



TEAM BARTONS

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Sun Cream, Sun Hats and Water Bottles



Now that the warmer months are here, please can parents/carers please ensure that the children have a named water bottle and named sun hat in school to ensure that the children stay hydrated and are safe, at break times, in the sunshine. The staff will remind the children to drink throughout the day. It will also be beneficial for the children to have sun cream applied at home before school and to have some with them in school, that they can apply themselves. Sadly, staff are not allowed to put sun cream on pupils so you might consider getting a sun cream that has long lasting sun protection throughout the day. Please note, children cannot share sun creams with friends brought in from home. Thank you.

Dyslexia and Dyscalculia Inclusive Practice Award

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded the Dyslexia and Dyscalculia Inclusive Practice Award (DADIPA) by the Learning and Behaviour Advisory Team from West Sussex County Council after a long assessment. This recognition highlights our commitment to ensuring all children with dyslexia and dyscalculia receive the support they need. Over time, the staff team have received training to understand the unique challenges faced by pupils with Dyslexia and Dyscalculia, including using assistive technology. Receiving this award is a testament to the hard work and dedication of the team at Bartons. Thank you very much to Mrs A. Powell, SENCo, who works tirelessly at Bartons to ensure inclusivity for all of our children. We are very proud to be recognised in creating an inclusive and supportive learning environment for all children. Well done Team Bartons - it is more recognition for the excellent job that you do.

Useful Diary Dates 2025 (All dates are on the school website)

MAY

(HALF TERM: 26th – 30th)

JUNE

2nd: Back to school: STEM ENRICHMENT WEEK

9th: Year 6 Enterprise Week

11th: Messy Church at 3.30pm

13th: Non-uniform day for Summer Fair items. Tbd

18th: New Year R parents (Sept 25) meeting at 1.45pm

20th: Summer Fair 3.30pm - 5pm

24th: Sharing of Work 3.15pm - 3.45pm

25th: Sharing of Work 8.40am - 9am

27th: Sports Day Morning starting at 9.15am.

Year 6 Leavers Disco and pizza party 4.30 - 6pm.

JULY

2nd: Year 6 Transition Day

3rd: Year 2 to Arundel Castle

Area Athletics Tournament @ 4pm - 6pm at FCC

4th: Reserve Sports day.

Class letters home to parents.

7th: Yrs 4 - 6 Relaxed Summer Production at 1.30pm

8th: Yrs 4 - 6 Summer Production at 2pm & 6pm

9th: Yrs 4 - 6 Summer Production at 6pm.

11th: Reports home to parents

14th: Class change over morning

18th: End of Term.

1.45pm Year 6 Leavers Assembly. Yr 6 parents only.

21st & 22nd: INSET Days - School closed.

SEPTEMBER

3rd: Back to School. Beginning of the Autumn term.

Poem for VE Day Written by Cedar Class 2025

VE Day is Here

Today we celebrate the veterans who fought,
Fought for our rights and fought for our freedom.
Devastation has left the air,
Victory has arisen over Europe.
VE Day is here.

Celebrations and parties fill the streets,
We've conquered the war.
Whilst loved ones grieve those they have lost,
Hope and faith prevail for peace and kindness.
VE Day is here.

No more blood will be spilt
The pain is finally over.
Happiness takes over the sadness,
As the soldiers will be remembered
VE Day is here.

Victory has struck, as we step into a new light,
Joy fills the atmosphere as the new day dawns.
But in the midst of the happiness, we will never forget,
A tragic story of pain and loss that is left behind
VE Day is here.

Have a great weekend! Best wishes Kate Powell