



BADSWORTH  
CofE School

**CARE – Prepare – Believe**  
 ‘I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.’  
*Philippians 4:13*

16<sup>th</sup> May, 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

**SATs-** This week, our Year 6 children have completed their Year 6 Statutory Assessments. A huge well done to the whole class. The children remained calm under pressure and continued to work hard. Well done, Year 6, we are so proud of you!



**Operation Encompass** – I just wanted to remind families that school is part of Operation Encompass. This project aims to support children who are living in households where there has been an incident of domestic violence. Witnessing, or even hearing, domestic abuse is distressing for a child or young person. Therefore, school is notified if domestic abuse has been reported to the police. School is notified if the child is present at the incident or not. I would like to make you aware, if school receives an Operation Encompass call, a member of our Safeguarding Team will be in touch to offer support. If anyone is suffering from domestic abuse and would like support, then please contact school and speak to a Designated Safeguarding Lead.

**Fun- Day** – This event consists of stalls and games organized by our Year 6 children. This money goes to school fund. These will be charged at around 20p, 50p or £1 a go. To help us out, **could we please ask that you bring change** to take part in these events.



FOBS will continue to sell refreshments throughout this event. Fun Day starts as soon as possible after KS2 Sports Day finishes. **This usually starts about 3pm. EYFS & KS1 children will be released earlier if adults are here to collect.** If someone different to usual is collecting your child/children at the end of the day, please ensure school staff are made aware of this. We are mindful at this particular event, other family members sometimes collect.

**Earrings** – Again, in collective worship this week, we have highlighted the section of the school handbook which explains the types of ear-rings which children should be wearing for school. Our handbook states that children should wear a simple stud earring - these being similar to the ones your child has when they first get their ears pierced. A number of children are not wearing suitable earrings for school and wearing ones which are flowers, stars, people, spikes etc. Please ensure your child is wearing the correct earrings for school.

**Warmer Weather** – If the forecast is correct, we are due some warmer days this week, and hopefully more to come. With this in mind, could you please ensure your child comes to school with a water bottle and sun hat. Sun cream should be applied before your child comes to school.



The 2025 -26 school calendar is now available:

Half-Term	First Day of School	Last Day of School	Training Days / Bank Holiday
1	3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2025	24 <sup>th</sup> October 2025	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> September INSET Days
2	3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2025	18 <sup>th</sup> December 2025	19 <sup>th</sup> December INSET Day
3	5 <sup>th</sup> January 2026	13 <sup>th</sup> February 2026	
4	23 <sup>rd</sup> February 2026	27 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	
5	13 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2026	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May & Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> May Bank Holiday
6	2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2026	17 <sup>th</sup> July 2026	1 <sup>st</sup> June, 20 <sup>th</sup> July INSET Day

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

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May** – Year 6 Bikeability

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** – Sports Day & Fun Day

Infant Sports Day 9.15am

Junior Sports Day 1.20pm

Whole School Fun Day – 3pm following Junior Sports Day  
**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** – End of term  
**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June** – INSET Day – school closed for children  
**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June** - Children return to school

Yours Sincerely,

Miss J. Griffiths  
Headteacher

 <p>THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND Diocese of Leeds</p>	<p>The Designated Senior Lead (DSL) for Safeguarding &amp; 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.</p> <p>Social Care Direct 0345 8 503 503</p>
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