

St Botolph's Academy News

Summer 2 Week 7

In Gods hands we love, learn and grow.

A note from Mrs Adams:

We have finally come to the end of the year! What a great year this has been with the academy continuing to make good improvements and come out of special measures. Thank you to staff, pupils and parents for all of your support and commitment. I would like to take this opportunity to wish our Y6 pupils all the best as they move on to high school and congratulate them on an amazing year, the performance was brilliant too! We have such talented pupils at our academy and they are a credit to you. We will be breaking up for the holidays on Friday 20th July and I hope you enjoy the break and make the most of this lovely weather. We look forward to seeing you in September.

Attendance

As you know, attendance has been a high priority this year. We have made improvements but we need to do even better next year in order to reach target.

July 2017— 94%

July 2018—95%

Academy Target—96%

Holidays taken in term time are still a real problem and if you are not aware, any money from fines goes directly to the local authority and not to us.

We do understand that shift patterns for work can cause difficulties and we urge you to come and talk to us before booking a holiday.

Christian Values

Our Christian value theme for this half term is:

Reflection

"Life can only be understood backwards; but it must be lived forwards."



Scooters and bikes

We are aware that some children like to come to school on their scooter. Can we please ask that parents/carers don't allow their children to ride the scooters/bikes on the school grounds to reduce accidents. Could we please remind you that nursery children should not be riding scooters around cars in the staff car park as this is dangerous.



Thank you for your cooperation.

Internet controls

We would just like to let parents/carers know that on the school website there are parental help guides for Play Stations, Wii, Nintendo and Xboxes. This is to help parents understand how to put blocks on the devices and support their children in keeping them safe online.



Here to help

Principal - Mrs D Adams

Vice Principal—Mrs LClipsham

Assistant Principal- Mrs E Fisher

EYFS Leader- Mrs A Howarth

Academy Business Manager—Mrs Simister

Safeguarding leads –Mrs Adams, Mrs Clipsham, Mrs Toon,

Mrs Simister, Mrs Shepherd, Mrs Howarth

SENCo—Mrs H Shepherd

Chair of Governors - Mr Peter Bell



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Academy name and logo

In March 2018, we became part of ENHANCE academies trust. We have decided that now would be a good time to refresh our logo and, as you read in a recent newsletter, the logo (shown below) will be available on uniform from September. The places available to buy uniform from will be put on our web-site and mobile app. We will of course allow a lengthy transition period for this and if you have any questions, please come and ask us.



Future dates for your diary



Thursday 19th July—Year 6 Leavers Assembly in school
 Thursday 19th July—Good to be Green reward afternoon.
 Friday 20th July—Coffee morning and worship (parents are warmly invited)
 Friday 20th July—St Botolph's Talent show.

Monday 3rd September—INSET day
 Tuesday 4th September—School opens for children.