

Bidford on Avon Church of England Primary School



NEWSLETTER 9 – 7th November 2025



Dates for your Diary (new dates added in green)

Tuesday 11th November – Parent taster afternoon (2:45pm)

Friday 14th November – School Disco

Friday 14th November – Non-uniform for Children in Need

Tuesday 18th November – KS2 TTR rockstars dress up date

Thursday 27th November – Wreath making – Event cancelled

Thursday 4th December – LKS2 Topic Day (More information to follow)

Friday 5th December – BSA Non-uniform in exchange for a bottle donation

Friday 12th December – Christmas Fayre

Wednesday 17th December – Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 18th December - Rudolph Run (more information to follow)



KS2 - Times Table Rock Stars Day

On Tuesday 18th November 2025, children in Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 are invited to dress up as a rock star for the day as we are taking part in the Times Table Rock Stars 'England Rocks' competition. During the day, each class will have time to play on TTRS,
Children in Deer Class (Year 5 Miss Waters) will still have PE in the afternoon, so therefore can either bring their PE kit with them to get changed into or wear something suitable that they can also do PE in.

Over the three days, children can play in any game mode with every correct answer to a multiplication or division question, earning themselves, their class and the school a point.

To support player wellbeing, there is a daily time limit of 60-minutes per player. Once the player goes beyond 60-minutes of play on that day, they will still earn coins but will no longer earn points towards the competition. In the spirit of the competition, please don't play on their behalf but by all means encourage and support them.

Reception

As part of our topic on "People Who Help Us," Reception had an exciting visit from a local police officer. The children learned about the important ways the police help others and were shown some of the equipment officers use in their daily work. They had the chance to look inside a police van, sit in the cage area at the back, listen to the sirens, and even try on parts of the police uniform. It was a wonderful hands-on experience, and the children were thrilled to meet a *real-life* police officer!



Head Lice Alert

We've had a few recent cases of head lice reported in our school community. Please take a moment to check your child's hair regularly and treat promptly if needed. Early detection helps prevent lice from spreading. Thank you for helping us keep our classrooms healthy and lice-free!

Notes/Reminders

- If your child is unwell and unable to attend school, please leave a message on our absence line 01789 773201, Option 1, email to admin3011@welearn365.com or send a message on the school gateway app by **9.15am**
 - If your child will be collected by someone different, please contact the school office **before 12pm** on the day.
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Welcome back! I hope you all managed to have a restful half term with lots of time shared with your children. This half term is certainly going to be a busy one and it feels like the excitement is already building.

This week I have had the pleasure of reading some of the wonderful writing in Keystage 2 and seeing what budding writers they are becoming.

It has been lovely welcoming Miss Drissell back into school this week. The Year 6 children were thrilled to have her enthusiastic and bubbling nature back in the classroom. When she has settled back in, we will send out an invite for Year 6 parents to have their parent consultations.

Next week, we will be having our in-school remembrance on Tuesday where the children will take time to remember those that have given their lives for their country.

I hope you have a great weekend and a quick reminder that the school will be joining the remembrance parade in Bidford, on Sunday if you are available to join. We are meeting at the car park opposite the old Royal Legion building at 9am.

Mr A. Morris

ARTS AND CRAFTS CLUB

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB at Bidford on Avon CE Primary School.

Venue - Bidford on Avon Primary School studio. 3:25pm – 4.30pm,
TUESDAYS, November 11th to December 9th 2025.

Details - This is a club for years Reception to Yr6.

Children come to the club straight from class.

We'll start with a snack (fruit/biscuit/cake) and then a weekly selection of arts and crafts to get creative with! And often end with a game or two.

Cost - £45/child for the 5 weeks.

Please book direct with Su Lincoln.

E: sulincoln.sl@gmail.com M: 07813 993206

....Places are limited....

Payment to be made in advance to:

Mrs S. Lincoln

Bank account: 01438663

Sort code: 30 98 26

Reference: your child's name



PLEASE CONFIRM PLACE BEFORE PAYMENT

Information also required.

Childs full name:

Parent/carer name:

School year:

Any Allergies:

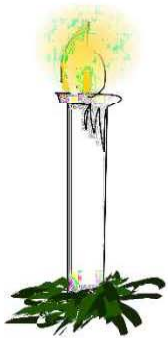
Allowed to walk home? (years 5 and 6 only):

Emergency tel. no.:





Messy Church
Christmas is coming
Saturday 15th November
2 - 4pm
at St Laurence's Church
Bidford



Crafts, games, food and celebration

Families with children of all ages welcome.

No need to book

Free (donation welcome)

Come and have some fun

For more information email c.leahy@yahoo.co.uk