NEWSLETTER

Belmore PRIMARY ACADEMY

Friday 3rd October 2025



Message from Miss Taunt

Dear Families,

I've had a brilliant few days with 26 Year 5 pupils on their first residential at Woodrow High House. They were a pleasure to spend time with, and I was so proud of their maturity and their willingness to get stuck in — from high ropes to dark tunnels, fire-making to building catapults — they did it all! We hope even more of our current Year 4s will join us on this adventure next year. Look out for more information in the coming weeks...



Next week, we'd like to share our plans for Belmore 2025-26 with you. This will be a 30-minute meeting outlining what we achieved last year and where we're focusing our efforts this year. We are always striving to improve and provide your children with the very best learning experiences. The meeting will be held on Zoom, and you can join by clicking here or using the meeting codes: Meeting ID: 771 7549 0150, Passcode: w4rquZ

A big thank you for your generosity this week. We raised over £300 at our Macmillan Coffee Morning and sent a large haul of food to our local food bank. Thank you for helping us support these important causes.

And finally, a serious note: Please ensure you supervise and check your children's use of mobile devices. Make sure they are not speaking to strangers and are not sharing

not speaking to strangers and are not sharing their location or identifiable details, such as their school uniform, in pictures. If you have any concerns, please speak to any member of staff — we'll be happy to help.

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

Dates for the week

Monday 6th October

Years 3, 4 and SEND Hub African drumming workshop. Families welcome to end of day performance—2.50-3.10

3.20 Year 6 Residential Information Meeting

2k 100% Attendance non-uniform day

Tuesday

8.35-9.30 Drop-in Parent and Carers Coffee Morning with Sally McGregor from Oral Health

Year 5 and 6 Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths visit to Thorpe Park

Wednesday

Boys Football Team—Home Match - selected players only.

7pm Zoom Meeting for families—2025-26 Plans for Improvement at Belmore. click here to join

Thursday

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

Reception, Years 1 and 2 African dance workshop. Families welcome to end of day performance—2.50 -3.10

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.

Flu vaccinations all day—please make sure you have completed the permission form see page 7

Click here for term dates

Dates for your Diary

We want you to be part of our school

Autumn Term 2025

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

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Key Dat	Key Dates for the Autumn Term				
October	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			
	Wednesday 15th October	Boys Football Team—away match at Hayes Park. Selected players only			
	Friday 17th Ocotber	Year 3 trip to Gunnersbury Park and Museum			
	Tuesday 21st October	Individual Photos			
	Wednesday 22nd October	PTA Halloween Mufti Day and Snack Sale			
	Thursday 23rd October	Open Morning for new Reception children—September 2026			
	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			
	Wednesday 19th November	Year 6 Online Behaviours workshop			
	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			

We will be ACTIVE in mind and body

Attend today, Achieve tomorrow Every day counts!

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.**

	100%	© OUTSTANDING
School days missed in an academic year	98%	© VERY GOOD
School days missed in an academic year	96%	© GOOD
School days missed in an academic year	95%	(C) ALMOST THERE
School days missed in an academic year (equivalent to % day each week)	90%	IMPROVEMENT Our Attendance Officer will be in touch
School days missed in an academic year	85%	⊗ CONCERNED
School days missed in an academic year (equivalent to a day each week)	80%	⊗ VERY CONCERNED

Top Attendance Classes

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

Lower school - 2K

Key Stage 2 - 4Q



This week's whole school attendance



Our target is more than 95%

2K had 100% this week and so can have a Non-Uniform Day on Monday!

Attendance WC 29/09/25

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Class	Attendance		
NAM	77.3		
NPM	85.0		
ALL DAY	81.3		
EINSTEIN & WARHOL	77.9		
RCW	94.0		
RW	95.1		
RR	93.0		
1Q	98.7		
10	95.6		
2D	95.2		
2R	92.9		
2R 2K	92.9		
2K	100.0		
2K 3H	100.0 97.1		
2K 3H 3F	97.1 94.6		
2K 3H 3F 3A	97.1 94.6 96.1		
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Number of children who had 100% attendance this Week:

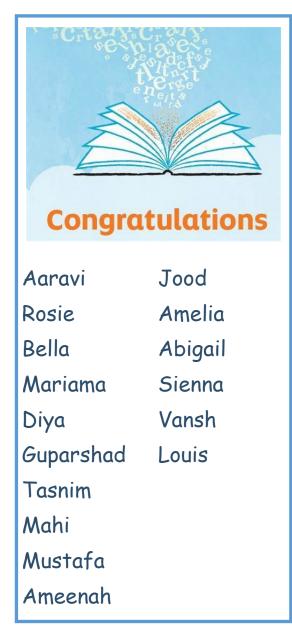


CELEBRATIONS & AWARDS

Our super stars of the week are:

Class name	Star Pupil
Warhol	Kanisha
Einstein	Hassan
RCW	Favour
RR	Carter
RW	Erik
10	Mali
1Q	Elizabeth
2D	Amelia
2R	Alfie
2K	Amir
3H	Lewi
3 <i>A</i>	Noah
3F	Leo
4CH	Ayaan
4Q	Bobby
4CL	Woyciech
5L	Jeevna
5E	Harry
5F	Ali
6M	Denzel
6L	Sylvia
6R	Kameron

Our Readers of the week are:



PSD Sports Champions

Ayla Theo Sofia
Livia Xavier Dev
Aliyah Poppy Isabelle
Samer Sara Troy
Maya Zemar Eric

Safiyah Mason Rayan FREESESSIONS



On every week!

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 - Ilam

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



No booking needed
Please come to the front office

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.



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

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



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

We are RESILIENT and learn from our mistakes

Click here to fill in the

form, even if you don't

want your child to have the



FLU IMMUNISATION FOR PUPILS IN SCHOOL YEARS RECEPTION - YEAR 11

Prevent your child from being seriously ill this winter! Vaccinating is crucial in protecting them and vulnerable friends and family from flu.

NASAL VACCINE

No needles - just quick, painless, effective flu protection (contains gelatine)

OR

THE INJECTION

We offer a PORK-FREE, **GELATINE-FREE** injection considered a faith-friendly alternative.



Complete this form, even if you do not want the vaccine.

https://nwl.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2025/hillingdon

Secondary School students only: Young people under the age of 16 can give or refuse consent themselves if considered competent to do so by nursing staff.

CONTACT THE TEAM

hillingdon@v-uk.co.uk 0208 150 1220

information? Please see our FAOs sheet attached with this letter.



We endeavour to come to your child's school twice. If your child is absent or unable to be vaccinated at school, they can still receive this important vaccine by attending one of our community clinics for the vaccine.



PRIVACY POLICY

Our 2024/25 policy can be viewed here: www.schoolvaccination.uk/privacy-policy
For data protection queries, please contact: dpo@vaccinationuk.co.uk

OPERATION

SHOULD MY CHILD HAVE THE **NASAL FLU SPRAY?**

Influenza (or flu) is a common and highly infectious disease caused by different strains of the Influenza virus.

A flu vaccine can reduce the risk of your child getting sick by **30-60%**, and prevent children

Each year vaccines are updated so that they

THERE ARE TWO TYPES OF VACCINES IN THE UK THAT PROTECT AGAINST FLU



This will be offered to children aged 2-3 years*, most school aged children, and to children of any age with certain long-term health conditions. It is easy and quick to give to children.

2. INJECTABLE VACCINES

spray because it is medically unsuitable will be offered this vaccine.

Vaccination is a strong defence against a virus which causes severe illness and deaths every



vaccine

low immunity or certain health conditions (such as diabetes, heart or lung problems) are at higher risk from getting very sick with flu

Please do not delay a decision to vaccinate.

It is acknowledged by the NHS and public health that groups within British Muslim communities consider any porcine-containing products to be forbidden.

nasal spray vaccine due to the porcine gelatine content can request the injectable vaccine as an alternative.

and elderly, has no porcine gelatine.

Speak to a trusted religious scholar about taking the nasal spray for your child if you have concerns about it's porcine gelatine content



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CURRICULUM INFORMATION



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—

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 MEET THE TEACHERS - THE HUB - SEPT 2025 MEET THE TEACHERS - YEAR 1 - SEPT 2025 PDF MEET THE TEACHERS - YEAR 2 - SEPT 2025 PDF MEET THE TEACHERS - YEAR 3 - SEPT 2025 PDF MEET THE TEACHERS - YEAR 4 - SEPT 2025 PDF MEET THE TEACHERS - YEAR 5 - SEPT 2025 MEET THE TEACHERS - YEAR 6 - SEPT 2025 PDF

Belmore Workshops & Meetings



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PINS - Parent Carer Survey Hillingdon PCF

docs.google.com

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



TUESDAY 14TH OCTOBER 2025

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

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!



ACADEMY

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

FOR CHILDREN IN YEARS 1 - 7



9AM-3PM

INFO[AT]THEPSDGROUP.ORG.UK

0203 397 7409 **THEPSDGROUPUK**



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: WWW.THEPSDGROUP.ORG.UK/PSD-FUNWEEKS

Outdoor Play and Learning—September 25

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
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Dress up items	Fabric	Funnels	Nets	Old electronics
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Pool noodles	PVC pipes	Ropes	Shovels and spades	Sinks and tubs
Tires and wheels -	Pots	Colanders	Wheelbarrow	Watering cans
big, small and weird	-			





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. <u>Click here.</u>

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.

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...





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.

Books build a stairway to your imagination

September brings fresh starts!

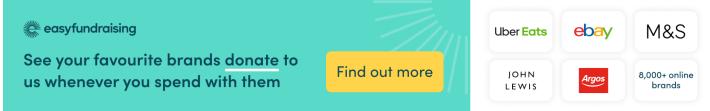
It's normal for us all to feel both excited and a little bit nervous. These recommended books help children explore those feelings and show how change can lead to new adventures, learning, and friendships.

September 2025 Recommended Reads





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



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.





Click here to purchase something from here for our school. Please make sure you include your name so we can thank you!



Do you own a business or know someone who does. Would you like a weekly advert on our newsletter plus mentions on our Facebook and Social Media pages? Just buy something from our Wish list below, put your business name on the order and email the office details of your business and we'll put it on this page every week until Christmas!

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