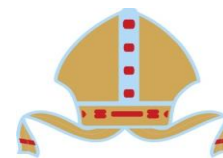


# Bishop King Church of England Primary School



## Newsletter January 2020

Dream big. Love God. Live well.

### Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

I wish you all a Happy New Year. We welcome our new nursery children, and their parents, who have joined us this term; the children are settling into school well.

We have a wide range of clubs at lunchtimes and after school. If your child hasn't signed up yet, it isn't too late to do so – there are clubs for all ages. Please note that there is no cost for any clubs run by school. If you would like your child to attend the Lincoln City After-School Club, there is a daily charge.

Please remember to adhere to our school uniform policy; sporty jogging pants are not part of this. We do have a rack of clean, second-hand items of uniform and outdoor coats at our front office; if you wish to have a look, please ask a member of the office team for help.

Yours faithfully, Mrs. H. Wheatley M.A

### Dates for your Diary

Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 3 Parental Engagement 9.00 – 10.30am – Everyone Welcome Building Egyptian Pyramids 6M – Visiting Lincs Showground for Farmers Breakfast 6F Collective Worship – Please arrive for 2.40pm, starts at 2.45pm
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> January	
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> January	Conversation Club 10.-12. Please ask for details
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 3 Egypt Workshop
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> January	5L – Swimming Police visiting EYFS
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> January	4M - Swimming
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February	FS and Year 6 - Heights & Weights measurements
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> February	
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	5L - Swimming
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	4M - Swimming 5T - Collective Worship, arrive 2.40pm, starts 2.45pm
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> February	
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	5L - Swimming <b>Last day before Half Term</b>
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February	<b>Back to school</b>
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> February	
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	5T - Swimming
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	4C - Swimming
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March	
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> March	5T - Swimming
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	4C – Swimming Bishop King Day

**For term dates and other information, please see the school website [www.bishopking.org.uk](http://www.bishopking.org.uk)**

### Welfare Concerns

If any adult has concerns about the welfare of any child, they have a responsibility to contact:

The Children's Customer Service Centre: **01522 782111**.  
Further advice can be obtained from Mrs. Henry: **01522 880094**.

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### Food and Drink in School

- If your child would like to change their choice on the menu, please contact Miss Stevens in the school office.
- Please keep us updated about any food allergies that your child may have; this is vital for when classes are doing cooking activities.

### School Gates

Just a polite reminder the school gates are open from 8.40am to 8.50am, after this time children will need to enter their classroom via the school office. Please try and get to school on time to avoid any disruption to the class and their learning time. Thank you

### Recent Activities

Photos and information about recent school activities can be found on the school website: **bishopking.org.uk** and on our Facebook page and Twitter feed (as detailed above).

### Childline – Calm Zone

Child have launched a Calm Zone – Take a look at the different techniques and resources for young people to use if they are ever feeling anxious, scared or sad. Please visit their webpage for more information -

[www.childline.org.uk/calm-zone](http://www.childline.org.uk/calm-zone)



### School Attendance

13 Jan – 17 Jan	= <b>95%</b>
06 Jan – 10 Jan	= <b>97%</b>
16 Dec – 19 Dec	= <b>92%</b>
09 Dec – 13 Dec	= <b>87%</b>
02 Dec – 06 Dec	= <b>88%</b>

**Our target is 100% attendance.**  
Please work with us to achieve this level:

- Routine medical check-ups (e.g. Dentist and Optician) should be outside of the school day.
- Family holidays should **NOT** be taken in term time and have to be reported to Lincolnshire County Council.
- Cough medicine, Calpol, antibiotics, etc can be held at the office to support children during the day and help them remain in school.

### Uniform / Lost Property

**PLEASE LABEL ALL SCHOOL UNIFORM AND OUTDOOR COATS** and all other items brought to school. Lost items can then be returned.

We have a **good selection of pre-loved uniform** items available, come and have a look at the clothes rails in the school office entrance and ask at the office if you are looking for a particular item or size.  
Any donation amount is appreciated for these clothes.

Thank you to parents for recent donations of outgrown uniform.

### Friends of BK School

The next Friends' coffee morning is to be confirmed. If you would like to help out or have fundraising ideas, please let the school office know, we are always looking for volunteers.  
Thank you

### Parent Contact Details

Please ensure we hold **2 contact phone numbers** for each child so we can reach you in an emergency. Also it is useful to have an email address to send you letters and information.

**Please see the office to update your details.**