



Dear Parents, Carers and Friends of the school.

I trust you have had a lovely Easter break, especially now that the weather has improved and some elements of lockdown are easing.

I have enjoyed chatting to parents on the playground this week and catching up with the children in school.

There is a sense of calm and purpose in classes as pupils refocus on their learning for this last term of the school year.

Positive Covid cases reminder

If your child tests positive for Covid-19, having developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in school, then please notify school using the usual email address - **positivecovid@beestonprimary.org**. We will then follow the Government guidelines in notifying the relevant parties to any bubble closures. Learning then will continue online until the self-isolation period ends.

Please check our school website if you would like to view Leeds City Council's Covid-19 risk assessment for our school.

Covid secure events this term

We pride ourselves on the many community events we host over the school year, but since March 2020 it has not been safe to gather in large groups or crowds due to the pandemic. However, the children have asked if our annual sport day events can happen during Covid times.

Following Government guidance and the Leeds City Council's risk assessment, we will be hosting class bubble sports days which will be held in the school grounds. Unfortunately we cannot invite parents to watch this year but will ensure that there are plenty of photos and film clips on our Facebook page and school website.

Miss Charlton, our PE leader, will let each class know when their sports day

will be so that pupils can come into school in their PE kits.

Our annual Year 6 'end of year' Production and Graduation will still take place, sadly without an audience and in class bubbles. However we will ensure these are filmed and available for all families to view on our website mid-July.

Like all schools nationally, we look forward to the time when we can invite crowds of parents back into the school building and to become actively involved in our community events.

Contact details

It is a statutory requirement that schools hold two emergency contact numbers for every pupil. If you have changed your mobile phone recently or your emergency contacts details need updating, please speak to the school office. Email and text are our first means of whole class/year group or school contact, followed by our Facebook page and website. Letters are no longer printed and sent home therefore it is important that your child's details remain accurate. Thanks.

For parents who have children starting school in September

Parents should have received an email from Leeds City Council's schools' admissions team last Friday confirming their child's school place. We currently have a few spaces available for September in Reception, therefore if parents know of anyone who still wants a Reception place at Beeston Primary then please ask them to contact the school office to reserve a place. Thanks.

Have a lovely weekend everyone. Stay safe and best wishes,

Mr Edensor
Headteacher

Diary Dates

Daily after school classes

Catch up classes and individual tutoring for targeted children in Key Stages 1 and 2 will resume on Monday. You will have already received a letter if your child is eligible for this support.

Training days left

Friday 28th May 2021
Monday 26th July 2021
Tuesday 27th July 2021
School will be closed to pupils on these days.

Keep in touch

Please don't forget to check out our school's Facebook page at Beeston Primary School Leeds and our school website for regular updates about COVID-19 and daily school life.

As you are aware, there are currently limited community events happening in schools nationally, due to COVID-19 restrictions. However the following events will take place, this term for the children, without family gatherings/crowds.

Class bubble sports days
Year 6 online production
Year 6 online graduation

End of year pupil reports will be sent out to all parents on Friday 9th July 2021.