

Parent Bulletin



29.09.23

Supporting your child in Maths (email sent 16.09.23)

In order for your child to achieve their best in Maths, they will need your support at home alongside their Maths teacher. To involve your child in the weekly shop, whether online or in the shop, getting involved in budgeting, looking at bills and any real life maths really supports what we are teaching students in school. To talk about maths you use in your jobs to show the students the other uses of maths in real life - this supports your child to understand and see maths beyond the classroom. To ensure your child has the correct equipment for Maths lessons (pen, pencil, red pen, ruler, protractor, compass, scientific calculator- casio recommended FX-991EX £20), all of which can be purchased from Mrs Deans or Mrs Parker in F19 at break or lunch time.

Facebook and Instagram

Please see below links to our Facebook and Instagram pages

<https://www.facebook.com/BohuntWok>

<https://www.instagram.com/bohuntwokingham/>

Stem

All Food tech containers need to be labelled, and containers brought to every practical lesson.

Medication/Medical Conditions

Please can we ask that you notify us if your child has any medical conditions or if **anything has changed since last term.**

All students with medical conditions that may need treatment in school will need to have an individual healthcare plan and an administering medication forms completed. These can be sent to parents/carers by emailing us at info@bohuntwokingham.com
Additional forms are needed for students with Asthma and auto-injectors (for severe allergies)

School Ties (Year Year 9-11)

School ties are still available to purchase from reception either before school, during break time or after school. The price of a tie is £5.

Lost Property

We have an ever increasing amount of lost property. If your child has misplaced any of their personal belongings they are welcome to come to Reception before school, during breaks or after school to see if these have been handed in. If it is clearly labeled you will receive an email and you or your child will have a maximum of two school weeks to claim their belongings, unfortunately we are unable to hold items for longer than this period.

#WeAreBohuntWokingham

2 Oct 23	Paddleboarding Year 7
3 - 5 Oct 23	Open Morning
9 Oct 23	Paddleboarding Year 7
16 Oct 23	Paddleboarding Year 7
18 Oct 23	Meet the Tutor Evening Year 7
20 - 30 Oct 23	Half Term
23-Nov 23	Year 10 Parents Evening
24 - Nov 23	Inset Day
29 - Nov 23	BET Inset Day
13 - Dec 23	Flu Vaccinations
15 - Dec 23	Term Ends 13:05 Finish
16th Dec 23 - 01 Jan 24	Christmas Break
02 Jan 24	Inset day
03 Jan 24	Term Starts
04 Jan 24	Year 11 Parents Evening

Aladdin Wokingham Pantomime

Please find below a link to Aladdin the Pantomime at the Whitty theater in Luckley road, which one of our students will be performing in.

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/wokingham-pantomime>

Berkshire Music Trust

Berkshire Music Trust offers instrumental lessons during the school day. We currently have spaces for piano, singing, guitar (acoustic, electric and bass), drums, flute and clarinet. To apply for lessons please use the following link:

<https://berksmusictrust.org.uk/music/music-lessons/apply-for-lessons/>

If your child is interested in learning an instrument that is not mentioned above, please do contact me on rbedford@bohuntwokingham.com and I will try to arrange this for you.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Over the next few weeks I will be at your child's school offering FREE trial singing lessons. Please reply by email to book a space.

Why singing?	How do lessons work?
- Singing is fun and makes you feel happy! - Research shows that children who sing and play musical instruments perform better academically. - Singing can help develop confidence, concentration, memory, and teamwork skills. - There are exciting opportunities to perform in a wide variety of venues.	- Lessons can either be individual (20mins or 30mins) or in small groups of 2 to 5 pupils. - Group lessons cost from just £10 per lesson; full details are on the website. - Children are taught on a rotating timetable so there is minimal disruption to their classroom learning.
	Are there any other benefits?
	*If you are having Voice lessons then you will be entitled to a 20% discount on joining Berkshire Maestros County choirs: Berkshire Children's Choir Yr 4-6, Berkshire Young Voices Yr 7-9 (auditioned grade 3+), Berkshire Youth Choir Yr 10-13 (auditioned grade 5+).
What happens next?	
If your child would like to take up this opportunity to have a free taster singing lesson then please email me the following information: - Child's name - School Year Group - Parent's name - Parent's email address This does not commit you to anything but will help us coordinate your Free Taster Singing Lesson .	

If you have any queries please contact me or visit www.berkshiremaestros.org.uk

Kind Regards,

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Learn to play an

Endangered Instrument

FREE TASTER SESSION

LIMITED OFFER

Did you know some instruments are in danger of extinction?

Groups and orchestras need more of them but there are currently not enough players of these rare breeds!

We are offering a very special discount to anyone who wants to commit to saving our endangered species. Spaces are limited so early registration is strongly advised!

New learners can benefit from:

- HALF PRICE** group lessons for a term (£45 off individual lessons)
- FREE** instrument hire for two terms
- 50% OFF** first term of a Let's Play Ensemble to be used when they are ready to join!

Endangered Instruments

French Horn Tuba Trumpet Euphonium
Trombone Cornet Tenor Horn Baritone

Choose 'school' or 'music centre' when registering and add use the code: **ENDANGERED** in the comments box

www.berksmusictrust.org.uk

Family Cycle Trail from FBC to Arborfield Green



Follow the route on the map and work out ten clues on the way. Correct answers will be entered into a draw to win a prize very kindly donated by ASDA.

Full details can be found here:
myjourneywokingham.com/events