

BERROW PRIMARY

Church Academy



06/03/2026

Welcome back to term 4! We've finally seen some blue sky this week and our daffodils have started to bloom. This hopefully means that spring has 'sprung'. Hurrah! I am sure we will all be looking forward to lighter evenings, warming weather and more sunshine. We have had a wonderful first two weeks back and look forward to the busy term ahead. Miss Bradley

Staffing

Today, we say farewell to Mrs Baker (LSUP/LSA) who has decided to start a new adventure. Mrs Baker has worn many hats over the years and will be greatly missed by all children and staff. We'd like to wish her all the very best.

We are delighted to announce Miss Lauren Bush and Miss Jill Rasch have joined our lunchtime supervisor team this week. They are both looking forward to supporting our children at lunchtimes.

We are pleased to share we received many applications for our recently advertised 18hr LSA role. We'd like to say thank you to everyone who expressed an interest. It was lovely to receive several applications from local members of our school community. We will continue to work closely with HR to follow our recruitment process. If you have any questions or are looking for a vacancy, please visit our school website.

Reading for pleasure

This week, we have been celebrating our reading for pleasure week. The children have thoroughly enjoyed our story evening, readathon, World book Day, reading cafes and much more. We also have an author visiting us next Friday to read to the children. Thank you to everyone who has helped make this week a success and Mrs Montgomery for organising.

SS Great Britain

Our year 2 children went on an adventure to visit the SS Great Britain on Tuesday. The children enjoyed an engaging guided tour around the ship, where they explored its fascinating history and discovered some of Brunel's 77 incredible inventions. They also took part in a hands-on workshop, where they worked together to fuel the steam-powered propellers and learned how this remarkable ship was powered. We'd like to say a huge thank you to our families for all your support following this trip.

Parking, Driving and Drop off

Please be mindful of our neighbours when you are collecting and dropping off your children. Please drive safely and not mount pavements and cut corners into the car park. Check you are not blocking driveways and please **do not** park on the yellow lines or across the school entrance even if you are only dropping off. Staff and visitors arrive at the same time as children, and we would like everyone to be safe. Thank you for understanding.

House Competitions

Thank you to everyone who has taken part in our recent house challenges and competitions before and during half term. We had so many wonderful entries. The Readathon is our current challenge running. Keep an eye out for the next event.



A polite reminder we are a nut free school. (Including Nutella and Pesto's.)

This is vitally important to keep our children and staff safe. We do have both staff and children with allergies.



Little Learners @ Berrow - LIMITED SPACES

Fully funded spaces are now limited at our wonderful Little Learners preschool. If you would like to know more, please call or pop and see one of the team who will be able to help you.

[Will you be looking for a preschool place in September or January 2027?](#) Be quick to register as spaces are filling up!

ParentPay *Be Aware!"

When making payments, please do not use the "one-click" option. This will put your payment into pending and can take up to ten working days to leave your account and come to us. Do not save your bank details to your ParentPay account.

We cannot process the item purchased until the payment goes from pending to paid and it may impact them attending a trip. Please can we make sure payments are made before the deadline given for the trips this makes consent and organisation much easier. Thank you.

School Uniform

A polite reminder that our school colours are navy, white, grey and black. This includes socks and hair accessories.

Please remember PE hoodies should only be worn on PE days.

Please help us to uphold our high expectations of uniform by reminding your children. Thank you.

Attendance

Please can you ensure you are reporting your child's absences before the start of the day. If your child has not arrived by 9.15am, you will receive a phone call from Mrs Robins our attendance officer. A polite reminder that our gates open from 8.30 and our school days and registration is at 8.45am.

Our values

School Value this term is **forgiveness**



Dates for the Diary

09/03/2026- Highbridge Festival Speech & Drama

10/03/2026- Aerospace Museum Trip year 5

11/03/2026- Dance Highbridge Festival

11/03/2026- Year 5 Interview Challenge

12/03/2026- KS2 maths in Action 8.50am

13/03/2026- Author Visit

17/03/2026- Reception Trip Court Farm

18/03/2026 Netball Bridgwater KS2

19/03/2026- Choir Highbridge Festival

23/03/2026- Year 3 Family Worship

24/03/2026- 30/03/2026 - Book fair

27/03/2026- Year 6 Greek day

31/03/2026 Easter Service St Mary's

02/04/2026- Easter Bonnet & Garden Parade

02/04/2026- End of Term 4

Lighting up a love of learning