

Face Coverings recommended onsite for Adults and 12yrs+



From Monday 21st September, Barnes Farm Junior School will be actively encouraging and recommending that all adults and children aged 12+ (unless exempt*) wear a face

covering whilst picking up or dropping off pupils on our school site. Both schools believe that it is a socially responsible measure to take in response to the ongoing situation regarding coronavirus. All staff at the school have also been advised to wear masks during these times when interacting with adults. Children under 12 do not need to wear a mask once inside school however it is parental choice if they wear a mask on the way in or out of the school site.

***Exemptions**

Some individuals are exempt from wearing face coverings. This applies to those who:

- *cannot put on, wear or remove a face covering because of a physical or mental illness or impairment or disability*
- *speak to or provide assistance to someone who relies on lip reading, clear sound or facial expression to communicate*



HM Government NHS

I wear this to protect you.

Please wear yours to protect me.

STAY ALERT
CONTROL THE VIRUS
SAVE LIVES

Stars of the Week

11th September 2020



Autumn Term 2020

Y6	Renee Brown	Emily Lin	Adrian Ionut-Urselescu
Y5	Ronnie Burgess	Ebenezer Onibonoje	Maddy Bushnell
Y4	Adam Armour	Ellen Brown	Faye Harris
Y3	Daniel Marke	Noah Hammond	Oliver Dodkins



Nut-Free School

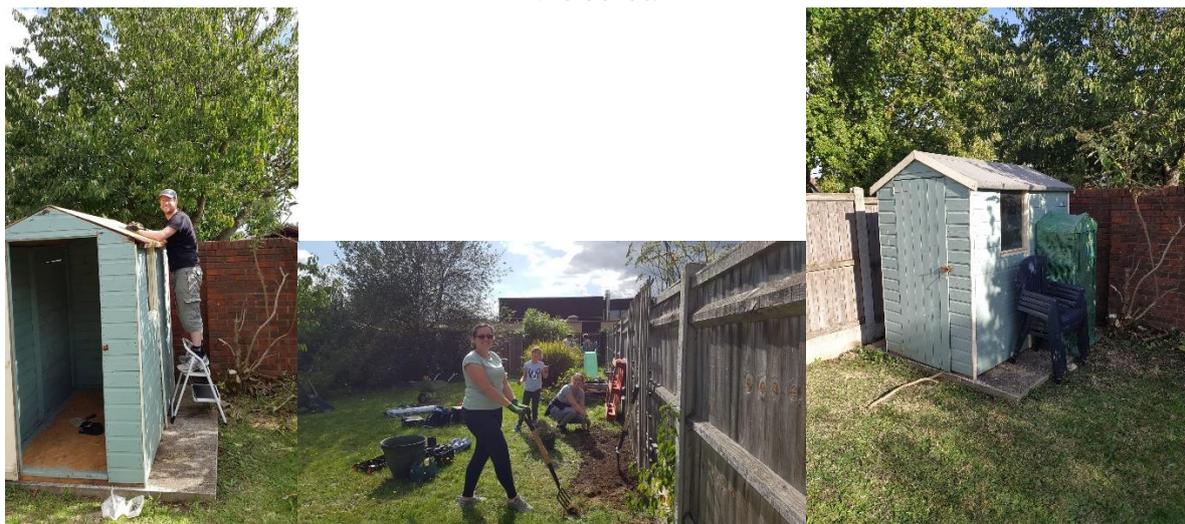
We have a number of children who are severely allergic to nuts. As a result, please do not send your child into school with any snack or packed lunch containing nuts. We are a nut-free school.

BFJS generous garden donations!

During lockdown we all have had a clear out and renovate of different areas around our homes. Barnes Farm Junior has been lucky enough to receive some kind donations which have been allocated to one of our garden areas. We have very kindly received a shed from Helen Jacobs as well some much needed roof felt donated by Hannah Lau and Emma Gray. A wooden planter has also been donated and built by Jackie Everett, as well as some trailing plants sourced by Mr White! A big thank you to everyone who have donated their resources and time with this continuing project, a great team effort!



Mrs Jordan



Parking - Be Responsible and Keep the Bend FREE!



It only takes one car to park on the bend in Henniker Gate and then others park behind causing huge disruption. Parking is restricted on **both single and double yellow lines** during school times. One car even parked up on the pavement here this week. It is dangerous and inconsiderate. Please park in the Asda car park if you can and walk into the school site.

PE Days

Children may attend school already changed into their PE kit on the following days. Children may wish to bring an extra change of shoes to use at lunchtime when they are allowed to play on the field.



Year 3	Mondays + Thursdays
Year 4	Tuesdays + Wednesdays
Year 5	Tuesdays, Wednesdays + every other Friday (starting tomorrow)
Year 6	Mondays, Thursdays + every other Friday starting next week

Reading at BFJS



We are all very keen to get our children reading again between home and school. Over lockdown, we took the opportunity to invest in a new Covid-secure library system and this will be rolled out **NEXT WEEK!** Reading books will be able to be loaned out from our library to read at home and in school from the week beginning 21st September. Due to the need to quarantine books, children can only change books once a week.



National Fitness Day

On Wednesday 23rd September, we intend to take part in a National Fitness Day where we will get everyone skipping for 15 minutes throughout the day.

Photo Consent + School Film!

With the support of the CLP Trust, we are delighted to be producing a short promotional film about life at BFJS to be used on our website and at open days. This will be happening on Monday 5th October and we will be using your child's photo permission form as the basis for potential involvement in this. Many parents in Y4-6 have not yet returned the consent form which was sent out back in July 2020. If you have not yet returned it, will you please inform us of your permissions as soon as possible?

