



F&B NEWSLETTER

Autumn Term: Monday 30th September

We are on Week 2 of the lunch menu

Dear Parents / Carers,

We are at the half way point already—this term is flying by! Thank you for everyone who took part in the Travel Week.

We have opened bookings for Parent Consultations: please do book these via Arbor as soon as possible.

On Friday 4th October, our School Council proudly presents - Break The Rules Day at F&B!

There are up to 6 rules that can be broken (please see attached poster for details) - please make a £1 payment via the Arbor school shop for each rule your child will be breaking (a payment of up to £6 can be made per child)

We wanted to share that the science club have been up to. They were making their own lava lamps and exploring reactions and density.

Mr Wells, Headteacher



Dexter

Harry was so excited about bringing Dexter home.

Friday - Dexter attended the opening of the Sawbridgeworth Bounce bed studio, he enjoyed trying out the bed and the first class snacks, he listened very well whilst Harry did his reading in bed.

Saturday - Dexter had to be up early to watch Harry at his swimming lesson then a quick dash to inflatacity for a birthday party where he got very sweaty but had a lot of fun! He then met Harry's cousins whilst they played and had tea at Gran and Grandpa's house.

Sunday - Dexter spent the morning at home making cakes, doing a bug treasure hunt and buildings dens. He then watched Harry's sister at football, popped to the shops and ended his busy weekend with a family roast.



BREAK the RULES DAY



Rules to be broken include:

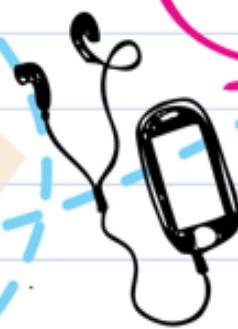
1. Bring one small treat snack
2. Bring in one **named** soft toy
3. Wear non-uniform
4. Wear a temporary tattoo
5. Have wacky hair e.g. dyed hair/gelled up hair
6. Wear trainers

All profits will go towards the School Council budget

Here's how it works:

When?

Fri 4th October
2024



Rules cost £1 each,
payable via
Arbor.

Parentkind
Member Association


Trips and Extra-Curricular Activities 2024—2025

Trips and Enrichment Opportunities:

We have a number of wonderful trips, visitors, special events planned across the year. Some will be familiar to you because they continue to provide excellent learning opportunities but other will be new. This is to allow our curriculum to evolve and develop along with our pupils. We will always be mindful of cost to ensure all pupils have the opportunity to attend. We will be using Arbor for payments of trips. As always, we ask all families to pay for the trips but if there are ever any challenges around this, to contact the school.


Club	Year Group (s)	Dates/Times	To book please contact
French	R, Year 1 & 2	Tuesdays, 15:15 to 16:00	rachelpovey560@btinternet.com
French	R, Year 1 & 2	Wednesday 15:15 to 16:00	rachelpovey560@btinternet.com
Spanish	R and Year 1	Monday 15:15 to 16:00	sylviadiazmar@gmail.com
Spanish	Year 2	Monday 08:00 to 08:45	sylviadiazmar@gmail.com
Choir	Year 2 (Currently)	Wednesday 08:15 to 08:45	Bookable via ARBOR
Gardening	All years	Monday Lunch Times	Self selected: Free choice during Lunch time
Numbots Times Tables Rock Stars	R, Year 1 and 2	Lunch Times	Self selected: Free choice during Lunch time
Football	R and Year 1	Monday 15:15 to 16:15	By clicking the link: www.premier-education.com
Tennis	R, Year 1 and 2	Tuesday 15:15 to 16:15	By clicking the link: www.premier-education.com
Basketball	R, Year 1 and 2	Wednesday 15:15 to 16:15	By clicking the link: www.premier-education.com
Gymnastics	R, Year 1 and 2	Thursday 15:15 to 16:15	By clicking the link: www.premier-education.com
Football	Year 2	Friday 15:15 to 16:15	By clicking the link: www.premier-education.com
Dance	Year R, 1 and 2	Tuesday 8:00 am	
Art	Year R, 1 and 2	Thursday 15:15 to 16:15	
Cooking	Year 1 and 2	Wednesday 15:15 to 16:15	
Outdoor Learning	Year 2 (Currently)	Thursday 15:15 to 16:15	
Rock Steady	Year 1 and 2	Lunch times	
Science	Year 2	Monday 15:15 to 16:15	

Help inspire our children



As part of our School's Artsmark Journey we are looking for people within our community who have creative careers to help inspire our children.

We are hoping to invite people who work in the creative industries maybe as illustrators, sculptors, textile surface pattern designers, artists, graphic designers, ceramicists, animators, photographers and more to talk to the children about what they do and also show them - maybe through a demonstration.



If you work within these industries or know someone who does and would be willing to come and visit our school please contact Miss Ancient - Art lead.

iancient@fandb.herts.sch.uk

Thank you!



**We're working
towards Artsmark**
Awarded by Arts
Council England

25th September	The F&B way parent session – Book on Arbor from September 3rd – 18:30
24th September	Year 2 Scooter ability – Jasmine Class – more info to follow
2nd October	School Council Parliament Trip
3rd October	Year 2 Scooter-ability - Sunflower Class
4 th October	Break the Rules Day
8 th October	PTA AGM – open to all 8pm
9 th October	Individual Photo's
21 st October	YN end of topic 11:00 and 14:40
22 nd October	YR end of topic 14:40
22 nd October	Parents Evening
23 rd October	Y1 end of topic 14:40
24 th October	Y2 end of topic 14:40
24 th October	Parents Evening
5 th November	Year 1 Planetarium in school
5 th November	Year 2 parent tours of Reedings 9:30 and 13:30 (book on Arbor from September)
11 th November	Year 2 Remembrance Service at Reedings
13 th November	Year R – Owls into school
15 th November	Children In Need
19 th November	Reedings Tour for prospective Reception Parents (9.30am & 1.30pm -Book with Reedings)
29 th November	Flu Spray Immunisations (Reception, Yr 1 & Yr 2)
2 nd December	Occasional Day – School closed
4 th December	Christmas Lunch & Panto
5 th December	9.30am Early Years (Nursery & Reception) Christmas Show
6 th December	9.30am KS1 (Yr 1 & 2) Christmas Show
9 th December	9.30am Early Years (Nursery & Reception) Christmas Show
10 th December	2pm Early Years (Nursery & Reception) Christmas Show
12 th December	9.30am KS1 (Yr 1 & 2) Christmas Show
13 th December	9.30am KS1 (Yr 1 & 2) Christmas Show
16 th December	2pm Rocksteady & Choir Concert
17 th December	Special Festive Visitor – shhhhhh!
19 th December	School Finishes at 2pm for Christmas break

Term Dates

**Reedings Junior School and
Fawbert and Barnard Infant School
Term Dates for Academic Year 2024-2025**



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Term Time	School holidays	5 INSET Days/ 1 Occasional day	Bank Holiday	Weekend
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In addition, schools allocate five non-pupil days out of the school days indicated, or the equivalent in disaggregated twilight sessions.

[2025 to 2026 term dates can be found here](#)

DSPL3 SEND Coffee Morning

We are excited to invite all parents and carers of children with SEND to a relaxed and supportive meeting designed to offer valuable information and networking opportunities. This gathering will serve as a welcoming space for you to connect with other parents and carers, share experiences, and gain insights into various topics that matter to you. Whether you're looking for practical advice, emotional support, or simply a chance to meet and chat with others in a similar situation, this event promises to be both informative and enriching with a range of professionals available to you. Light refreshments will be provided, and we encourage you to bring any questions or topics you'd like to discuss. We look forward to seeing you there and fostering a strong, supportive community together!

Priorswood, 65127 HB, 13 November 10-11.30 am

Coffee Morning

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Apply For School!

Applications open on Friday 1st November 2024 and close on Wednesday 15th January 2025.

If your child is in Nursery, you will need to apply for Reception.

If your child is currently in Year 2, you will need to apply for Reedings for them.

If your child is in Year 2 and you would like to book a parent tour for Reedings on 5th November, please book via Arbor.

Further information about applying can be found at www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions

Apply for school on time

Applying for a school place for September 2025

Secondary/Upper/Studio/University Technical College
Application deadline: Thursday 31 October 2024

Primary (Reception)/Junior/Middle
Application deadline: Wednesday 15 January 2025

Apply online at
www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions

