



### Upcoming Events

**Tue&Wed 29&30.9.20** Bug visit KS2

**Fri 2.10.20** Harvest celebration

**Wed 14.10.20** KS1 and KS2 Parents evening – 3.30-6.30

**Fri 23.10.20** School finishes

**Monday 2.11.20** School opens

#### INSET Days

1.9.20 18.12.20 4.1.21

7.6.21 21.7.21

**Open** **Close**

#### Autumn Term 2020

Wed 2.9.20 Fri 23.10.20

Mon 2.11.20 Thu 17.12.20

#### Spring Term 2021

Tue 5.1.21 Fri 12.2.21

Mon 22.2.21 Fri 1.4.21

#### Summer Term 2021

Mon 19.4.21 Fri 28.5.21

Tue 8.6.21 Tue 20.7.21

# Words from the Woods!

*Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2020*

**Dear parents and carers,**

Well done to our new Reception children for completing their first full week here at Cadmore End. They have done remarkably well and must be extremely tired after a fun packed week!

This week our new Forest Rangers had their first meeting with Mrs Hazell and have come up with some lovely ideas; one of which can be found at the end of this newsletter. The children also looked at purchasing owl and bat boxes!

Our School Council will be meeting on Monday with a focus on raising money for extracurricular activities and also money to purchase resources; such as a new bat and owl box. I look forward to sharing their ideas in our next newsletter.

### Celebration Assembly

It is such a shame that we cannot invite family and friends to join us for such a special assembly. However, celebration assembly will take place fortnightly (socially distanced) where we can come together and celebrate each other's achievements.

This week's awards were given to the following:



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| <b>Star of The Week</b> | Logan, Shehani and Rocky |
| <b>Star Writer</b>      | Jenny, Laila and Abby    |
| <b>Science Award</b>    | Noah, Harry and Edward   |
| <b>Value Award</b>      | Elise, Abhi and Sarah    |
| <b>Maths Award</b>      | Martha, Grace and Amelia |

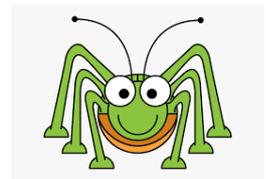


## Bugs visiting KS2!

Hope Learning will be visiting Cadmore End with their bugs! This is to supplement KS2 Science curriculum Living Things and their Habitats and Animals including Humans. The children will have the opportunity to participate in a range of activities including classification, adaption and evolution.

All activities will take place outdoors or in the hall, be delivered within their bubble and Hope Learning will conform to PPE expectations.

They will be visiting on Tuesday 29th September and Wednesday 30th September.



## Mufti Day

We will have our first mufti on **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October in exchange for £1** to go towards funding enrichment activities. Your child can come to school in their own clothes, but please make sure that **footwear** is sensible.

## Coats

Now that the weather is starting to change, please ensure that your child comes to school with a **named** coat. We still go outside even if it is raining!

Please make sure that all gloves and hats are also labelled!

## Medication

It is preferable for medication to be given at home whenever possible. If medicines are prescribed to be taken three or more times per day, parents should ask the prescribing doctor if the administration of the medication can occur outside normal school hours. Non-prescription medication (such as cough medicines) should not be administered in school. However, in certain circumstances, analgesics can be given but in no circumstances should ibuprofen be given to under 5-year-olds.

There are two main sets of circumstances in which requests may be made to the head to deal with the administration of medicines to pupils at school:

(a) cases of chronic illness or long-term complaints, such as asthma, diabetes or epilepsy;

(b) cases where children recovering from a short-term illness are well enough to return to school but are receiving a course of antibiotics or other medication.



Parents or guardians requesting administration of medication should be **asked to complete the form 'Parental Request for Medication to be Administered to Pupils'**. Completion of this form safeguards staff by allowing only prescribed medication to be administered.

You can send parents to the office for a form or it can be downloaded from our [school website](#). **No medication can be given without a completed form.**

### **Flu Vaccination**

Bucks School Nursing Immunisation Team will be offering vaccinations to all pupils in Reception, Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 on Wednesday 9th December 2020.

A letter will be sent by BSNIT to parents which will include details of the on-line link for the consent form and school code 3 weeks prior to your flu date.

### **Covid**

With the rate of infection rising, we need to continue to be vigilant. However, entering into autumn term, it is common for children (and staff) to pick up the common cold and other seasonal ailments.

Current Government advice is that children and adults seek medical advice if you display one or more of the following symptoms

- A new persistent cough and/or high temperature
- A loss of, or change to, your sense of smell or taste.

If you or your child becomes unwell with the above symptoms and you are unsure, please contact your local pharmacy or GP. As a school, we are unable to make the decision but will follow the medical advice that you have received.

As always, have a restful weekend and I will see you all on Monday.

Mrs Groom

Headteacher



A small school with a 'can do' attitude



## Autumn bulbs are needed

Dear Cadmore,

**Hello, we are the forest school rangers and we have a question for you. We are asking if every child in the school could bring an autumn bulb to plant in an area of the forest to make it nice and colourful. If you could do this it will be very much appreciated.**

**From Zach, Jenni and Georgia [forest school rangers]**

