

WEEKLY

NEWSLETTER

Friday 26th September 2025



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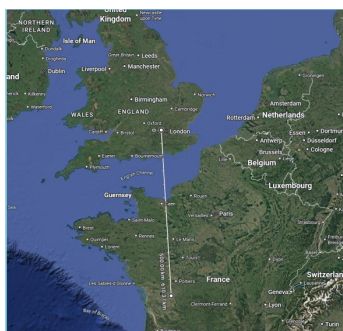
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Message from Miss Taunt

Dear Families,

We had a brilliant time on Wednesday celebrating *National Fitness Day*. In fact, we enjoyed ourselves so much that we completely forgot to take any photos! As a school, we collectively walked and ran over **600 kilometres** - enough to reach the middle of France! A huge well done to **Class 5E**, who covered the greatest distance.

Next week is shaping up to be a busy one, especially for our families, and we'd love for you to be involved. We're committed to building a strong and inclusive school community, and your presence makes all the difference.



On **Tuesday**, we're hosting a **Macmillan Coffee Morning**, with staff baking and buying lots of delicious cakes for you to enjoy while supporting a great cause. Then on **Thursday**, we're launching our first **Stay and Play** session, open to all children aged 0-4 and their parents, carers, childminders, grandparents, aunties, and uncles. There's no need to book - just come along to the front office and join in the fun.

We also continue to offer our **weekly school tour slot**. If you're curious about what happens during the school day, please feel free to drop in - we'd be delighted to show you around and answer any questions.

Best of luck to **Year 5**, who are heading off on their first residential trip next week. They'll be spending two nights at **Woodrow House Activity Centre**, enjoying a range of exciting outdoor challenges. For those not staying overnight, we've planned three full days of team-building and adventure activities—it promises to be a fantastic experience for everyone involved.

Wishing you all a lovely, restful weekend.
Rose Taunt, Head Teacher

Dates for the week

Monday 29th September

Harvest Food Donations or £1 donation welcomed from Monday—Wednesday

Tuesday

8.35-9.30 Drop-in Parent and Carers MacMillan Coffee Morning

3.20 - Book Give-away in the main playground

Wednesday

Year 4 Pedestrian Training

Year 5 Residential to Woodrow

Year 5 PSD Activity day at school

Thursday

9-11am Stay and Play for 0-4 year olds

DOLCE Special Menu— see pg 7

Year 5 Residential to Woodrow

Year 5 day trip to Woodrow 9.30-6pm

Friday

9am Years 1 and 2 Celebration Assembly. Families welcome to join.

9.45 - School tours, no booking required. New and current families welcome

2.45pm Years 3 to 6 Celebration Assembly. Families welcome to join.

Year 5 Residential to Woodrow returns

Year 5 Craft Activity day at school

[Click here for term dates](#)

Dates for your Diary

We want you to be part of our school

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Autumn Term 2025

New things that have been added this week will be highlighted yellow.



Key Dates for the Autumn Term

Created by scott desmond
from Noun Project

September	Tuesday 30th September	8.35-9.30am MacMillan Coffee Morning
October	Wednesday 1st October	Y4 Pedestrian Training
	Wednesday 1st - Friday 3rd October	Year 5 Residential to Woodrow and non-residential activities
	Monday 6th October	Years 3 & 4 Black History Drumming Workshop and topic day
	Monday 6th October	Year 6 Residential Information Meeting
	Tuesday 7th October	Coffee Morning with Sally McGregor, Oral Health
	Tuesday 7th October	Year 5 and 6 STEM Visit to Thorpe Park
	Wednesday 8th October	7pm Zoom Meeting for Parents Carers - Belmore - Plans for Improvement 2025-2026
	Thursday 9th October	Reception, Years 1 and 2 Black History Dance Workshop and topic day
	Tuesday 14th October	SEND Coffee Morning with PINS (Partnerships for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools)
	Tuesday 14th October	Years 5 & 6 Black History Drumming Workshop and topic day
	Tuesday 21st October	Individual Photos
	Wednesday 22nd October	PTA Halloween Mufti Day and Snack Sale
	October Half Term	Monday 27th October—Friday 7th November
November	Wednesday 12th November	Meet an Athlete Event
	Friday 14th November	Y6 MG Leonard Author Visit
	Tuesday 18th November	Year 5 and SEND Hub Space Dome Workshop
	Wednesday 19th November	Years 2, 5 and 6 NSPCC Speak Out, Stay Safe workshops
	Thursday 20th November	Pupil Flu Vaccinations
	Thursday 20th November	Sports Hall Athletics Competition
	Monday 24th November	Year 2 Guy Fawkes Workshop
	Wednesday 26th November	1.00pm Early Finish 1.30-6.30pm Parents Evening
	Thursday 27th November	Y6 Gurdwara Visit
December	Thursday 4th December	PTA Christmas Disco
	Wednesday 10th December	Nursery and Reception Christmas Sing-a-long Show
	Friday 12th December	Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Dinner
	Tuesday 16th December	9.30am and 2.15pm Year 1 and 2 Christmas Show
	Wednesday 12th December	PTA Christmas Raffle
	Thursday 18th December	Year 6 Visiting Theatre - Macbeth
	Friday 19th December	1.30pm Finish

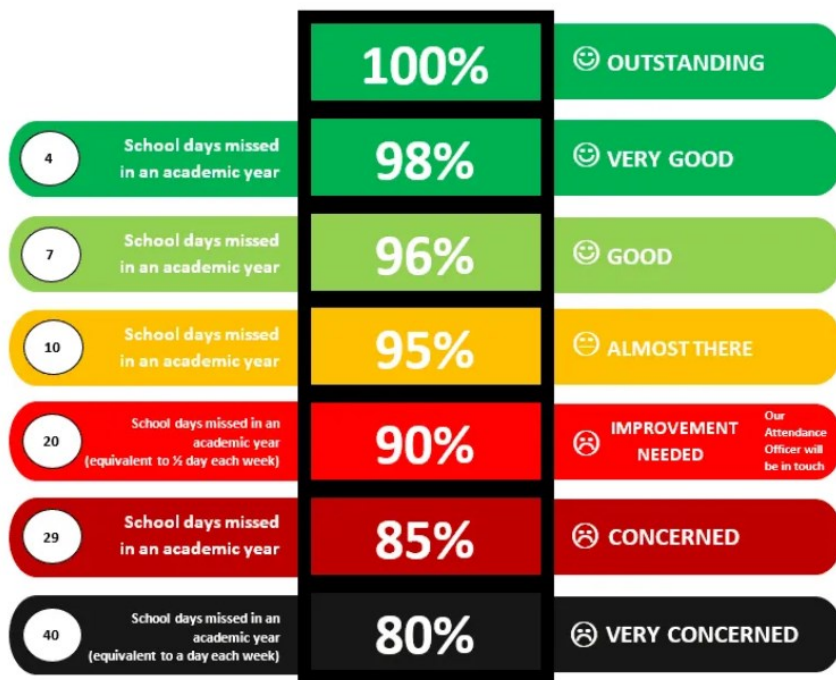
24-25 ATTENDANCE

*Attend today, Achieve tomorrow
Every day counts!*

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If your child is unable to attend school for any reason it is important that you phone the school **before 8am** on the first day of absence and leave a message on the absence line **by calling 01895 462364 and choose option 1.**

No 100% Non Uniform this week!



Attendance WC 22/09/25

Class	Attendance
NAM	94.0
NPM	85.0
ALL DAY	87.8
EINSTEIN & WARHOL	69.5
RCW	95.3
RW	89.3
RR	93.0
1Q	98.1
1O	95.6
2D	89.6
2R	99.0
2K	95.0
3H	99.5
3F	98.3
3A	95.2
4CH	94.1
4CL	93.2
4Q	89.5
5L	87.7
5F	94.0
5E	96.7
6L	99.1
6M	97.6
6R	93.5

Top Attendance Classes

The classes claiming the Attendance Cup for the best attendance this year are:

Lower school - 2R

Key Stage 2 - 6L

95% Club winners - Ibrahim & Kanver

95% Club Winners are all entered into a weekly raffle to win toy shop prizes!



**This week's whole
school attendance**

↓ 94%

Our target is more than 95%

**Number of children who had 100%
attendance this Week:**

↓ 386

CELEBRATIONS & AWARDS

We ASPIRE to be
the best we can be

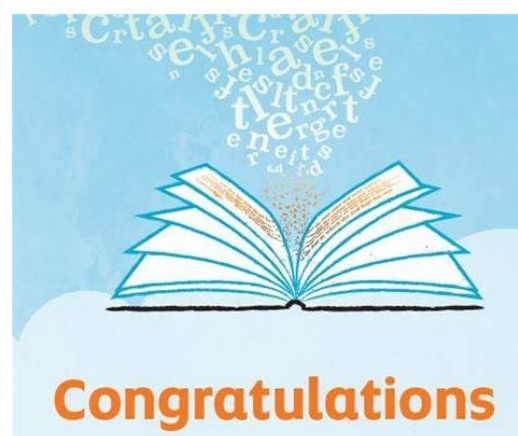
Our super stars of the week are:

Class name	Star Pupil
Warhol	Kenzo
Einstein	Noor
RCW	Khabib
RR	Simar
RW	Caitlin
1O	Kevin
1Q	Amria
2D	Celine
2R	Supreet
2K	Kajus
3H	
3A	
3F	Vikram
4CH	Stefani
4Q	Tanvi
4CL	Khamiel
5L	Lukas
5E	Zak
5F	Aaronveer
6M	Julia
6L	Tyler
6R	Musa

PSD Sports Champions

Rama	Siddhanta	Laura
Eliza	Ibrahim	Davontae
Eikam	Rakshayan	Layla
Mali	Amir	Abubakar

Our Readers of the week are:



Owen	Israa
Hunter	Leena
Levi	Namreeya
Hamzah	Charlie
Matvii	Jasper
Rafael	
Jeaven	
Sofia	
Aisha	
Jeevna	



STAY & PLAY

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FREE SESSIONS



**Starts this
week!
Thursday 2nd
October**

Mums, Dads and Carers come along and join our

0-4 year olds

Stay & Play

Every Thursday

Starting from Thursday 2 October every week term time only

(not including 30/10, 6/11 and 18/12)

9am - 11am

Refreshments, craft activities, lots of opportunities
to play, end of session story and songs



No booking needed
Please come to the front office

SCHOOL OPEN DAYS

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We are holding Open Days for families wanting to join our school now and for September 2026. Please share with friends and family who are thinking of joining Belmore.



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Do you have a child who will be starting nursery or reception in September 2026?
Are you looking for a kind, friendly school where children love learning?
We might be the school you've been looking for.
Come and see what we do at one of our open school events.

OPEN DAYS

9am: Thursday 23 October & Monday 17 November
5pm: Thursday 23 October & Thursday 27 November

We also have limited places in other year groups, please contact the school office for more information.
For information on how to apply, scan the QR code or visit our website
www.belmore.school/admissions

BELMORE PRIMARY ACADEMY
Owen Road, Hayes, Middlesex UB4 9LF
enquiries@belmore.school
www.belmore.school
01895 462 364

**MIDDLESEX
LEARNING
PARTNERSHIP**

Don't forget we also have our weekly tours every Friday at 9.45. Just come to the front office if you want to come and see the school in action. Open to existing and new parents.

SCHOOL SPECIAL MENU

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DAY AT THE MOVIES

2nd October 2025
Census Day

MAINS

MARGHERITA PIZZA (V)

BBQ CHICKEN PIZZA

PEPPERONI PIZZA

PLANT BASED FRENCH BREAD PIZZA (VG)

JACKET POTATO & CHOICE OF FILLINGS

SIDES

POTATO WEDGES

COLESLAW

SWEETCORN

DESSERT

POPCORN CRISPY CAKE

FRUIT YOGHURT

FRESH FRUIT

dolce

CHARITY EVENTS

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COME FOR COFFEE AND CAKE

**WE ARE
MACMILLAN.
CANCER SUPPORT**



We will be hosting a Coffee Morning in aid of MacMillan Cancer Support on **Tuesday 30th September**. Bring a few coins and join us for a hot drink and some cake!

LCK'S FUNERAL SUPPORT SERVICES

MACMILLAN COFFEE FUN DAY!

GUESS THE NAME OF THE TEDDY
GUESS HOW MANY SWEETS IN THE JAR
GUESS HOW MANY BALLOONS IN THE LIMO
LOTS OF CAKE AND COFFEE & MUCH MORE...



ALL ACTIVITIES UNDER £2

**HORSE & CARRIAGE RIDES | TOMBOLA
RAFFLE | BOUNCY CASTLE**

**SAT, 4TH OCT, 25
11AM TO 4PM**



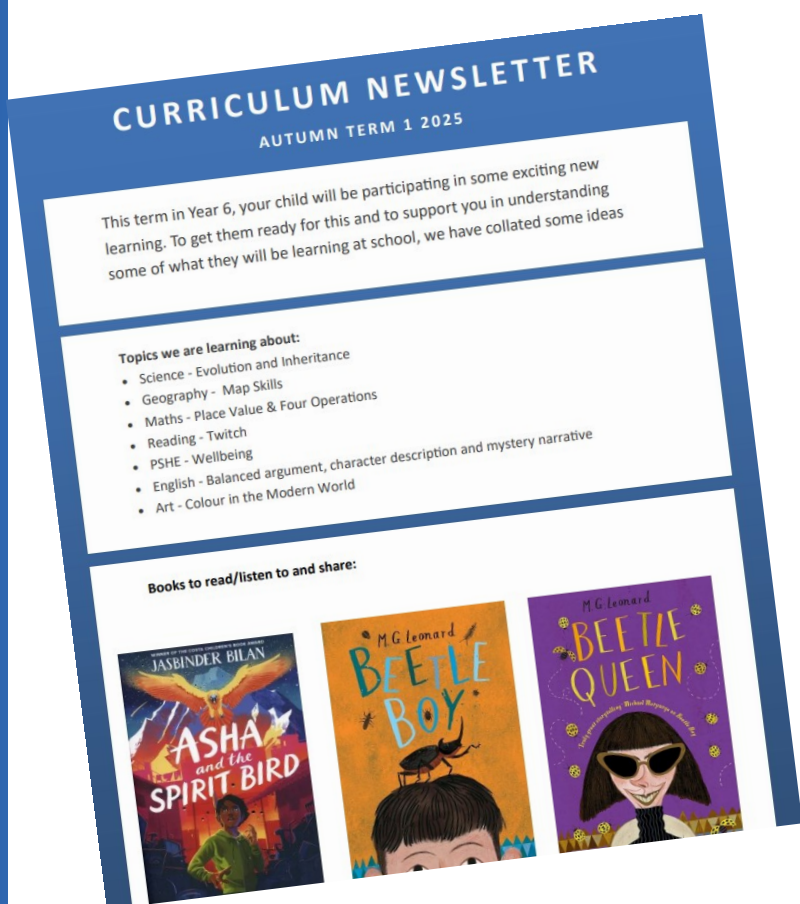
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15 - 16 WELBECK AVENUE WELBECK COURT UB4 9EY

CONTACT US TO GET INVOLVED CALL: 07760 627 998

CURRICULUM INFORMATION

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The Curriculum Newsletters are a great way to find out about what your child is learning about this term. [Click here to find your year groups—](#)

All the Meet the Teacher presentations are online. [Click here to find your year groups—](#)

Belmore Workshops & Meetings

During the school year we hold various workshops and meetings for parents/carers. We will aim to update this page regularly with information we give at our events so no one misses out.

If you would like help or further information on anything you may not be sure about, please do not hesitate to get in touch with your child's class teacher.

Please do have a look at the [school calendar](#) to see if there are any upcoming events you may wish to attend at the school.

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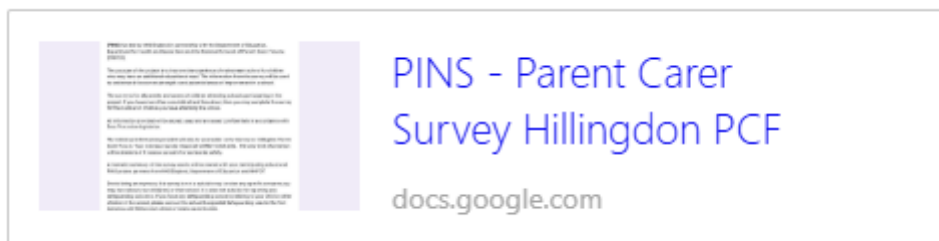
Partnerships for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools

As part of our drive to develop our SEN provision across school, we are delighted to announce that we will be working with PINS (Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in School) this year. The PINS Project has already run extremely successfully in 2024-5 in 40 schools in Harrow and Hillingdon. The project will focus on early support and intervention for neurodiverse children.

The PINS Project covers the full range of neurodiversity and support covers a range of needs including but not limited to Autism, ADHD, neurodiversity and anxiety, dyslexia, dyspraxia, dysgraphia, dyscalculia, developmental language disorder and other forms of learning difficulties and needs.

We would like to invite all parents to join us for a coffee morning on Tuesday 14th October - please see attached flyer. This will give you an opportunity to meet Louise Harvey from the PINS Project. Louise will be supporting Belmore over the coming months, and would be delighted to meet with you and describe the nature of support on offer for the school, and hear your views and experiences of SEN provision and support already in place. We will be looking at current strengths and identifying areas we are keen to improve, and your input would be really valuable.

We would also encourage parents to complete the short survey clicking on the link at the top of the page, as this will help create an action plan for the school to work on as part of the project.



PINS COFFEE MORNING



**BELMORE PRIMARY
ACADEMY**

**TUESDAY 14TH OCTOBER 2025
9AM**

Join us for a relaxed and informal coffee morning aimed at bringing together parents and caregivers of children with neurodiversity.

This is a wonderful opportunity to connect with others who understand your experiences and share support.

**You will also hear about an exciting project taking place at your school
The aim of this project is to improve the education experience for neurodiverse pupils in mainstream primary schools and to help them fulfil their potential.
To achieve this your involvement is vital, so join us to hear more and meet Nicola and Louise from Hillingdon Parent Carer forum.**

You can expect coffee, cake, conversations and a safe inclusive environment



Hillingdon PCF

PTA Christmas Disco

I met with our 2 members of the PTA this week and started planning our Christmas Disco complete with Santa Visit.

We are hoping to have to run 3 discos on **Thursday 4th December**



2-3pm - Nursery and Reception

3.20-4.45pm - Years 1&2

5.15-6.45pm - Years 3-6



BUT

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We can not run these events without volunteers

Please sign up to help here

<https://forms.office.com/e/fhyNWBfFbH>



Thank you to the people who signed up to help. We need just a few more to be able to run this!

If we don't get enough volunteers we simply can't run the event

So please sign up!

HALF TERM FUN WEEKS

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FUNWEEKS

OCTOBER HALF TERM

ACTIVE CAMP



BE QUICK!
EARLY BOOKING DISCOUNT
ENDS ON 22/10/25



 **BELMORE PRIMARY
ACADEMY**

 **MON 27TH OCT - THUR 30TH OCT
MON 3RD NOV - WED 5TH NOV**

 **FOR CHILDREN IN YEARS 1 - 7**

 **10% SIBLING DISCOUNT**

 **9AM- 3PM**

 **INFO@THEPSDGROUP.ORG.UK**
 **0203 397 7409**
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SCAN TO BOOK

SPORTS



ARTS & CRAFTS

PRIZES

HALLOWEEN DISCO

EARLY BIRD PRICING:

**BOOK BEFORE
MIDDAY ON
22ND OCT**

£18.00

**BOOK AFTER
MIDDAY ON
22ND OCT**

£19.50

**BOOK ONLINE:
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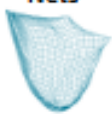
Play at Belmore – Monthly Highlights

Each month, the Play Team will share exciting updates on how Belmore children are engaging in play. Look out for photos, quotes, and examples of how our play reflects Belmore values.

Bingo Challenge!

Each class will get a Bingo sheet. The first to collect donations for every item wins an extra session of outdoor play! Good luck!

Get ready to play... OPAL BINGO

Acorns 	Baking pans 	Cake moulds 	Measuring spoons 	Strainers 
Baskets 	Cable spools 	Cones 	Containers 	Corrugated pipes 
Dress up items 	Fabric 	Funnels 	Nets 	Old electronics 
Pool noodles 	PVC pipes 	Ropes 	Shovels and spades 	Sinks and tubs 
Tires and wheels - big, small and weird 	Pots 	Colanders 	Wheelbarrow 	Watering cans 



Belmore's Play Policy.

Please take a few minutes to read through our new Play Policy, written to ensure that all children have fun, inclusive, and high-quality play opportunities. [Click here.](#)

Please bring in named wellington boots to keep at school. This will mean that your child can play outside whatever the weather.

Please ensure you send your child into school in an appropriate waterproof coat if it might rain. This will ensure their uniform stays dry whilst they enjoy their outdoor play.

KEEPING SAFE ONLINE

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We are getting more and more children who are using online games and social media inappropriately. Make sure you have the right information to keep your child safe online.

How much screen time...



Birth to 5 years

'Bedtime stories are the best and healthiest way to settle your child'

'Studies have shown that too much screen time can cause babies and toddlers to **learn fewer words** and have **slower language development**. Excessive use of screens is also being strongly linked to **behavioural difficulties** in very young children.'

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1 NO screen time** between birth - 24 months except for video chatting with family and friends.
- 2 30 MINS screen time.** Children aged 2 - 5 years old should not be on screens for more than 30 min per day.
- 3 BIGGER screens.** If your child is ready to play a short game then try to use a larger screen like a **tablet or computer screen**. These cause less visual strain than a phone.
- 4 AVOID** using a device to settle your child down. Evidence shows this makes their anger and frustration worse in later life. **Instead try a book, a game outdoors, or just a cuddle.**
- 5 SLEEP HYGIENE.** Under 5's should **not use a screen** for at least 2 HOURS BEFORE BEDTIME, to aid their natural sleep pattern.

0-24 months

2-5 year olds

Watching lots of short videos is being linked to concentration difficulties in children.

Bigger is better

Try a cuddle or a game

Phones, tablets and computers should not be in any child's bedroom overnight.

*'SLEEP HYGIENE' is a term used for healthy habits and behaviours that help support a good night's sleep.



6 to 10 years

'Walk, run, ride a bike, anything that gets kids up and about and off their screens'

'Try and ensure screen-free time together'

Ditch screens at mealtimes! 'Studies show that eating in front of screens leads to higher obesity risk as children consume more unhealthy food!'

Studies show there is a clear link between **excessive screen use** and **difficulties with concentration, sleep and mental health**. There may also be distinct physical changes in the developing brain.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1 WAKING UP WITHOUT screens** It is recommended that social media/screens are not used for the first hour of the day.
- 2 1-2 HRS PER DAY** is the suggested screen time in the week and not more than 2 hours on weekends.
- 3 STAY ACTIVE** Encourage physical activity for 1-2 hours a day.
- 4 SCREEN-FREE time together** Children will often mimic behaviours of the adults around them. Consider your own social media usage/ phone checking behaviour.
- 5 SLEEP HYGIENE.** It is recommended that screens should not be used 1 HOUR before bedtime. Phones, tablets and computers should not be in a bedroom overnight.

No screens

Keep active

Screen-free time together

Reports suggest adults touch their phones over 2000 times a day.

*Sleep Hygiene. No screens 1 hour before bedtime

*'SLEEP HYGIENE' is a term used for healthy habits and behaviours that help support a good night's sleep.

UK Chief Medical Officers' advice for parents and carers on Children and Young People's screen and social media use

Technology can be a wonderful thing but too much time sitting down or using mobile devices can get in the way of important, healthy activities. Here are some tips for balancing screen use with healthy living.

Sleep matters
Getting enough, good quality sleep is very important. Leave phones outside the bedroom when it is bedtime.

Education matters
Make sure you and your children are aware of, and abide by, their school's policy on screen time.

Safely when out and about
Advise children to put their screens away while crossing the road or doing an activity that needs their full attention.

Family time together
Screen-free meal times are a good idea - you can enjoy face-to-face conversation with adults giving their full attention to children.

Sharing sensibly
Talk about sharing photos and information online and how photos and words are sometimes manipulated. Parents and carers should never assume that children are happy for their photos to be shared. For everyone - when in doubt, don't upload!

Keep moving!
Everyone should take a break after a couple of hours sitting or lying down using a screen. It's good to get up and move about a bit. It'll make you more alert.

Talking helps
Talk with children about using screens and what they are watching. A change in behaviour can be a sign they are distressed - make sure they know they can always speak to you or another responsible adult if they feel uncomfortable with screen or social media use.

Use helpful phone features
Some devices and platforms have special features - try using these features to keep track of how much time you (and with their permission, your children) spend looking at screens or on social media.



Created by Scott Desmond from Noun Project

NSPCC

Click here to find out more from these organisations

internet matters.org

Please let us know if they are any concerns regarding bullying online so that we can support children in school. As parents, it is your responsibility to monitor and check children's usage and devices.

READING MATTERS

Books build a stairway to your imagination

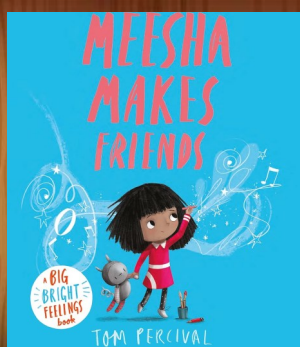
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September brings fresh starts!

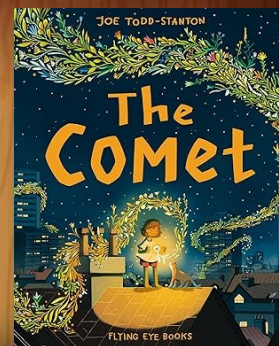
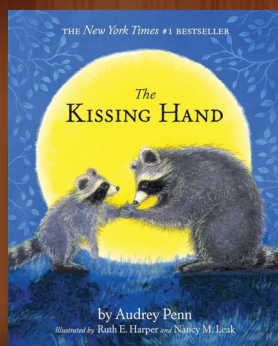
It's normal for us all to feel both excited and a little bit nervous. These recommended books help children explore those feelings and show how change can lead to new adventures, learning, and friendships.

September 2025 Recommended Reads

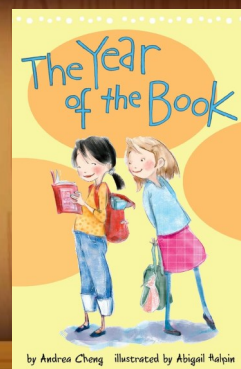
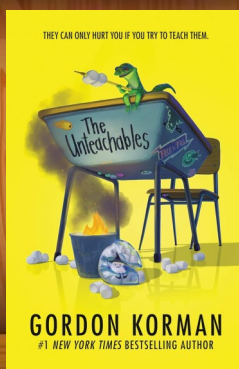
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KS1



KS2



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We are *KIND, RESPECTFUL*
and *WORK TOGETHER*



Please support us by putting your old unwanted clothes in the green bin just inside the front gates, For every full bin you donate we receive money towards future green projects in school



See your favourite brands donate to us whenever you spend with them

Find out more

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JOHN LEWIS

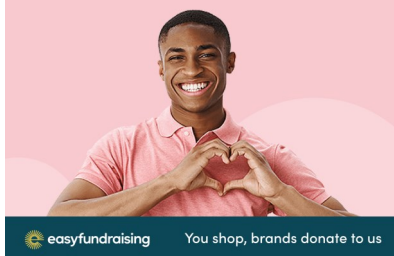
Argos

8,000+ online brands

Sign up with easyfundraising page at [here](#), or scan or click on the QR code. Then you can donate to the school every time you shop online.



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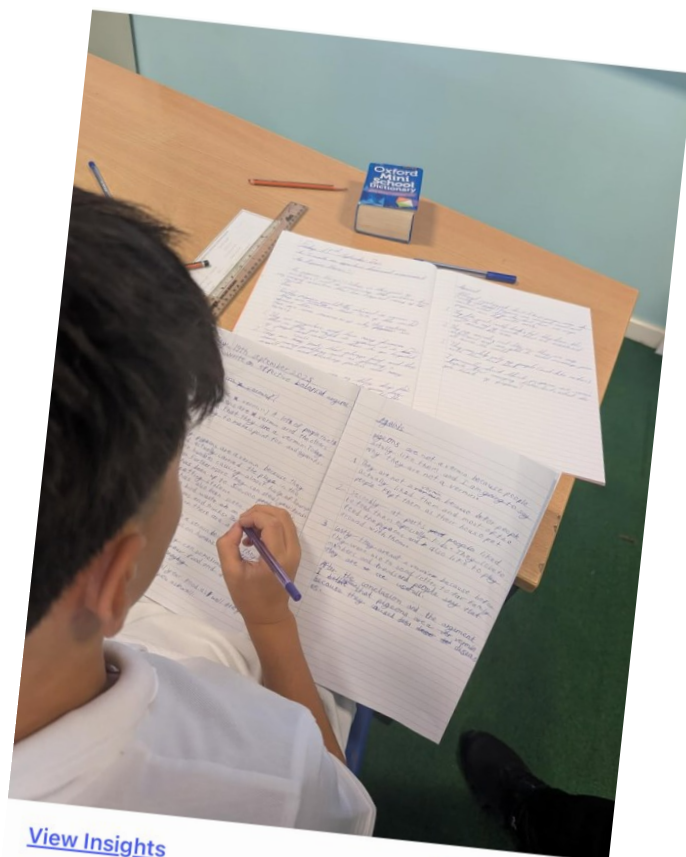
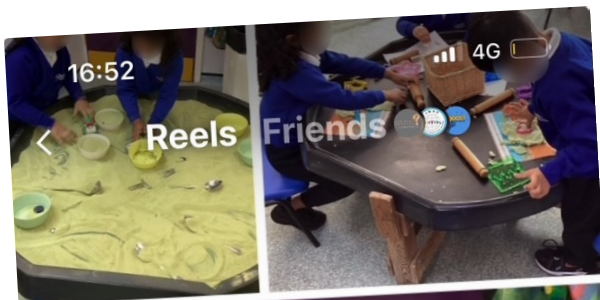
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SOCIAL MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS

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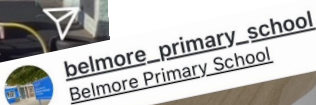
Boost post



Liked by [mollieteachesuk](#) and [others](#)
[belmore_primary_school](#) Getting ready for secondary
 school: Year 6s exchange and mark each other's work



SCAN ME



belmore_primary_school Look at this amazing brochure Jeevna has made all about Belmore. We're going to publish it to give to all our new families!

We blur children's faces to respect children's privacy on social media.