



# Billingshurst Primary School

Autumn Term Calendar 2023-24

# Welcome to the Autumn Term

Following feedback from families, we have carefully reviewed our communications for this academic year. As part of this work, we are piloting a new timeline for parents and carers, so you know what is to come this term.

More detailed letters will be sent about the events with more specific information nearer the time, but we wanted to give you the maximum notice so you can be available for special events to celebrate your children.

Please do share feedback, both positive and constructive, so we can make changes. We aim to send a detailed overview of Spring by half term.

# September

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w/c 11th September – clubs begin

15th – House Captain and Sports Captain elections

18th – Y5 and Y6 year group meetings 3.20pm

20th – Y3 and Y4 year group meetings 3.20pm

21st – Y1 and Y2 year group meetings at 3.15pm

22nd – Reception year group meeting at 3.10pm

26th – Y5 and Y6 swimming gala

27th – Y5 and Y6 Talented Athlete launch day

26th – Y5 Poetry Workshop

26th – European Languages Day

29th – Y4 trip to Fishbourne Palace



# October

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Black History Month – Celebrating Our Sisters –  
2-week project from w/c 9th October

2nd – Y6 Bikeability begins

11th – Y3 and Y4 Multi skills festival

17th – Parents' Evening 4pm-7pm

18th – Parents' Evening 3.30pm-5.30pm

17th and 18th – Book Nook book fair in KS2 hall  
(alongside Parents' Evening)

Monday 23rd – Friday 27th – Half Term

30th – School inset

31st – back to school



# November

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6th – Y5 Planetarium visit

8th – Y3, 4, 5 and 6 Cross Country meet

8th – Y5 Lodge Hill parents meeting

12th – Diwali (celebrated in assembly)

w/c 13th - Anti-Bullying Week

w/c 13th - Extended Parent Consultations begin

17th - Flu immunisations

22nd – KS1 Multi skills festival

28th – Y3 ukulele concerts:

Egypt 9.30am

Madagascar 10.15am

Morocco 11.00am



# December – part 1

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- 4th – Y6 Christmas production 9.30am
- 4th – Reception nativity 2.30pm
- 5th – Y5 Christmas production 9.30am
- 5th – Y1 Christmas production 2.30pm
- 6th – Y2 Christmas production 2.30pm
- 7th – Reception nativity 9.30am
- 7th – Y4 Christmas production 2.30pm
- 8th – Y3 Christmas production 2.30pm
- 8th – BPSCA Christmas Trug competition draw
- 7th – 15th – Hannukah (celebrated in assembly)



# December – part 2

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11th – Y5 and Y6 Quick Cricket

11th – Carols in the playground after school

11th – Y5 and Y6 hockey tournament

13th – Pantomime at The Hawth Theatre

14th – Christmas lunch, Christmas jumpers and Christmas parties in classes

15th – Christmas Church Service

15th – End of term – Merry Christmas!



# 2024

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We will send you a detailed overview for Spring Term soon, but here are some key dates for you looking ahead – more to come in your October update!

9th February – Welly Walk

19th and 20th March – Parents' Evening

26th/27th March – Y5 Lodge Hill residential

w/c 13th May – KS2 SATs

10th – 14th June – Y6 Tile Barn residential

6th July – Summer Fun Day

9th July – Reception and KS1 Sports Day (backup date 16th July)

11th July – KS2 Sports Day (backup date 18th July)

16th and 17th July – Y6 production

19th July – reports sent home

23rd July – last day of term

