



Building tomorrow together

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NEWSLETTER 1 – Friday 11th September 2026

Dear Parents,
Welcome back.

It has been brilliant to see all the children coming back into school and how smart they all looked in their school uniforms, and I would like to welcome all our new arrivals Bill, Hunter, Rory, Molly-May, Jaxson, Reuben, Eddie, Casper, Jude, Paisley, Frannie, Henry, Max and Hannah. Welcome to Buxworth!



I thought it may help to reaffirm an overview of when the children are due to do P.E and Forest School sessions so you can outfit them correctly on those days.

Forest School/ P.E Days

Year Groups	Forest Schools	P.E
Reception (Little Conkers Class)	Fridays	Wednesdays
Year 1/2 (Horse Chestnut Class)	Mondays	Tuesdays & Fridays
Year 3/4 (Sycamore Class)	Wednesdays	Fridays
Year 5 (Hawthorn Class)	Thursdays	Thursdays & Fridays
Year 6 (Redwood Class)	Thursdays	Mondays & Thursdays

This is not an exhaustive list and is of course subject to change.

NB: Swimming to begin with the Year 3/4 Class (Sycamore) on Tuesday the 15th of September (More information to follow).

Some year groups will also be working project-based homework along with the usual reading, spelling strategies, times tables etc. Class teachers will keep you informed of these. You will be receiving a class newsletter from your child's class teacher with the topics for this term. As a Reading focused school, we will once again continue to promote reading across the whole of the curriculum. As the more a child can read, the more a child can access.

Class pages will also continue to be utilised for blended learning, spellings etc. Please visit your child's class page for further information if required [Buxworth Primary School - Class Pages](#)

Any queries please don't hesitate to contact us at the school via info@buxworth.derbyshire.sch.uk
If you have queries to particular teachers or classes, that you come through to the office e-mail for consistency reasons and so we can get your query to the appropriate person.

We are also starting our list of clubs from next week and could I please thank my staff and others for volunteering their free time to do these. You will have received a comprehensive list of all current clubs available with this newsletter, please e-mail in your child's choices and assume they are in that particular club unless you are informed otherwise. PAS club will be beginning on Friday the 18th of September.

If the children are attending a Sports club afterschool and aren't already doing P.E on that day, they may bring a change of appropriate sports kit (doesn't have to be School P.E. kit) to get changed into at the end of the day.

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I thought I would remind everyone of the school's core values in developing our children to where they are going to be at the age of 25:

Resilience

Compassion

Trust

Entrepreneurial spirit

Environmentally aware

Keeping Safe

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)

Respect

Thankfulness

Friendship

If when speaking to your children, you could mention these key phrases and what they mean I would greatly appreciate it. This will reinforce the work we are doing at school, and I think now more than ever we need to emphasis these are vital attributes for our children for the years to come.

I will also be updating your parent outlook calendar with the dates of trips, parents' evenings, harvest festivals, Christmas performances, pantomimes etc. Please make sure that you have checked in with the office to get the Outlook Share calendar by sending in an e-mail to the office for us to action for you.

SAFEGUARDING is very important to us as a school. The Designated Lead at the School is Mr Bertram if you have any concerns about a child in our area please don't hesitate to contact him for advice. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.

I have also located a useful one stop shop of mental health support sights if anyone should require the need. [Mental health resources for children, students, parents, carers and school/college staff - The Education Hub \(blog.gov.uk\)](#)

I hope to see you all at the school gates over the course of the next term.

Best Wishes

Mr Bertram

