



The Bardfield Buzz

Newsletter #28 7th May 2021

The newsletter will be circulated to all parents every Friday. Newsletters are also held centrally at the School Office and are on the website.

Swimming

Thank you if you have returned the swimming information letter for your child. **We still have many outstanding forms.** A letter was sent to you today explaining that swimming is part of the National Curriculum and if your child cannot swim 25 metres then it is a statutory requirement for them to have swimming lessons in school or until they can.

We are very lucky to have a heated pool on site and beautiful new changing rooms. Having access to the pool means that the children can swim twice per week and that they don't need to be transported to another site, which would waste learning time and at least double the cost.

I would also like to reassure parents, that our swimming teacher is fully qualified and can teach the children extra lifesaving skills if they can swim. This can be done in our pool despite it being one metre deep.

We plan to start swimming on Tuesday 8th June and we would ask please that parents pay for the lessons in advance.

PE Kit and school uniform

A reminder that children need to wear the correct uniform for school and PE. This includes the correct footwear please. Children should not wear trainers as part of their uniform but they **do** need them for PE.

School photos

The class photos and Year 6 photos will be taken by Peter Gammon on Tuesday 18th May.

Reading

An important letter regarding Reading will be sent to you on Monday. It is very important that everyone takes the time to read it please.

Certificates:

Golden Awards:

Theo, Dolly H. Albie, Scarlett, Bonnie, Dahlia, Theo MP, Toby, Charlie, Alice C, George N and Louise C

Presentation Awards:

Macey, Dolly Hu, Cassie, Dylan M, Jasmine N and Aimee.

Bookworm Awards:

Alfie S, Freya G, Mila, Indi, Dylan W and Ben Y.

Headteacher Awards:

Theo Mc

On behalf of all of the staff we would like to wish everyone a lovely weekend.

Mrs Kerrell