



## Bocking Church Street Community Primary School

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Week ending 14th September 2018

Headteacher: **Miss Deborah Tatlow**

Be respectful Be ready Be resilient Be responsible Be resourceful Be reflective Be remarkable

Our first full week of the Autumn term comes to an end today. We have had a very busy week of learning. Each class held their class learning forum where the children thought about how they can be good listeners.

Next week, (Wednesday to Friday) we will be having some work carried out on the outdoor area, please take care when using the car park as there may be heavy plant machinery around.

The governors met this week and have ratified some policies which can now be found on our website.

### Fruit Snack

Children in Key Stage 1 are provided with a piece of fruit at play-time. We encourage children in Key Stage 2 to bring in their own fruit snack for play-times.



We have made some changes to the way we approach behaviour and our behaviour policy this term.

We would like to share these changes with you and invite you to join us on **Tuesday 18th September 2018** from **6-7pm** for a workshop which will inform you of these changes.

We hope you will be able to join us.

### School Photographer

Will be in school on Wednesday 19th September. There will be an opportunity from 8am for sibling photographs with older or younger children not attending Bocking School.



### Secure Entry System

The gate beside Miss Tatlow's office is open from 8.35am until 9am and from 3pm until 3.25pm. When the gate is closed, please press the button to call the office. If you have been visiting the school and the gate is closed when you leave please use the green button mounted on the wall by the window to release the gate.

### Outdoor area

We are developing our outdoor learning space and are searching for anyone who may be able to help with setting up a turfing and working party. If you feel you would be available to help please let the office know your availability.

When using the swing field please ensure that your children are not playing within the former Edith Borthwick grounds. A number of children have been seen playing around the former caretakers house.

These buildings have been abandoned now for three years and should not be considered a safe place to play.



Please make sure that all of your child's uniform and PE kits are clearly labelled with their name. Many Thanks.

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### Dates for the term ahead:

18th Sept	Behaviour workshop 6pm
19th Sept	Photographs
20th Sept	Home School Liaison drop in
21st Sept	Parent headteacher time 2:30pm
25th Sept	Parent headteacher time 9am
28th Sept	Macmillan Coffee morning
	Year 3 theme day
5th Oct	Parent headteacher time 9am
8th Oct	Parent headteacher time 2:30pm
10th Oct	Harvest Service (10.30am and 2pm)
10th Oct	Friends AGM 6:30pm
11th Oct	Parents Forum 9am
15th—19th Oct	Year 6 residential
18th Oct	Home School Liaison drop in

### **HALF TERM 22nd—26th October**

30th Oct	Halloween Discos
1st Nov	Parent headteacher time 9am
7th Nov	Parent headteacher time 9am
<b>12th Nov</b>	INSET DAY
13th Nov	TLCs—3.30-6pm
15th Nov	Home School Liaison drop in
	TLC's—4.30-7pm
16th Nov	Parent headteacher time 2:30pm
22nd Nov	Parent headteacher time 9am
26th Nov	Parents Forum
27th Nov	Parent headteacher time 2:30pm
30th Nov	Friends Christmas Fayre
5th Dec	Parent headteacher time 2:30pm
6th Dec	Whole school panto visit
12th Dec	Children's Christmas lunch
13th Dec	Home School Liaison drop in
14th Dec	Parent headteacher time 9am
17th Dec	Carols in church 10am and 2:30pm
19th Dec	Last day of term

The Friends are looking for local companies to sponsor casino tables, the disco, lighting and ceiling drapes or to donate prizes at their casino night due to be held on Friday 28th September 2018.

### **Our topics for this term are:**

**EYFS** All about me and transport

**Year 1** The Enchanted Woodland

**Year 2** Once Upon a time

**Year 3** Stones and Bones (The Stone Age)

**Foxes and Badgers** Magic Kingdom

**Year 5** Valiant Vikings

**Year 6** Ancient Greece / Troy

*100% Attendance and Punctuality*

From 7th - 13th  
September every  
class apart from

year 2 achieved 100% punctuality. Reception class  
achieved the highest attendance at 98.89%.



## **Week Ahead Menu**

Monday	Spaghetti Bolognese or Quorn Bolognese with garlic bread  Sub roll with cheese  Summer Fruit Crumble and Custard
Tuesday	Crispy Chicken or Quorn Dippers with Rainbow Pasta and tomato sauce  Sweetcorn & Red Pepper Salad  Fresh fruit bar
Wednesday	Roast Turkey or sweet potato rosti with Yorkshire pudding/roast potatoes/vegetables and gravy  Roast in a Roll  Angel delight
Thursday	All Day Breakfast or Vegetarian Breakfast  Jacket Potato with Beans  Arctic Roll
Friday	Fish fingers/chips/baked beans and sweetcorn  Or cheese and onion quiche  Tomato pasta bowl  Chunky flapjack