



BEARWOOD Primary and Nursery School

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Bearwood Bulletin **Wednesday 8th November 2023**



Reminder – Parents Evening Appointments

A reminder to book your appointment to see your child's class teacher during one of our parents' evenings next week either Tuesday 14th November or Thursday 16th November.

Please sign up for a slot on the MCAS app. If you have any difficulties, then please ask one of the office team to help you. Thank you.

Reminder – Children in need day – 17th November - Wear your spots day!

We will be having a non-uniform day when you can come to school wearing your spots! In recognition of your children taking part, if you wish to donate to Children in Need, then please bring in a donation to school on the day (suggested £1) or access our Just Giving page via the link below:

[Bearwood Primary and Nursery School is fundraising for BBC Children in Need \(justgiving.com\)](https://www.justgiving.com/Bearwood-Primary-and-Nursery-School/BBC-Children-in-Need)

Reminder – We are a nut free school!

Please be reminded that we are nut free school. There should be no items in lunchboxes containing nuts as we have children in school with severe allergies. Many thanks for your understanding.

Anti-Bullying Week – 13th – 17th November

Next week is 'Anti-Bullying Week' – a chance to consider what bullying is and how we stop bullying from happening in our school. This year's theme is 'Make a noise about bullying'. The children will be taking part in a range of activities and assemblies throughout the week and our Peer Mentors will be sharing strategies with the whole school. Talk to your child about what they find out!

INSET Dates for 2024 - 2025

We have now set our INSET dates for the academic year 2024 – 2025. Please visit our website to view our term dates and INSET dates: <https://www.bearwood.poole.sch.uk/parents-info/calendar-and-dates/term-dates/>

Pupil Premium – Does your child qualify?

It is possible, that your child/ren may be eligible for Free School Meals (this is different to Universal Free School Meals which all children in EYFS and KS1 are entitled to), there is an extra benefit for those entitled through Free School Meals to assist families during holidays, with the cost of uniform, extra interventions in school to aid progress and a range of other provision. It is always worth applying so please check your eligibility [here](#) and apply if you qualify – every little helps.

Can you help raise money for Little Princess Trust?



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Here is a message from Erin, in our Willow 2 class:

"I will be donating at least 12 inches of my hair to Little Princess Trust. I'm asking for sponsorship for this as they also need money to make the wigs for children with cancer and other illnesses." To donate, click on this link to her Just Giving page: [Erin is fundraising for Little Princess Trust \(justgiving.com\)](https://www.justgiving.com/Erin-is-fundraising-for-Little-Princess-Trust) Well done Erin!

Safeguarding Team

At Bearwood Primary & Nursery School we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. We are fully committed to ensuring that consistent effective safeguarding procedures are in place to support families, children and staff in the school community.

If you are worried about a child or need to contact a member of the Safeguarding Team then please call the school office on 01202 590703 or email: school@bearwood.poole.sch.uk

Our Safeguarding Team

Mrs Smith

Headteacher / Designated Safeguarding Lead

Mrs Lyster

SENCO / Pupil Engagement & Welfare Officer / Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



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