

St Buryan Academy Newsletter

Friday March 5 2021



Key Dates

Monday 8th March - Back to School!
Tuesday 9th March - World Book Day
Thursday 1st April INSET day
Friday 2nd April Good Friday
Monday 19th April - Summer Term Starts

**Buryan Book Day
Tuesday 9th March!**
**Remember that we
will be celebrating
World Book Day in
school on Tuesday 9th
March! Children can
wear costumes
inspired by their
favourite books! We
are looking forward
to seeing your
outfits!**

**Thank you to those
who completed the
parent and child
surveys. Your feedback
was much appreciated.**

Welcome Miss Jones!
**Miss Jones will be
joining Nanjizal class
for the rest of the
term as a trainee
teacher!**

Believe, Achieve, Aspire Buryan Bulletin

We made it!

I know I have said it several times but a huge thank you to you all for your efforts!

It has been a great effort from all and let's hope that will be the last time we have to do this.

We have been busy making school ready for everyone's return on Monday.

We have had to implement new organisational measures and ensure that the school is ready for the return of our bubbles. We really need your co-operation in reinforcing the new measures we have in place. Please encourage your children to be mindful of personal space and to think about whether touch or contact is necessary as well as other important skills such as being responsible for their own belongings. This is especially important now that the KS2 children have access to their own Google Chromebooks to support their learning; these will be used when appropriate and to supplement their learning – they won't be used to replace the teaching and learning of important skills like speaking, listening, handwriting and so much more.

As we re-open for the whole school we respectfully ask that you follow our guidelines for drop off and collections. The area designated for these can become quite crowded which is why sticking to the designated times is vital. Please ensure that you are not blocking the road or the entrance area and that the full space is being used; if you feel that you would like to wear a face covering at these times then you are welcome to do so.

In school we have made a lot of sacrifices; as everyone has. We are practicing social distancing ourselves and are wearing masks when appropriate. We have all made huge sacrifices in our personal lives and not seen family members or friends; again, as everyone has. Because we are doing these things it means we can confidently re-open the school in a safe way; therefore, I'd like to remind everybody that just because school is now open, that doesn't mean children are allowed to socialise outside of school at this moment. As it stands, the 'rule of 6' comes into force at the end of the month.

Please make sure that there is only one adult from each household at drop-off and collection times; this applies to nursery families too. The adult picking up your child should be a member of your household or your support/childcare bubble; if it is somebody different picking up your child then please notify us first.

Lastly, we are all looking forward to having the children back to school and we are really excited about the learning and projects that we have lined up.

There's lots to look forward to!

Have a great weekend and see you on Monday,

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Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club resumes from Monday 8th March 2021 – information was sent home with the latest guidance.
Please contact Mrs Care on secretary@stbryanacademy.org for a booking form.

We will be sending out a survey to gauge interest for our after-school wrap around provision soon.

Garden area

The garden project is taking shape! We have a part-installed amphitheatre, a mini-wildflower meadow ready to go and some more wonderful things on the horizon! Thank you to those who have donated time and resources. Mrs Wilson will be in contact soon in regards to parental help with the garden as soon as we are allowed to do so.

School Dinner Menu

Week commencing Monday 8th March 2021

Monday

Sweet and Sour chicken or quorn with rice and prawn crackers
Carrot Cake

Tuesday

Roast pork with apple sauce or a lentil bake both with roast potatoes and vegetables
Fruit crumble and custard

Wednesday

Beef or quorn lasagne with garlic bread and salad
Jelly and fruit salad

Thursday

Fish fingers or sweetcorn fritters and chips with baked beans and mushy peas
Chocolate and banana cake

Friday

Meat or cheese pasty
Ice cream, yoghurt or fruit
Jacket potatoes and fruit are available daily – Please make all payments through Parent Mail
Thank you

It's amazing how much we can learn from children.

I'm sure that throughout the last few months your children have taught you something – and I don't just mean a maths method.

Some things that I think I have learned from our children at St Buryan Academy – whether at home or at school – are:

- 1) To get excited about something!
- 2) Recognise achievements and celebrate them!
- 3) Have fun, laugh and enjoy the little things in life!
- 4) Be curious – but not nosey!
- 5) Express yourself and be happy with being you!
- 6) Adapt! The world around us changes – we must tolerate and recognise that the way we think has to adapt too.
- 7) Don't worry about what others think too much – be proud of who you are!
- 8) Be welcoming and don't judge people from the choices they have made when you don't know the options they had to choose from!

Lastly, look at those children who have been out cleaning, tidying and taking care of our village and look at those that have been doing other things to change the world like raising money for Cornwall Hospice Care, Animal charities or Cancer Research for example. The children of our school want to change the world for the better – they have that awareness of the world we live in and how they can impact it in a positive way. We can be proud, celebrate them and learn from their actions.