



Bulphan
Church of England Academy



Newsletter

Friday 14th January 2022

God's Word is a lamp to guide our feet and a light for our path.

Inspired by Psalm 119:105

Swimming

Years 3 and 4 started swimming this week. They had a wonderful time on Thursday and Mrs Johal and Mrs Turnidge were really impressed with their resilience and perseverance during the session. Well done year 3 and 4- keep smashing your PE lessons!



A polite reminder that earrings need to be taken out before swimming and that no jewellery or watches can be worn in the pool.

COVID guidance update from the government

From Monday 17th January, people who are self-isolating with COVID-19 will have the option to reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a lateral flow device (LFD) test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature. For example, if they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to their education or childcare setting immediately on day 6.

The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period, and the second must be taken the following day. All test results should be [reported to NHS Test and Trace](#).

If the result of either of their tests is positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two LFD tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is earliest.

Clubs

You should have all received a club letter by now. Reception children **are** able to attend, please return your form by **Tuesday 18th January**. Please be mindful that lots of children will want to apply and therefore, your child may only get into one of their choices, if they choose multiple.

Miss Finch

Miss Taylor

Executive Head teacher

Head of School

Attendance w/c 10th Jan 2022

1st	Lower School	98.33%
2nd	Upper School	97.69%
3rd	Middle School	90.38%

Whole School – 95.47%

The Government expects our attendance to be 96%

Stars of the Week

Lower School - Harriet

- Ava

Middle School - Scarlett-Rose

- Maisy

- Charlie W

Upper School - Zac

- Jayden

Playground Stars

Lower School - Treasure

Middle School - Louie

Upper School - Jack P

Team Points

This week **Green** team had the most points.

Well done **Green** team!



Walk-in Flu vaccinations

Help keep your friends and family safe.

Timberlog Youth Centre

Timberlog Ln, Basildon SS14 1UX

Saturday 15th January 2022 • 10.30am–3pm

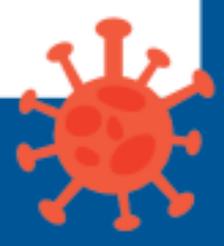
- **Seasonal Flu Vaccination for children in Reception – Year 6**

Walk in... no appointment necessary

Parking: No parking on site. Nearest parking is Stacey Corner
Shops



www.essexcovidvaccine.nhs.uk



Thurrock Council school term and holiday dates for community and voluntary controlled schools academic year 2022/23

September 2022							October 2022							November 2022							December 2022						
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 = School days

 = Weekends

 = School holidays

 = Bank holidays

In addition, schools allocate 5 non-pupil days out of the school days indicated, or the equivalent in disaggregated twilight sessions.

Autumn term	Thursday 1 September 2022 to Tuesday 20 December 2022 Half term – Monday 17 October to Friday 28 October	69 days
Spring term	Thursday 5 January 2023 to Friday 31 March 2023 Half term – Monday 13 February to Friday 17 February	57 days
Summer term	Monday 17 April 2023 to Friday 21 July 2023 Half term – Monday 29 May to Friday 2 June	64 days
Early May holiday	Monday 1 May 2023	190 days

The above dates may vary for individual schools, especially foundation, voluntary-aided schools and academies. We strongly advise that you to check with your child's school before making any holiday plans or other commitments.