIARY DATES 2023/24

23rd – 27th Oct	Half Term
6th – 10th Nov	Year 6 School Journey
15th Nov 2023	Individual Photographs
23rd & 24th Nov	Year 6 Assemblies, 9:10am (Allocated places)
27th Nov 2023	INSET – SCHOOL CLOSED
20th Dec 2023	School Ends
8th Jan 2024	School Starts
29th Jan 2024	INSET – SCHOOL CLOSED
12th – 16th Feb	Half Term
28th Mar 2024	School Ends
15th Apr 2024	School Starts
6th May 2024	BANK HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
27th – 31st May	Half Term
24th Jun 2024	INSET – SCHOOL CLOSED
23rd Jul 2024	School Ends
24th Jul 2024	INSET – SCHOOL CLOSED

HALF TERM

We hope you all have a lovely break next week and look forward to seeing everyone back at school on Monday 30th October.

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Friends of Bowes Newsletter



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KEY DATES:

FRIDAY 20 OCT
HALF-TERM DONUT
SALE

6 NOV (6PM)
FOB VIRTUAL AGM

FRI 17 NOV
RECEPTION BAKE
SALE

FRI 15 DEC
YEAR 2 BAKE SALE

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if you would like to get involved.



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THE PLAYGROUND!

