

BYLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

NEWSLETTER

Friday 4th September 2020



Head teacher's message:

Welcome back! It has been so good to see you all each morning and have the children back at school; with smiles on faces as far as the eye can see.

As you are aware, we have made a few changes to promote a healthy return to school and we continue to tweak arrangements as we settle into the term. One area I would like to change is the route families take having collected children at the end of the day. I would ask that if you collect your children from the playground, you escort them safely through the staff carpark and double gates, thus avoiding unnecessary contact with children leaving from the main entrance. Thank you.

Unfortunately, for now at least, we have cancelled our planned class assemblies and family lunches. I hope you understand our reasons.

We have decided to offer 3 afternoons/evenings for Parent Consultations early in October leaving more time between meetings. Unfortunately, parents will not be able to visit classrooms or look through books.

Parents of children now in Year 3 are reminded that the universal free school meal eligibility ceased at the end of Year 2. Prices and menu are advised on this letter.

The Government has updated their guidance for parents and carers on [what they need to know about early years providers, schools and colleges during the coronavirus \(COVID-19\) outbreak](#). This update provides information on school admission appeals, entry tests for selective schools, and exams and assessments in the autumn term.

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Our Weekly Attendance Figures

Whole School – 98.25%

Reception – 100%

Years 1/2 – 100%

Years 3/4 – 98.6%

Years 5/6 – 94.4%

Letters sent out this week:

Gymnastics

School Dinners:

New 3-week menus on website.

Next Lunch Menu: **Week 2**

Cost for the FIRST half of AUTUMN Term:

Weekly:	£11.50
Half term	£87.40 (38 days)
Weds/Fri	£36.80 (16 days)

Please remember dinner money is due **Every Monday** (unless paying termly)

Thursday Sports club this Spring Half Term is: **Gymnastics Years 1-2**

Byley Busy Buddies

We are pleased that children are already enjoying the fun and activities provided at Breakfast and After-School clubs and look forward to welcoming more as we settle in.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BOOK & PAY IN ADVANCE

(Our club closes at 6pm. Late collection will result in additional charges.)

Please use the Busy Buddies phone number to book **07471 748863**.

PTA news:

Thanks for your support last year, we look forward to working with you in the not-too-distant future!

Our contact details are: byleyprimarypta@gmail.com

Important Diary Dates:

Thurs 10 th Sept	Gymnastics after school – Yrs 1 & 2 (3:15pm – 4:15pm)
Tues 2 nd	Swimming – Years 3-6 (Winsford Lifestyle Centre)
Tues 6 th Oct	Parent Consultations (1/3) 4pm – 7pm
Weds 7 th	Parent Consultations (2/3) 4pm – 7pm
Thurs 8 th	Parent Consultations (3/3) 4pm – 7pm
Tues 20 th	Nasal Flu Vaccine – whole school
Fri 23 rd	Break for half term @ 3:15pm

Co-op Local Cause

Congratulations! **Byley Primary School PTA** has been chosen to benefit from the next round of the Co-op Local Community Fund.

The funding round will open on **27 October 2019** and close on **24 October 2020**.
During this funding phase, Co-op Members will be able to choose you as their local cause.

Every time a member buys selected own-brand products and services, 1% of the money they spend goes to local causes in their community, so it's important you raise your profile and encourage members to choose your cause.

To get you ready for the launch, **please encourage your supporters, volunteers, friends and family to become a Co-op Member.**

They can join online at <https://membership.coop.co.uk/new-registration>.

Congratulations once again, we're looking forward to supporting your project and helping you make great things happen in your community.

Best wishes,

April Armstrong

Co-op Local Giving Manager



Byley
Primary School

Please help raise funds for our school by checking out through the easy fundraising website. It's easy to do and costs nothing. Go to the link:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleyppta/

Click on support cause and then create an account. This means you can then visit thousands of websites through the easyfundraising site and the retailers will make a small donation to the PTA.

You can also set up reminders on your toolbar so that when you visit one of the named sites it will ask you if you want to donate - this will not cost you ANYTHING and saves you visiting easyfundraising to see your chosen shopping site is listed.

Any funds the PTA make go straight back into making our school an even better learning environment for our children, so any help is greatly appreciated.

If you need any more information, please contact:

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For young people 0-25 with
Special Educational Needs or
Disability