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Friday 5th January 2024

Hello and welcome back!

All of us at Beechwood Primary hope you've had a lovely Christmas break; It's been great to see you all and your children back at Beechwood this week.

Meet Coco, Beechwood!

We would like to take this opportunity to introduce you to Coco, the latest addition to our school community. He is excited to meet our children and support them with their social and emotional development.

A special thanks to the Harris family for donating Coco, enabling us to offer further enriching experiences for our children.

More details regard Coco and his imminent arrival will be shared soon, we all look forward to meeting him.



Waterworks

Thank you for your patience and support this morning regards school having to be closed until 10:30am due to issues with the water pressure. Obviously, without running water and flushing toilets we couldn't welcome children into school.

Thankfully, this issue was resolved and we were able to open school to everyone, albeit a couple of hours later than usual. We do appreciate the inconvenience this closure will have caused for many of you but thank you for your understanding and patience.

We have a got a busy term ahead and we look forward to sharing the array of learning opportunities and activities with you in the weeks ahead.

Have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you on Monday for a full week of learning!

Mr Arnold and the Beechwood Team.

Diary Dates to Remember

Tues 9th Jan ,Weds 10th Jan 2024

**Reception ,Years 1,2,3 and 4
Parents Evening
(book via e schools)**

**Weds 10th ,Thurs 11th January
Years 5 and 6 Parents Evening
(book via eschools)**

**Tues 9th January
Fire brigade visit yr2 /yr5**

**Thursday 11th January
Dujardin class assembly
2.30pm**

**Thursday 25th January
House Day A.M
Whitlock class assembly
2.30pm**

**Thursday 1st February
Sky Brown class assembly
2.30pm**

**Thursday 8th February
Mo Farah class assembly
2.30pm**

**Mon 12th - Mon 19th February
Half Term**

**Fri 29th March – Fri 12th April
Easter Holidays**

**MONDAY 6TH MAY-
MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY**

**Mon 27th May – Fri 31st May
HALF TERM**

BABY MASSAGE CLASSES - 5 Week Course

There is limited space on this course.

Please contact Sam Roscoe in the school office on 01752 706360 or email beechwood..desk@discoverymat.co.uk to register your interest.

Also please register with the code : W14DF21Z on the QR code below.



Parents Evening –January 2024

Parents and carers will have the opportunity to meet with their child's class teacher to discuss how they are doing in school both socially and academically.

There will be an opportunity to ask questions and to look at your child's books.

Parents' Evening will take place on the following days:

Reception, Year 1 ,2,3,and 4

Tuesday 9th January 2024 and Wednesday 10th January 2024

Year 5 and 6

Wednesday 10th January 2024 and Thursday 11th January 2024

Please book your appointment via E-Schools. The booking window opened on Wednesday 3rd January at 1pm.

If you need any help with this, please contact the school office.

CLUBS—SPRING TERM

After school and lunch clubs will commence from 15th January. A Microsoft form will be sent on Monday 8th January for you to complete . Please ensure you complete your form by the end of school Wednesday

Please note ,the clubs highlighted in yellow will only begin after the February half term.

Clubs will be as follows

Times tables club	Kirsty Giles	Monday after school	3:15-4	KS2
Netball club	Jemma Tumilty	Monday after school	3:15-4	KS2
Guitar club	Michelle Abbott	Monday after school	3:15-4	Year 2 upwards
Reading club	Leanne Field	Monday lunch	12:10-12:55	Year 3 and 4
Colouring club	Sam Reid	Tuesday lunch	12:00-12:45	Year 1 and 2
Coding club	David Poole	Tuesday Lunch	12:10-12:55	Year 3 and 4



Wellbeing Through Crafting (Embroidery) Parenting Course

Come along and join our next Wellbeing Through
Crafting Course held at
Beechwood Primary Academy

**Wednesday 10th January 2024
through to
Wednesday 7th February
13: 00 - 15:00
(5 weeks)**



**Please contact Sam Roscoe to book a space on this course
01752 706360 / beechwood.desk@discoverymat.co.uk**

**Please also scan the barcode to register
Course Code : W14DF32A**

**PLYMOUTH
INFORMATION ADVICE
AND SUPPORT FOR SEND**



WORKSHOP

**Do you need some help and support to
understand your child's needs and behaviour?**

Join us in a free 2 hour workshop

How to understand and support my child's communication- January 18th
9.30-11.30

How to use visual resources to support my child's communication-
January 25th 9.30-11.30

How to understand and support my child's behaviour-
February 1st 9.30-11.30

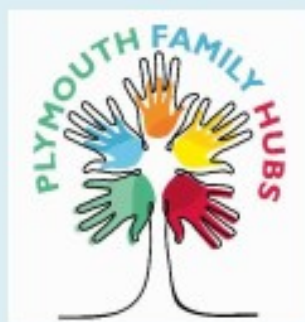
How to use visual resources to support my child's behaviour- February
8th 9.30-11.30

How to understand and support my child's social skills and play-
February 22nd 9.30-11.30

How to use rewards and incentives with my child with SEND- February
29th 9.30-11.30

Running face to face
Register NOW!

[Workshops - Plymouth Information Advice and Support for SEND.
\(plymouthias.org.uk\)](http://plymouthias.org.uk)



Creative? Have good ideas? Want to make a difference?

We need you!



COME JOIN THE TEAM

Beechwood PTFA is a really friendly group that meets about once a month to organise fun events at the school. All the money raised goes back into giving our children extra opportunities and resources.

To find out more please email:
beechwoodptfa@gmail.com

Email Addresses to Remember

Year 6 - Mo Farah - k.giles@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 6 - Sky Brown - k.rust@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 5 - Nicola Adams - c.pumphrey@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 5 - Dina Asha-Smith - a.durber@discoverymat.co.uk or k.matthews@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 4 - Ben Ainslie - d.poole@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 4 - Ellie Simmonds - j.tumilty@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 3 - Max Whitlock - c.townsend@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 3 - Charlotte Dujardin - i.watson@discoverymat.co.uk or l.field@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 2 - Cody Everson - c.mccarthy@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 2 - Kelly Holmes - s.reed@discoverymat.co.uk or a.carroll@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 1 - Laura Muir - s.pindard@discoverymat.co.uk

Year 1 - Usain Bolt - m.abbott@discoverymat.co.uk or a.blakeston@discoverymat.co.uk

Rec - Jill Scott - k.gardner@discoverymat.co.uk

Rec - Tom Daley - h.waite@discoverymat.co.uk or s.reed@discoverymat.co.uk