



TEAM BARTONS

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Communication on SeeSaw

At Bartons, there are many forms of communication systems which enable us all to keep in touch and know what is happening. These include:

- parents telephoning the school and emailing messages or queries to the school office or via Parentpay.
- a dedicated answer phone messaging system for parents to leave messages out of hours.
- a school Facebook page that shares newsletters and announcements. There is a FoBs one too.
- the school website that has lots of information, dates and where the newsletters are posted every week.
- SeeSaw which is our main homework platform and where teachers can give out whole class messages.

Recently, the teachers are noticing that parents and carers are using SeeSaw to share important messages and information that actually need to be sent to the school office. Teachers don't always look at SeeSaw every day and so things can be missed. Any messages such as relating to different adults collecting from school must not be shared on SeeSaw. Every day messages and/or concerns should be called into the school office or emailed to office@bartonsprimary.school

Behaviour

At Bartons, we pride ourselves on the high standards of good manners and behaviour which the majority of children show all of the time. Just lately, there have been a number of children who have not been upholding the Team Bartons values and who have shown disrespect to adults and unkindness to others. We take these matters very seriously. As parents, please can you support us by ensuring that your child, no matter their age, understands the school values, the class rules and the level of positive conduct that we expect. Thank you for your support.

Harvest Festival 6th October

Shopping list

Tinned meat/fish
Tinned veg/fruit
Cooking sauces
Coffee
Milk (UHT or powdered)
Cereals
Fruit juice (long-life)
Tinned pudding
Jam
Instant mashed potato

Please remember to bring in some food items on Monday in support of our annual Harvest Festival. In assembly, we will be thinking about those less fortunate than ourselves. This year, we are supporting the Bognor Foodbank that help lots of families across our community.

Please bring in any items from the list. Items must be **within date, unopened** and we welcome any amount of donations. All the items will be displayed in table classes, in the hall during assembly. This is a very worthy cause which we are proud to support. Thank you in advance your help.

Annual Nasal Spray Flu Vaccination

The schools Immunisation Service are coming into school on Tuesday 14/10/2025 to offer your child the nasal flu spray vaccination. All of the information has already been sent out to families. Please ensure that you complete the consent form for your child saying either **YES or NO** for them having the nasal spray. Please follow the link on the letter sent home.

Individual School Photograph Day

Next Friday, the 10th October, is individual school photograph day. Yellow, the school photographers will be in school to take individual photographs of each pupil. Please ensure that the children are wearing the correct uniform and look neat and tidy.

Creepy Cup Cake Competition

On Friday, 24th October, we will be holding a 'Creepy Cup Cake' competition and cake sale after school. The theme is Halloween and entries must include **cup cakes only and** no more than 6 cup cakes in an entry. No large cakes thank you. Entries cost £1. Details will follow soon on ParentPay. Good luck!

Have a great weekend! Best wishes Kate Powell