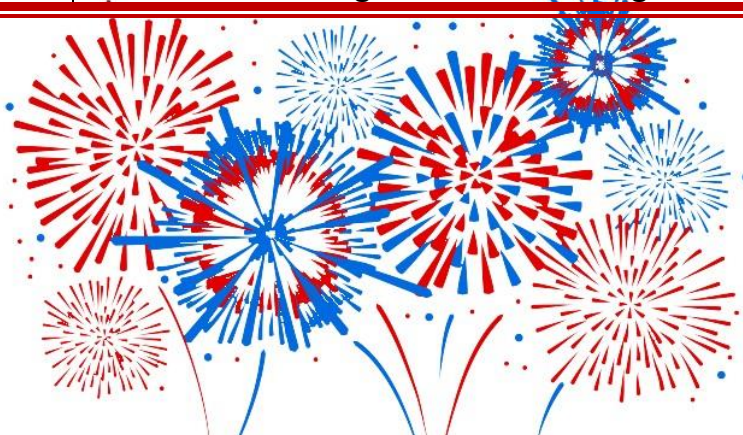


CALENDAR DATES 2023

6th NOVEMBER	INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL PHOTOS
8th NOVEMBER 9am to 10am	BEAUDESERT SLEEP SHOW – NON UNIFORM Children to come to school in their PJ's - see details below
10th NOVEMBER 2pm	GRANDPARENTS AFTERNOON TEA – letter sent 17.10.23 Letters sent to advise of places offered 31.10.23
14th NOVEMBER	EARLY YEARS VISION SCREENING – letter emailed 17.10.23
16th NOVEMBER 9:00am to 9:45am 6:00pm to 6:45pm	PARENTS FORUM - details to follow Morning session held in the school hall & evening will be virtual
17th NOVEMBER	CHILDREN IN NEED DAY – NON UNIFORM - see details below
21st NOVEMBER 9:30am & 1:30pm	OPEN DAY 2 – NEW STARTERS 2024
22nd NOVEMBER 8:45am to 9:15am 6:00pm to 6:30pm	YEAR 2 PHONICS & READING WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS/CARERS – details to follow Morning session held in the school hall & evening will be virtual
24th NOVEMBER	PTA BRING SOME CHOCOLATE DAY – NON UNIFORM Details to follow
27th NOVEMBER	YEAR 3 ROMAN DAY – details sent out 20.10.23
1st DECEMBER	PTA BRING A BOTTLE DAY – NON UNIFORM – details to follow
6th DECEMBER	YEAR 4 EGYPTIAN DAY – details to follow
8th DECEMBER 3:00pm to 4:30pm	PTA CHRISTMAS FAYRE – details to follow
12th DECEMBER 9am & 2pm	EARLY YEARS CHRISTMAS NATIVITY – details to follow
13th DECEMBER	FLU IMMUNISATION – WHOLE SCHOOL – details to follow
13th DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS LUNCH & JUMPER DAY – details to follow
14th DECEMBER	CHRISTMAS PARTY DAY – WHOLE SCHOOL – details to follow
20th DECEMBER 12:00pm to 12:30pm	FANTASTIC FINISH! - Parents/carers invited to come and see the children's learning then children to go home



Beaudesert Sleep Show
Wednesday 8th November 2023
9am to 10am

Harley Ladbury from CAMHS will be holding a sleep workshop on how to support your child's sleep patterns and encourage healthy sleep.

Children from every class will be performing a variety of skits, poems and songs based around asleep.

This is a new event that every parent/carer needs to see!

All children are to come to school in their PJ's (sensible shoes/trainers)



Please note all parents/carers attending will need to stay for the duration of the workshop.

Challenge Champions Last Week



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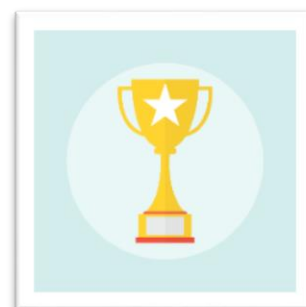
1M: Elijah

3J: Scarlett

LYNX: Tymon

1Y: Frankie

4P: Toby



Message from Leighton Linslade Helpers.....

Thank you so much for the donations of food you collected from your Harvest Festival.

The 539 items will go a long way to providing the essentials needed for making up our next food parcels. These will be given to those living in Leighton Linslade and surrounding villages, that are struggling to afford to feed themselves and their families.

Your support is much appreciated.

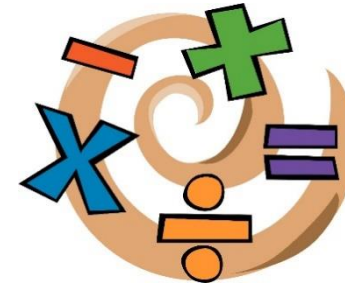
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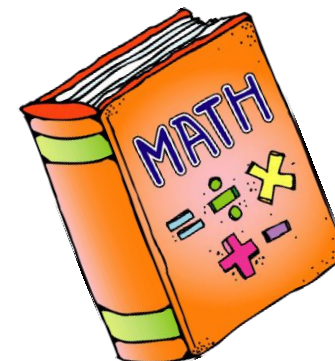
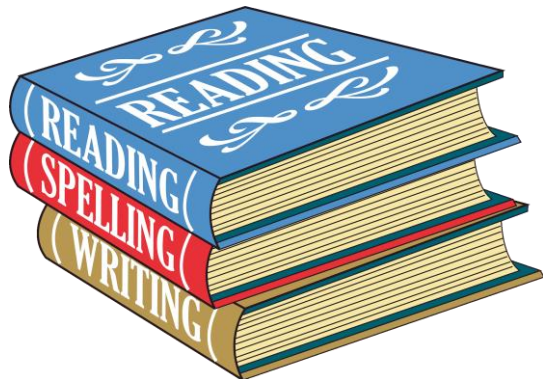
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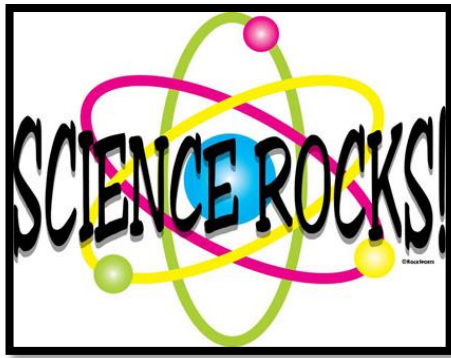


English Champion of the Week
20th October 2023



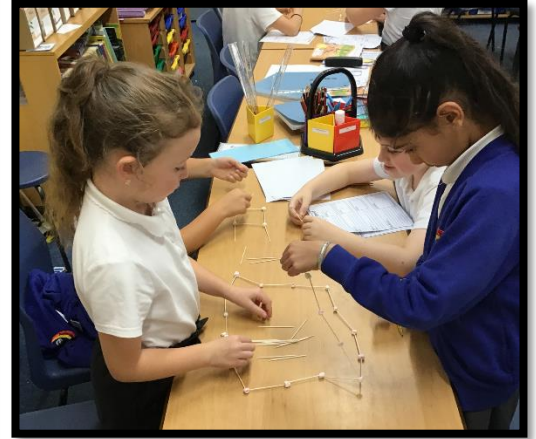
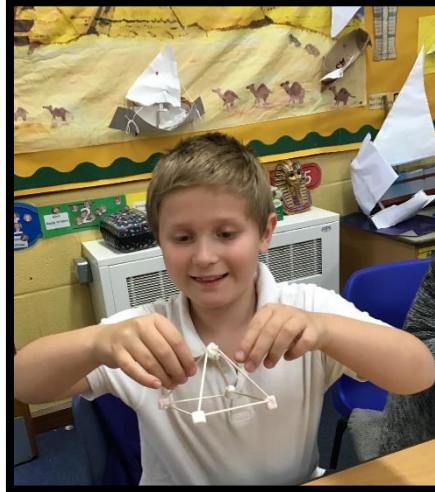
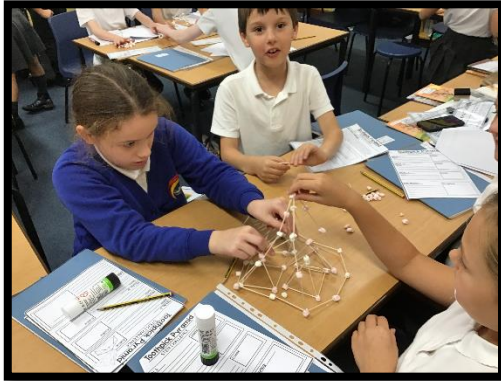
Maths Champion of the Week
20th October 2023





Year 4P Science

For their activity, they created pyramid structures (linked to their topic theme) out of toothpicks and marshmallows. They discovered that a triangle was the strongest shape!



Children in Need - 17th November 2023



Every year we raise money for Children in Need and this year will be no exception! We will be having a non-uniform day so the children can come to school wearing something spotty, if possible. We will also be playing lots of games with the children during the day, that they will need to pay 10p to join in with, so please could parents send their children into school with some small change in a named envelope or purse.

If you wish to make a donation, please click on the below link:

<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=12230>

Thank you for your continued support with our fundraising activities.

EARLY YEARS SCIENCE DAY – MAKING BREAD

Early Years were busy making bread in their science lesson last term.

They learnt that George Washington was not just America's first president; he was also one of the nation's first large scale wheat farmers!





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Leaflets will be sent home 3.11.23

Workshop for parents/carers:

Understanding Emotions and Behaviour of Children that are Neurodiverse (Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities)

Please see page 2 for dates and booking information

Children centres provide a friendly service to families with children ages 0-12 years

The workshop is suitable for parents/carers of children aged 0-12 with emerging needs, on the pathway to assessment, have a diagnosed condition and/or identified special educational need.

The workshop will cover:

*Brain development
Understanding anger
Self-regulation and co-regulation
Strategies to support behaviours that challenge*

The workshop will be run by the Early Years SEND Advisory Team and children Centre staff



Please contact Dunstable children centre on 0300 300 8104/ 0300 300 8106

Anum.Malik@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk or Jade.Keyte@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk

Face to face workshop at Dunstable children centre (Downside)

- *Thursday 12th October 2023, 9.30 am to 12.30 noon (unfortunately no children can attend)- contact Anum to book*

Online via Microsoft teams

- *Tuesday 31st October 2023, 12.30- 2.30 pm- contact Jade to book*
- *Wednesday 8th November 2023 4.00 pm- 6.00 pm- contact Jade to book*

New date added

Face to face workshop at Flitwick children centre

Thursday 7th December 2023, 9.15 am- 12.45 noon- contact Jade to book

Please provide the following information when booking

Your full name

telephone number

The town you live in

age of child

Area of need/concerns regarding development

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parent/ carer workshops

FREE

Autism & Sensory Processing

A virtual course explaining the relationship between autism and sensory processing differences, in autistic people of all ages.

Thurs 23rd Nov 23
10am-1pm
or
Thurs 18th Apr 24
10am-1pm

For families
living in
Milton
Keynes and
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☎ 01234 214871

✉ enquiries@autismbeds.org

parent/ carer workshops

FREE

Autism, Anxiety & Behaviour

A virtual course providing information about the underpinning causes of differing behaviours in autistic individuals of all ages and how they may best be supported

Thurs 11th Jan 24
10am-1pm
or
Fri 26th Apr 24
6pm-9pm

For families
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parent/ carer workshops **FREE**

Autism & Demand Avoidance

A virtual course to increase understanding of the demand avoidant presentation of autism, with advice on how to support those with this challenge

Tues 28th Nov 23
10am-1pm
or
Tues 16th Jan 24
10am-1pm

For families living in Milton Keynes and Bedfordshire

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Autism Workshop

See Autism Bedfordshire's website for more details on course content

AUTUMN 2023

23/11/23	Autism & Sensory Processing	10am-1pm
28/11/23	Autism & Demand Avoidance	10am-1pm

SPRING 2024

11/1/24	Autism & Behaviour	10am-1pm
16/1/24	Autism & Demand Avoidance	10am-1pm
16/2/24	Autism, Women & Girls	6pm-9pm
27/2/24	Autism & Eating Disorders	10am-1pm
14/3/24	Autism & Mental Health	6pm-9pm

SUMMER 2024

18/4/24	Autism & Sensory Processing	10am-1pm
26/4/24	Autism & Behaviour	6pm-9pm
1/5/24	Autism, Women & Girls	10am-1pm
7/5/24	Autism & Eating Disorders	6pm-9pm
6/6/24	Autism & Mental Health	10am-1pm

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Women, Girls & Autism

A course providing an understanding of how autism may present in a more internalised way in females (and some males)

Fri 16th Feb 24
6pm-9pm
or
Weds 1st May 24
10am-1pm

For families living in Milton Keynes and Bedfordshire

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Autism & Eating Disorders

A virtual course to understand the complicated relationship autistic individuals may have with food and eating, due to both sensory processing and thinking differences

Tues 27th Feb 24
10am-1pm
or
Tues 7th May 24
6pm-9pm

For families living in Milton Keynes and Bedfordshire

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parent/ carer workshops

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Autism & Mental Health

A virtual course explaining the impact of poor mental health on autistic individuals and those who have co-existing mental health conditions and/or dual diagnoses

Thurs 14th Mar 24

6pm-9pm

or

Thurs 6th June 24

10am-1pm

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Thank you to all parents/carers who continue to show (reciprocated) courtesy and kindness in their interactions with school staff.

This notice is a reminder that any aggressive, rude or abusive behaviour will not be tolerated. Whether in person or on the phone, contact will be terminated immediately.

Start & Finish Times for September 2023

Year	Start time	Finish time
Years 3 & 4	8.40am	3.00pm
Years 1 & 2	8.40am	3.00pm
Reception	8:40am	3:00pm

PLEASE FOLLOW THE WAY SYSTEM AROUND THE SCHOOL, EVEN IF THIS MEANS YOU WALKING BACK AROUND THE BUILDING FOR A 2ND LAP.

Face Coverings

Please note, wearing masks on school site will now be optional.



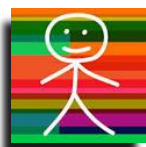
Change of contact details/address

If you have changed your address or phone number recently, please let the school office know your new details. Thank you.



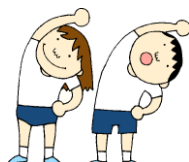
Absences/lateness

Can all parents ensure that all absences are reported to the School Office by 9.30am on the day of absence. It is also very important for the school to know if your child is sick, or if they have a medical appointment. If your child arrives into school late (after 8.45am), Parents are asked to please bring their child to the school office.



School App

We now have a school app. It is available to download free from the App Store on any mobile device. Search for 'mySchoolApp'. Please be sure to download the app onto your phone as it will be our main method of communicating via text with Parents.



PE Kit

September 2023 – Please can all children bring in their PE kits at the beginning of the week so they can change into them during school time on their nominated days.



School Lunches

Ordering and paying for school lunches is now done on www.parentpay.com. Parents should have received letters that features login details. Please order all school lunches by Thursday for the following week. If you have any queries, please call 01908 615705. Beaundesert has a strict 'No Nuts' policy, and we ask parents to not send in food items such as peanut butter, cakes or biscuits that may contain nuts!



Breakfast Club and After School Club

Advance bookings for **both the Breakfast club and After School Club** need to be made online at <https://www.kidzzzoneclub.com/>. For same day bookings please can parents email hello@kidzzzoneclub.com or call the office on 01525 591036 (between 9am and 3pm). Please note a parent/guardian must complete a 'Kidz Zone' child registration form either online via the website or with a member of the Kidz Zone team for the booking to be accepted – this information is required to meet Ofsted regulations.



Bikes and Scooters

Please can everyone remember to dismount bikes and scooters whilst on the school grounds, as accidents can occur on pathways at busy times.



Car Parking

Just a reminder for some parents when parking outside of the School that it is very important to park as considerately as possible. Parents and carers dropping their children off at school should not be parking on pavements. Car number plates may be reported to the Police if this continues to happen. Can parents also remember that parking in the Staff car park or the Kitchen car park is also not permitted. Thank you.