

Message from the Headteacher:

Hi All,

I cannot believe how quickly the half term goes and we are already at the end of the first week.

Learners have settled down well and are fully engaging in the curriculum.

I am excited that our first Forest Schools Experience is happening next week where learners will begin to apply their knowledge in the forest to complete many exciting tasks linked to the curriculum. It is also a great opportunity for learners to develop their teamwork, social interaction, and problem-solving skills.

Parents evening is on Tuesday 15th March. You will be required to choose a time slot to meet the teacher. The teacher will discuss the curriculum (what your young person is learning), assessment information (how your young person is achieving) and the timetable.

Have a nice weekend

Kind Regards,

Ben Hawes

Arbor Parent Portal

We currently have 60% usage on the portal.

Please download from your Play Store on your phone, the Arbor App.

Go to <https://login.arbor.sc/> and click Forgot your password?

To finish creating your account you just need to set a password. Your username is your email address.

If you have any queries, please contact the school office.

School Calendar



3 March	World Book Day
15 March	Parents Evening
28 March	Inset Day 5 – School closed to pupils
29 March	Pupils return to school
1 April	Last day of term
4 – 18 April	Easter Holiday
19 April	Pupils return to school

Parental Engagement

Notice to Parents

- Parent Skills Audit must be returned to the office as soon as possible. This will provide supportive information for the engagement team to work closely with the parent community.
- The virtual parent engagement series runs every Wednesday at 11 -12pm. Every week we have 30 minutes delivered by our guest speakers, followed by a segment of talking, sharing comments and suggestions for the partnership work being planned and actioned

Booking Appointments

You can now book Parent Point Meetings via the Arbor App for Monday, Wednesday & Friday for a 30min session between 9.00 – 11.30am with Edith (WM) or Sam (BH).

Edith Windsor-Stokes

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Learning @ BFH – Orange Class

This week orange class have been learning about different types of transport that take us places in line with our new topic travel.



We enjoyed exploring the toy cars in the paint and making lots of patterns, the toy boats in the water tray and driving the toy trains over cereal to make different sounds.



We have also been working hard on our personal, social and emotional development through paired and group activities. We done a brilliant job at playing alongside each other and taking part in shared attention activities.



Learning @ WM – Watson Class

Independent living skills

Our class has been working really hard on developing our independent domestic living skills, practicing changing pillowcases, sweeping up, wiping surfaces and folding clothes, along with other skills.



Italy

Also, this week, and next week our class topic is Italy, so we have worked amazingly make the Leaning Tower of Pisa from cylinder nets to stick together to create the tower, and then drew the arches up our towers, and made mosaics of the Italian flag.



Lego Therapy

Watson class have also been working together in Lego therapy to develop our communication skills, social skills, and teamwork. We described the different pieces needed to complete the build, either verbally or with the assistance of our communication aid. Then helping each other to follow the visual instructions to create the build, and one of us would show where the block should go if the builder got stuck.

