



## Weekly Newsletter 2

### Autumn Term 2024

Friday 13th September 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy Friday everyone! What a chilly start this morning; I was not expecting to see hats and gloves just yet! Autumn has definitely arrived.

Thank you to the children and staff for another wonderful week at Three Bridges; it has been such a positive start to our new school year. I've been spending time visiting classes on the lower site this week; the children are very settled and already working hard. Well done everyone, keep it up!

#### Curriculum

Our school's curriculum information can be found on our website, check out [Three Bridges Primary School - Curriculum](#) . Details about each subject are there, including lots of information about spellings, how we teach Maths and much more! The children seem to be very engaged in their new learning journeys this term.

#### Premises Update

Our premises team worked hard over the summer to make sure the school buildings were ready for the children. Huge thanks to Mr Cummings and Mr Cotte for all their hard work. You may have noticed freshly painted fences on the lower site, the pirate ship and sheds in the EYFS area, to name a few. They have been painting different areas, everywhere is looking fresh! Our Year 2 toilets were refurbished during the holidays and the children are learning how to treat them respectfully so that they last for a few years to come. Next plan is to refurbish the Year 4 toilets, when budget allows!



#### Attendance

Please support your child to get to school every day and on time. We start the day with amazing stories in every class and we want every child to be able to take part; it's a special time of the day for everyone.

#### Toddler Group

We are very proud to run our very own Toddler Group, thanks to Miss Webb. If you want to meet other parents and give your child the opportunity to take part in fun activities, please do come along on Wednesday mornings.

#### Sports Update

Three Bridges Primary school took part in the most sporting events during 2023-2024 compared to the other Crawley schools. Thank you to Mr Wells and Mr Spackman for their dedication to sport; the children really benefit from the amazing opportunities at our school!

Have a great weekend!  
Trudy Emberson, Headteacher



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# Celebrations!



## BEST CLASS ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

**Huge** congratulations go to

### **Willow Class**

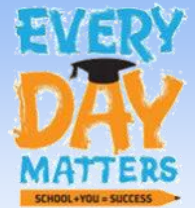
with an amazing  
**98%** attendance  
for week beginning  
03/09/2024  
Super job!!



**Class Attendance of the Year so far...**

### **Willow Class**

with 98%  
Amazing - keep it up!!



## CLASS DOJO

Well done to everyone for earning so many Dojo points this week!  
The classes with the most Dojo points for this week are:



- 1st - Maple**
- 2nd - Chestnut**
- 3rd - Elm**



## **Headteacher Awards**

Well done to all of the following children  
who have earned a Headteacher Award this week!



- |          |           |               |       |
|----------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Evie     | Annie-May | Lenny         | Hamza |
| Marshall | Asiya x2  | Harrison      | James |
| Ira      | Hashim    | Cypress Class |       |
| Bella    | Holly     | Kevin         |       |
| Madison  | Nadia     | Amelia        |       |
| Anais    | Lamya     | DJ            |       |
| Kateryna | Jude      | Kaidee        |       |
| Regan    | Reggie    | Lena          |       |
| Holly    | Hibah     | Amirah        |       |
| Scarlett | Ziyah     | Olivia-Grace  |       |



# LEARN CLASS OF THE WEEK

## Silver Birch Class



Silver Birch have been learning to....



Count carefully from a larger group.



Make a poster about the World



Hop forwards and backwards.

Use different media to create a picture.



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# LEARN CLASS OF THE WEEK

## Yew Class

This week Yew class have been beginning to learn all about WW2.



I have learnt how to write a poem about my favourite place using the book "here we are" for ideas.



I have learnt how to round to the nearest 100,000.





# Three Bridges Primary School

# Reception Open Day

If your child was born between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021, they will be starting reception in primary school from **September 2025**.

You can start applying for a school place from 1st September 2024 when the applications open.

The application process closes on 15th January 2025. The national offer day is 16th April 2025.

Come and visit our school for a tour and presentation. We are offering the following dates and times.

## DATE:

23rd September 2024

7th October 2024

14th October 2024

11th November 2024

18th November 2024

13th January 2025

## TIME:

1pm - 2pm

or

2pm - 3pm

To book an appointment, please contact the school office on  
01293 524076 option 2 or email [office@tbps.org.uk](mailto:office@tbps.org.uk)

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Apply online at:  
[westsussex.gov.uk/admissions](https://westsussex.gov.uk/admissions)



## Is your child due to transfer to secondary school in September 2025?

### Apply online!

It's simple, convenient and time-saving.  
If your application is received after the deadline,  
your chance of securing a place at one of your  
preference schools could be seriously affected.

You can apply online from  
**Monday 2 September 2024**.  
If you would like further advice or  
information, phone: 03330 142 903.

Deadline: **Thursday 31 October 2024**

Free internet access to apply online  
is available at all West Sussex libraries.



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TO YOUNG CHILDREN!



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# Clubs!

Extra Curricular activities at Three Bridges Primary School  
Autumn Term 2024

<b>Monday</b>	<p><b><u>Street Dance</u></b> Cheneler School of Dance 3.20pm - 4.20pm Yrs 3 - 6 U/S Art Room <a href="#">Sign up here</a></p> 	<p><b><u>Outdoors Activity club</u></b> The Outdoors Project 3:10pm-4:10pm Yrs 1-2 L/S Field 3:20pm-4:20pm Yrs 3-6 U/S Field <a href="#">Sign up here</a></p> 	<p><b>ADULTS ONLY - Mondays</b> <b><u>PILATES</u></b> 6.15pm - 7.15pm Upper Site Hall Email: <a href="mailto:mari.tas.tol-ten@googlemail.com">mari.tas.tol-ten@googlemail.com</a></p>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<p><b><u>Football</u></b> Crawley Town 3:10pm - 4:00pm Yrs 1 - 2 Lower Site Playground <a href="#">Sign up here</a></p> 	<p><b><u>Basketball</u></b> Storm Basketball 3:20-4:20pm Yrs 3-6 U/S Playground <a href="https://stormbasketballclub.com/school-sessions/">https://stormbasketballclub.com/school-sessions/</a></p> 	<p><b>ADULTS ONLY - Tuesdays</b> <b><u>ZUMBA</u></b> 6.30pm - 7.30pm Upper Site Hall Email: <a href="mailto:jayne.nicola@bluevander.co.uk">jayne.nicola@bluevander.co.uk</a></p>
<b>Wednesday</b>		<p style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">If you are interested in any of the clubs listed, please click on the relevant link 'sign up here' which will take you to the companies website.  If you have any questions about the</p>	<p><b>ADULTS ONLY - Wednesdays</b> <b><u>ZUMBA</u></b> 6.30pm - 7.30pm Upper Site Hall</p>
<b>Thursday</b>	<p><b><u>Football</u></b> Crawley Town 3.20pm - 4.20pm Yrs 3 - 4 Upper Site Field <a href="#">Sign up here</a></p> 	<p><b><u>Musical Theatre</u></b> DMT 3.40pm - 4.40pm Yrs 3 - 6 Lower Site Hall <a href="#">Sign up here</a></p> 	<p>Did you know that WSCC Music do lessons at our school? If you are interested in applying for music lessons for your child, please visit <a href="#">their website</a>.</p> 
<b>Friday</b>	<p><b><u>Street Dance</u></b> Cheneler School of Dance 3:10pm - 4:10pm Yrs 1 - 2 - L/S Hall <a href="#">Sign up here</a></p> 	<p><b><u>Football</u></b> Crawley Town 3.20pm - 4.20pm Yrs 5 - 6 Upper Site Field <a href="#">Sign up here</a></p> 	<p><b><u>Karate</u></b> Southern Academy Karate 5.30pm - 6.30pm Yrs 1 - 6 Upper Site Hall</p> 

## irock

Across the UK, thousands of children experience the benefits of iRock lessons every week. We give them the opportunity to be in their very own rock and pop band! There is no cost to the school, we provide highly experienced band coaches as well as all of the instruments and we do all of the admin. We help children develop not only musical skills but also life skills and confidence that provide a solid foundation for later life. We can work in conjunction with your curriculum and offer a certificated learning program for each child with no exams!



Our **weekly 30 minute band sessions** happen within the school day. We look after everything and even supply all of the instruments. It could not be easier. Band members are grouped by similar ages and year groups. Band sizes are capped at nine to ensure everyone receives the very best learning experience. **We create an environment where every child can flourish.**

Please contact the school office if your child is interested or sign up here:  
<https://www.irockschool.com/>



# Dates for your diary



## September 2024

Mon 16th	Year 3 Tag Rugby Festival @ Southgate Playing Fields 1.30pm
Thurs 19th	Year 5/6 Boys District Cup - Broadfield 3G 1.30pm
Fri 20th	Parent Forum, upper site Calm Café @ 9am-10am
Mon 23rd	Year 6 Tag Rugby Festival - CRFC all day Year 6 to Junior Citizen.
Thurs 26th	Year 5/6 Girls District Cup- Broadfield 3G

## October 2024

Friday 4th	Harvest Festival
Thurs 10th	World Mental Health Day Year 4 Tag Rugby Festival - CRFC. Year 6 to Cross Country @ Oriel 3.30pm-5pm
Mon 7th –Fri 11th	Termly Learning Conferences (KS1)
Wed 9th	6 weeks in meetings (Reception)
Mon 14th—Fri 18th	Termly Learning Conferences (KS2)
Thurs 17th	Year 5/6 'Quiksticks' Hockey tournament @ Hazelwick pm
Mon 21st—Fri 25th	Year 6 to PGL
Thurs 24th	Year 4 Netball Festival - TBCC
Mon 28th-Fri 1st Nov	HALF TERM

## November 2024

Mon 4th	INSET Day
Wed 13th	Flu vaccines
Fri 15th	Children in Need
Thurs 21st	Individual photos
Fri 22nd	Sibling photos

## December 2024

Fri 20th	Last day of term
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### INSET Days 2024/2025:

Monday 4th November 2024  
Monday 6th January 2025



# Brownings Farm Dates

Year 6	Ash	24th September	1st October	8th October
Year 6	Larch	25th September	2nd October	9th October
Year 6	Yew	<b>3rd October</b>	<b>11th October</b>	10th October

Year 5	Sycamore	18th March	25th March	1st April
Year 5	Cedar	19th March	26th March	2nd April
Year 5	Cypress	20th March	27th March	3rd April

Year 1	Chestnut	29th April	6th May	13th May
Year 1	Juniper	30th April	7th May	14th May
Year 1	Silver Birch	1st May	8th May	15th May

Year 2	Elm	20th May	4th June	
Year 2	Holly	21st May	10th June	
Year 2	Pine	5th June	11th June	

Reception	Apple	17th June	24th June	1st July
Reception	Cherry	18th June	25th June	2nd July
Reception	Mulberry	19th June	26th June	3rd July



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