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Celebrating Good Attendance and Punctuality



In Fang's family, Rabbits had the best attendance, while Kangaroos were the most punctual class.

Koalas were the best attenders in Miss Lilac's family, and Badgers were the most punctual class.

Well done to all four classes!

Shopping for September



Please remember when shopping for next year, that all the children really need is their correct uniform and P.E. / swimming kit (in a small, drawstring bag) and their reading folder. All pens, pencils, rulers, etc are supplied by the school. Children do not bring in any other bags or pencil cases to school.

Latest Attendance Update

As you will know from my regular updates in the newsletter, we are very keen that every child attends school regularly and frequently. There is clear evidence that children with poor attendance tend to achieve less well. Every lesson missed can cause a gap in a child's learning.

The table below shows the attendance for each year group, and for the whole school, from the start of the year until the end of Term 5.

Our school target is at least 96% attendance, so please only keep your child off school when they are properly unwell:

Nursery	92.9%
Reception (<i>Butterflies</i>)	94.1%
Year 1 (<i>Foxes and Squirrels</i>)	93.7%
Year 2 (<i>Badgers and Hedgehogs</i>)	94.3%
Year 3 (<i>Kangaroos and Koalas</i>)	96.1%
Year 4 (<i>Giraffes and Zebras</i>)	94.9%
Year 5 (<i>Leopards and Panthers</i>)	95.4%
Year 6 (<i>Eagles and Hawks</i>)	96.2%
Overall:	94.9%

Well done Year 6, who have hit the target!

Data Protection at Bourne



As you may already be aware, the 25th May 2018 marked the enforcement of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR). The GDPR replaces the Data

Protection Act 1998, and is designed to strengthen the safety and security of all data held within an organisation, and make sure processing and storage procedures are consistent. The GDPR will result in some changes for all schools.

One of the biggest changes has been in terms of consent; consent must be a 'positive indication', which means that it has to be clear, unambiguous and opted into. Any consent given under the Data Protection Act 1998 will be reviewed and re-obtained if necessary. This means the school may have to ask for you to consent to things again.

Over the next few weeks, we will be publishing our new Privacy Notices. It is important that you read and understand these before you give consent to anything so that you understand what data we are collecting, why we are collecting it and what we are doing with the information.

The privacy notice will be issued every September and will be available on the school website throughout the year. There will be one for parents and families and another for the children.

The GDPR will require changes to be made to some school policies and procedures. While some policies will need small updates, others will require re-writes or even to be created from scratch. We will require a Photography and Videos at School Policy, for example. When policies have been checked and ratified, they will be published on the school's website.

House Points

Dragon	152	points
Phoenix	127	points
Gryphon	125	points
Minotaur	121	points
Centaur	120	points
Unicorn	102	points

Well done **Dragon!**

Diary Dates

Make a note in your diary!

- Blackland Farm / Eastbourne Week for Year 6
Monday 11th – Friday 15th June
- The B Festival 2018
Thursday 21st June
- Staff Training day – school closed
Friday 22nd June
- Years 5 and 6 Sports Day
Monday 2nd July between 9.30am and 12noon
- Transition day for Year 6
Tuesday 3rd July
- Years 3 and 4 Sports Day
Wednesday 4th July between 9.30am and 12noon
- Years 1 and 2 Sports Day
Thursday 5th July between 9.30am and 12noon
- FOBSA Summer Fair
Friday 6th July after school
- Nursery and Reception Fun Day
Tuesday 10th July between 9.30am and 11.30
- Year 6 Leavers' Show to their parents
Wednesday 18th July in the afternoon
- End of Term 6
Friday 20th July – school ends at the usual time

Triple P Parenting Discussion Groups

A reminder about the discussion groups we are hosting with Triple P over the next few months. Each will start at 9am, and last for 2 hours, and will take place in our Community Meeting Room. The topics are:

- Tuesday 12th June: *Tears, Tantrums and Disobedience*
- Tuesday 19th June: *Hassle-free Outings*
- Tuesday 10th July: *Sleepless Nights & Bedtime Routines*

Please see Ms Munro for more information.

Beat the Street is Back!

Beat the Street is a fun, free game for the residents of East Sussex to see how far they can walk, cycle and run around their local area and around the world at large.



Every journey made adds to the total for individuals and for the school. We will be sending the fobs home this week – keep an eye on your child's book bag to make sure you can participate!

FOBSA Meeting

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FOBSA invite all interested parents and carers to a planning meeting on Thursday 7th June at 2.00pm.

Everyone is welcome!

Did You Know?

If you are in receipt of certain benefit payments, you may be eligible to register for Free School Meals. This is a really useful thing to do, because you may receive other benefits including:

- A free P.E. Kit and book bag once every school year
- A 25% reduction on the cost of any class trip
- A 50% reduction on the cost of the Year 6 Residential trip to Blacklands Farm

Even though all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are offered a free school dinner, this does not include these additional, free benefits.

If you would like more information, please ask at the office in complete confidence.

ALL THIS FREE:



Early Closing on Friday 8th June

A reminder that school will be closing at 1.30pm on Friday 8th June so that the staff can attend Mrs Mignot's funeral.

Thank you for your support and understanding.

