



BADSWORTH  
CofE School

**CARE – Prepare – Believe**

**'I can do all things through Him who strengthens me'.  
Philippians 4:13**

11<sup>th</sup> February, 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,



**Bags2School** - FOBS have organized for Bags2School to have a collection on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February. Children should have now brought home their Bags2School collection bags where you can fill them with clothes, paired shoes, handbags, hats, scarf, ties, socks, jewellery and belts which you no longer use. **On Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February, place your filled sacks under the bike shelter for collection.**

**Grapes** – Please could I remind all families that when children are bringing grapes into school, as part of packed lunches or morning snacks, they should be cut into quarters lengthways to avoid choking. This is particularly important for younger children, but, at school, we ask for this to be done for all children. The guidance from Food Standards Agency States: Cut small round fruits like grapes, cherries, berries, strawberries and cherry tomatoes, into small pieces: cut lengthways and then again cut them in halves (quarters).



**Parent/Carer CAMHS session** – Amanda Baxter, our CAMHS Practitioner, is holding a parent/carer session on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2026. The session is 'Understanding emotional well-being and mental health in my child'. The session will start at 9am.



**Spring Flowers** - As Spring is approaching, we are starting to see the new shoots and flowers growing for this year. Please help us to look after our school grounds as this is a place that we all belong to and should want to look after. Running through flower beds and picking flowers, like the crocuses, may seem fun, but this damages the plants that everyone should be able to enjoy as they grow. If flowers are picked, it can also prevent them growing back in the future. We ask children and grown-ups to stick to the paths, leave the flowers where they are and show CARE for our shared space. Thank you!

**Diary Dates for this half-term:**

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February – Year 5 Parents – Marrick Meeting 5.30pm

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February – Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February – Young Voices

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February – Last day of term – Non-Uniform Day

Yours Sincerely,

Miss J. Griffiths  
Headteacher



The Designated Senior Lead (DSL) for Safeguarding & Child Protection is the Headteacher, Jenny Griffiths, supported by the Deputy Headteacher Jake Thomson, Dominique Jenkins EYFS and KS1 Team Leader and the SENDCO Marie Parker.

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